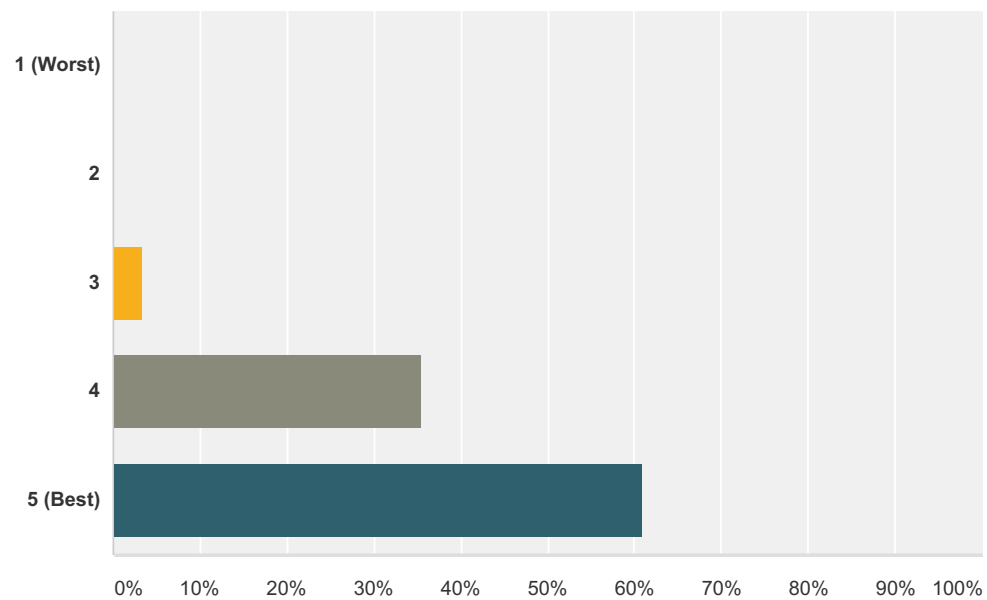


Q1 How would you rate the value of the Georgia SAM Summer Conference?

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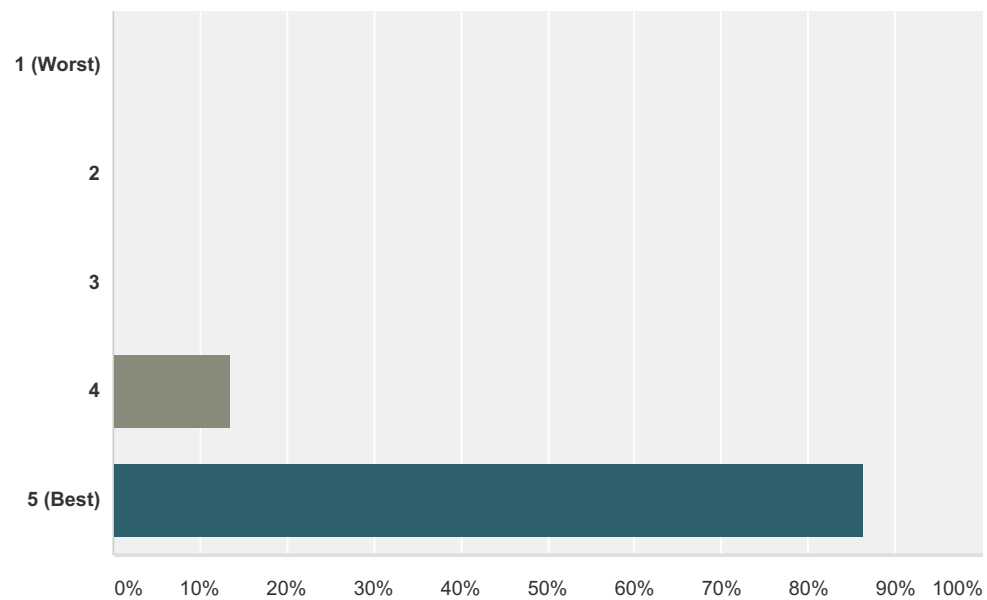


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	0.00% 0
3	3.39% 2
4	35.59% 21
5 (Best)	61.02% 36
Total	59

#	Comments	Date
1	This was my first SAMs Conference.	7/21/2015 2:11 PM
2	The value of the Georgia SAM Summer Conference is immeasurable. This was my second conference, and I have left both times with so many new ideas and concepts. Thank you!	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
3	Very enjoyable. Received great ideas and information.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
4	This was my first SAM Conference so I have nothing to compare it to however, the Conference was very informative and helpful to me.	7/13/2015 11:13 AM
5	I feel better informed and ready to start the new school year with valuable information gained through keynote speakers, break-out sessions and meeting other SAMs.	7/13/2015 7:05 AM
6	Relevant and real	7/10/2015 4:24 PM
7	It was very helpful and inspiring, once again!	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
8	Very well done.	7/10/2015 11:11 AM
9	It was very refreshing!! I will use strategies that I learned.	7/10/2015 9:24 AM

Q2 How would you rate the organization of the conference?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0

