

Additional Suggestions from the Survey

- Have you thought about paving the campground?
- Boat ramp dredged so that we can put our boats in there and not have to transport our boats to the Moose lodge.
- To be able to use boat ramp and have a small pier to dock boat while getting in and out of boat.
- A nice area for children to play.
- Paved roads, access to boat landing, year-round usage of campground, no pay pool usage, community store.
- Dock-able cove would be the best thing to happen to campground. By having to go through moose or state park to launch boat takes away from the relaxation.
- Ice cream shop.
- I would like to see dredging of the cove so that it could be used to launch a boat. Paving of the roads to cut down on dust and make a smoother ride. Speed bumps would be a must if paved because people drive too fast as it is. Turning the club house into a more usable space perhaps with games/pool table.
- #1 for me is water access at the launch area. I can't even launch my kayaks most of the year. #2 paved roads - as is it's very difficult to transport kayaks due to road conditions.
- Paved the main road, fix the boat landing so you could put you boat in and out, have platform or boat slips where you could park your boat, streetlights at boat landing.
- Boat slip is not accessible most of the year. It gets low and we have to go to the moose to put in. It needs to be cleaned out or dredged. On the golf cart trails didn't know we had them. The 1-800 number for cable doesn't even know we exist! We do need access to ice! Need more boat storage. Our lot is very poor angle to get in and out. I always am too late to get a spot.
- Often the roads could use a little more maintenance. Some trees in the area need to be cut down or trimmed for safety reasons.
- We would use the Cove a lot more if the Cove was more accessible for boat use. We have in the past put our boat in and out there as well as parked it overnight. The water is too shallow to do anything now.
- More activities for children. Lots of kids in the campground that would love additional activities.
- Would love to use the boat launch and be able to leave it overnight on weekends.
- Improve road on Black Bear.
- Accessible boat ramp as the one there isn't very useful. Boat/Sea Doo slips would be the biggest asset to this community. Having to load/unload does not make the lake use as enjoyable.
- At least have the bathroom and bathhouse open in the winter so you could at least come up in the daytime without having to winterize your trailer multiple times in the winter. Also, possible removal of trees around your lot if a cleaning or dead tree threatens to fall on your travel trailer.
- Please please please make the lake accessible from the boat ramp. We haven't been able to use it in the past 3-4 years at all. Boat slips would be nice in the future.
- Boat docks and dredge the channel please.
- We would like to see the gate closed 24/7 to keep non-members out.
- Would like to see the cove "boat accessible" and playground for kids would be great.

- There need to be a culvert put at the bottom of Black Bear Road for the water to cross under the road.
- Driveway to our camper and boat landing.
- Please fix the cove it is one of the most used things for are family.
- We miss being able to put our jet-ski and boat in at our ramp or even leave it in the cove over-night on a long weekend.
- Would like to see higher standards set for campsites.
- A playground for young children would be nice.
- Paving main road from main gate to the lake and no charge for pool for camper.
- "Would use cove more but would like better trails to the boat areas. Dangerous with kids and carrying items to boat. Usually we use moose lodge because of that. It's not good for swimming because it's so muddy. Bridge over the waterfall would help too. Waterfall leaves mud in cove so hard to do much with it. A few years ago it was much nicer. Now it's hardly used.
- Would love to see more play areas for the kids.
- Paved main road for biking would be awesome. The speed bumps are rough on low riding cars (scrape bottoms often).
- More community events. Love 4th of July but maybe more campground cool outs. Pool parties, basketball/volleyball ball competitions.
- Didn't even know there were bike or hiking trails. Maybe better signage or advertising of them.
- I answered never to the boat and kayak usages because it was not accessible. If it was accessible we would use it every weekend! Please fix the wash out ditch when first going up black bear! Also, dust control on the roads!
- Would be nice to have the main rd. Paved.
- Our boat launch needs major attention. Been being told forever it will be dug out so we can launch a boat and still hasn't happened. I think along with other campground members this is an issue that should be taken care of ASAP so we can use the launch this 2020 summer.
- We can't use the boat ramp because it's way too shallow and no place to park. We don't use the pool because they charge us. Didn't even know there was a shower place. We love the yearly price because if it were much higher we wouldn't be able to have a place at the lake. We love having a place at Barefoot. Love the trails. Hate that the water lines are in the road....???! It's our happy place and our kids are growing up on the lake, I hope this turns out to be even a better place than before.
- Improvements on the roads, the amount of dust created is a nuisance... especially for those of us that like to keep our spaces neat and clean.
- Play areas for the kids, as well as activities for Saturdays in the summer months geared towards kids.
- As well as a pavilion more conducive to events.... there have been multiple times that I have been asked by campers to teach wellness classes at the campground, but unfortunately there isn't an ideal location to do so....
- We would love to use the cove more, but the silt/dirt buildup has made launching anything more than a kayak impossible.
- Roller Coaster.

- Fixing the road to our camper; dusk control on roads; playground for kids; access to lake; campground store.
- The cove would be usable if dredged. As it is it is unusable.
- Would love the main road paved and our dock useable. We realize this cost money but would love to have the cost as close to its cost now. We have been here for 17 years and feel like it is home. Would be willing to help out with improvement like landscaping clean up and etc. if needed. Would be available to help plan and work social events. We have 4 other family members here and I know they feel the same. Please let us know if we can help in any way. Sorry the Wards are out but looking forward to meeting out new owners.
- Dredge the cove; maintain the Mountain View; maintain the burm.
- I would use the cove all the time if the water was high enough to put the boat in- or dug out to be deep enough.
- It would be great if we had space to leave our boats in the cove for weekend on a first come basis. We used to do that before it filled in with sand and debris.
- Dredge cove, and parking in our site.
- We have concerns about drainage problems on the roads and would like to see them paved. The hill at our camper washes a ditch in our parking and the gravel I brought in to fix it keeps washing.
- Repair water runoff from upper road that creates ditches across silverfox.
- A rental spot for parking pontoon, my drive is to steep and narrow for this.
- The road to our site and entry to our site. Our rd. is always washed-out and it's very hard to get my car or motorcycle up the rd. and into the lot without scrubbing or tearing something up. I would like to see the gates closed more making it harder for random ppl to come and go from the campground. The boat ramp being useable would be nice, not having to use the moose landing.
- I would have to say the number one improvement would have to be paving the roads...
- The boat landing, cove and beach are basically unusable.
- Roads and trash dumpster.
- Free pool access.
- Having a dock to tie to if the launch area is available again.
- Rentable boat docks, asphalt all roads, dredge cove, a good trail over water fall at landing so u can walk to your boat.
- Paving the roads, add speed bumps, and fix the drainage on the roads to keep the water away from the camp sites to prevent damage and flooding.
- Beach area by the boat dock.

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- The ideals in the questionnaire sounds great.
- I think alot of folks have firesticks they use on their tv's, I know I do but if we could get the high-speed internet with cable it would be less than what just my internet charges are per month.

- Giving the children a more options of things to play on because we do have a lot of kids in the campground with nothing to do.
- Should campsite owners really have to pay for use of swimming pool? I would understand if our guest had to pay.
- We look forward to meeting the new owners.
- I look forward to meeting you. I have spent my entire life on Lake James. My parents came to Barefoot around 1996 after the Wildlife Club was closed and they now own the property right at the Moose gate. My wife and I came to the campground in 2005 and love our lake life. We now have three children that I hope can enjoy the lake like I have. Thanks for taking the time to see what the folks who make up the campground would like to see!
- Looking forward to working with the new ownership. Hope the annual dues does not jump up substantially.
- All the loud music and vulgar language and partying late at night done away with because of families with grandkids around. Dangerous trees kept trimmed and cut down around campers. All the big atvs and big utvs not tearing up the trails and roads. Should be golf carts only park. Thanks so much and look forward to meeting you. Have a Blessed Day.
- All of these nice improvements -usage would depend on the costs associated with it. Most people are at Barefoot because we like not having a tremendous lot rent like most other places!
- Would love to see a small store or vending machines for snacks.
- Hope you can keep rates the way it is now. Looking forward to meeting you soon. We really enjoy our camp site and want to be able to stay.
- My concern during the transfer of ownership would be the lot rent increasing beyond affordability. However, I understand that upgrades may slightly increase the yearly dues. I personally would enjoy to be able to launch my boat out of our campground (We have never been able to do so because of the condition of the cove and boat ramp). I also would like to see the swimming pool being available at no cost to the campground members and maybe charge for guest. Upgrades, play sets, sandboxes, etc. for kids would be greatly appreciated; we currently go into the moose lodge for the campground for these activities. We look forward to spending another year at the campground under new ownership and I'm grateful you are considering these upgrades.
- Love the quiet, love the company, enjoy staying here.
- We are looking forward to meeting you. Appreciate your survey.
- "I answered some questions with ""never"" as I purchased January 2019 and we were only there a few times this summer. Life happened as one may say. We have full intent on using regularly now. Love having the pool. We have intent to join the Moose as we must have access to launch watercraft as well as access to the ""beach/swimming"" area. Again, when you put watercraft in there is no docking at the Moose either. It's nice to be on the watercraft, dock and sit on a beach area then go boating again if you choose. There is no place for that at Barefoot or the Moose. We love your community however docking/launching is an issue."
- We owned a home on Lake Keowee for 18 years and were in a park setting prior for 12 years, Prior to that my parents had a place at Lake James Family Campground (formerly Benfield's) from early 70's until late 80's. Again, from personal experience boat slips/launching would likely be the biggest asset to the community. Thank you for asking your tenants' opinion.

- Either repair the boat landing in such a way that you could at least put a small boat or kayak or jet-ski. All summer the ramp was out of use because u could in no way put anything in it.
- Wi-Fi is very important, but not cable TV.
- Lot rent should be same on all spots and should be allowed to have roof over on all spots.
- If the cove was dredged out we could use our boats when the water was lowered.
- I think the pool access should be free for members and their family. Charge for guests. Also concerned that the yearly dues will increase so that it is not affordable for some families. Also, some of the dead trees need to be taken down so they do not fall on someone's camper.
- We would love to see the cove dredged so we could launch and park boats in the cove. We love the campground and look forward to many years of camping there.
- "We are very happy especially if our driveway and boat landing was worked on..."
- Better road maintenance and better security. We had our golf cart stolen.
- "Would use the cove if it was dredged out. See this as top priority!"
- Love our time at the campground. Can't wait to meet you all!
- Looking forward for camping in 2020.
- I would like to see more things for kids to do! Also, activities for the campground to do together!!
- We have not used the boat ramp in several years because it's too shallow, also we do not use the pool because we don't believe as campers we should have to pay to use it. Thanks so much for your consternation on the new ideas on the park and looking forward to meeting you. This will be our 9th season.
- I would like to add our campsite along with my neighbors has recently been clear-cut on the property line with the land against the campground line. It has taken away 100% of our privacy. If your familiar with the campground than you know what area I'm speaking of. It would be nice if the campground owners would put up some kind of privacy something so we don't have to look at the ugly garage and the mess over at the neighbors outside of the campground.
- I appreciate your attempt at gaining input to make some much needed improvements at this campground!! We came from another campground on the lake that if I am being completely honest was much more enjoyable for my kids.....but I feel confident that Barefoot has so much potential to be as much of a desirable campground as it was!!
- Thank you for taking time to gather feedback. We are excited to see you taking the time do so. A concern when the campground was sold was if it would stay a campground and given the money we have put into the lot we would hate to lose it. It is a great place for a family and we love the fact that it is much more family oriented with the rules than the moose lodge.
- If the cove was fixed it would be nice to have some docks or somewhere to at least tie the boats to.
- Enjoy the campground been there 23 years would love to see improvement to campground love my family friend-sat campground.
- I love the campground. It is quiet with very good people around.
- "These are not all exactly ""yes, no, or maybe"" answers. For example, it would depend on the pricing for the ice, boat gas, LP, etc. on whether I would buy them or not. Also, if it would raise our rent to purchase all of the equipment necessary for these amenities, then I would vote NO."

- I put ""never"" to launching a boat in our cove, only because that ramp can't be used anymore. The water isn't nearly deep enough. I used to use it regularly some years ago, but can't anymore. I just go over to the Moose Lodge.
- Also, on the Moose Lodge gate... a ""no key"" gate would be nice, if you can keep the code, or however the gate would work from non-members. I would think that could potentially be a problem. Thanks, looking forward to SPRING!!!!
- Would love for everyone to realize kids are in the campground and go 20 miles an hour.
- My family has been doing the planting and routine maintenance on the burm. It is time the campground took that over as we are getting older.
- I LOVE the campground. If there was any way to keep the water on year-round, that would be AMAZING.
- I answered never for using boat ramp but only because it isn't usable we really would like to see this cleaned out so it is usable. I feel increasing the lease in the amount stated will make many residents leave most of us have been here a long time. We have enjoyed it the way it is but are not sure if we are willing to pay this much more.
- Pool access should be included.
- A restaurant or grill on ground.
- Hope we will be able to access cover with boats and jet ski.
- Wi-Fi would be great. Also cleaning out the cove.
- Looking forward to meeting you.
- Paving the roads would be my only suggestion its extremely aggravating to have an expensive boat to only be killed with dust going in and out not to mention people flying in and out with no respect for others. Redoing the cove with dredging will not benefit me at all because of the length and size of my boat. I'm not the only one with a large boat. With all that said I'm ok with the price increase if I can see lots of improvement over the year, mainly containing the terrible dust and drainage issues!
- We love our camper and usually come every weekend. Have been doing so since 1998. The yearly lease increase is going to be tuff with us having yearly major medical bills.
- To use the pool for the campground residents but charge for the visitors. Again, not sure why this was not included along with yearly.
- The dredging of the cove to me I think is a wasted time and useless, unless you damn up the creek that runs into the lake. Because every time it rains and floods all the debris, sand and trees etc. will run off into the lake therefore causing more and more mud and sand in the cove. It will be a continuous task and waste of money.