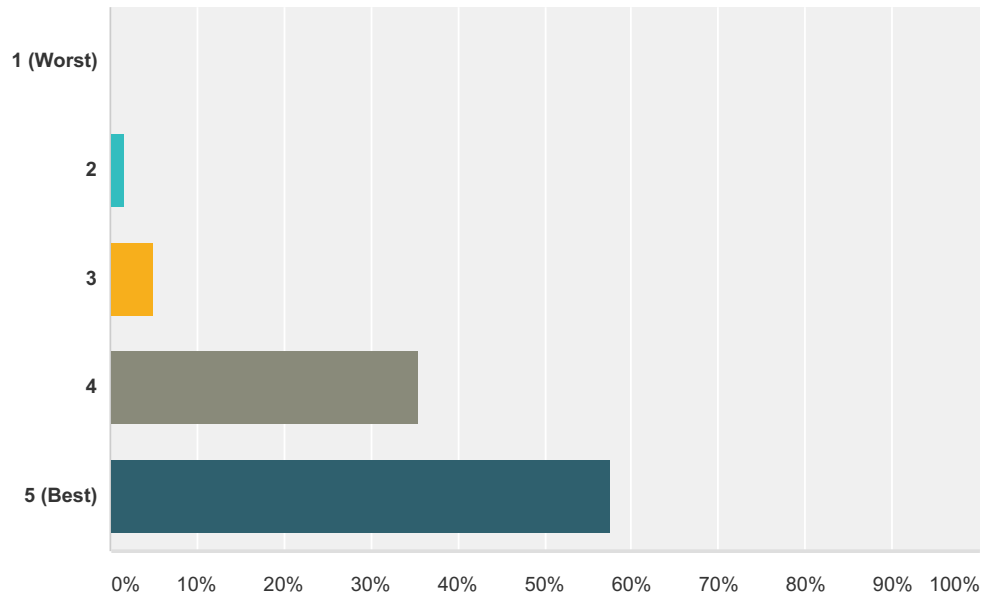


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	0.00% 0
3	0.00% 0
4	13.56% 8
5 (Best)	86.44% 51
Total	59

#	Comments	Date
1	Wow! I know a lot of hard work goes on behind the scenes to make it all happen. It's amazing how smoothly it runs.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
2	Always well organized, Betty is a genius!	7/15/2015 7:57 AM
3	Everything was top notch!	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
4	The conference was well organized however, a few presenters went over their time limit.	7/13/2015 11:13 AM
5	Always top notch	7/10/2015 4:24 PM
6	Thanks to Betty, Jim, and Mark for all of your hard work! Love the Evergreen, Stone Mountain, and the fact that there IS a Georgia SAM conference! Hope to make it to National someday!	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
7	Great job.	7/10/2015 11:11 AM
8	Like a well-oiled machine!	7/10/2015 10:04 AM
9	We should consider the keynote prior to lunch on the last day.	7/10/2015 9:24 AM

Q3 How would you rate the value of Sean Glaze's "Rapid Teamwork"?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0

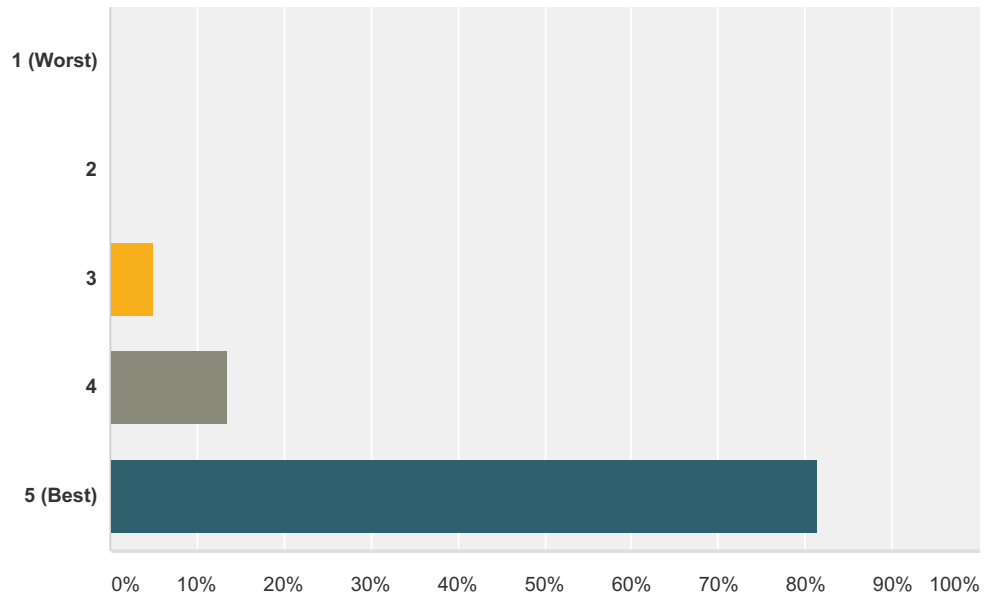


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	1.69% 1
3	5.08% 3
4	35.59% 21
5 (Best)	57.63% 34
Total	59

#	Comments	Date
1	Sean's presentation was fantastic.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
2	This was a GREAT way to start it off!	7/14/2015 8:06 AM
3	Enjoyable. Hope to implement some thoughts with staff.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
4	Excellent presentation. He was more low-key, but I enjoyed and learned from his presentation.	7/13/2015 2:04 PM
5	Great info and strategies that we can use right away.	7/11/2015 8:40 AM
6	Very engaging; useful	7/10/2015 4:24 PM
7	So glad he was available on such short notice!	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
8	He gave some practical advice for building teams. I really enjoyed the activities and how they connected back to "team" in a purposeful manner.	7/10/2015 10:04 AM

Q4 How would you rate the value of Ken Williams "Shift Happens"?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	0.00% 0
3	5.08% 3
4	13.56% 8
5 (Best)	81.36% 48
Total	59

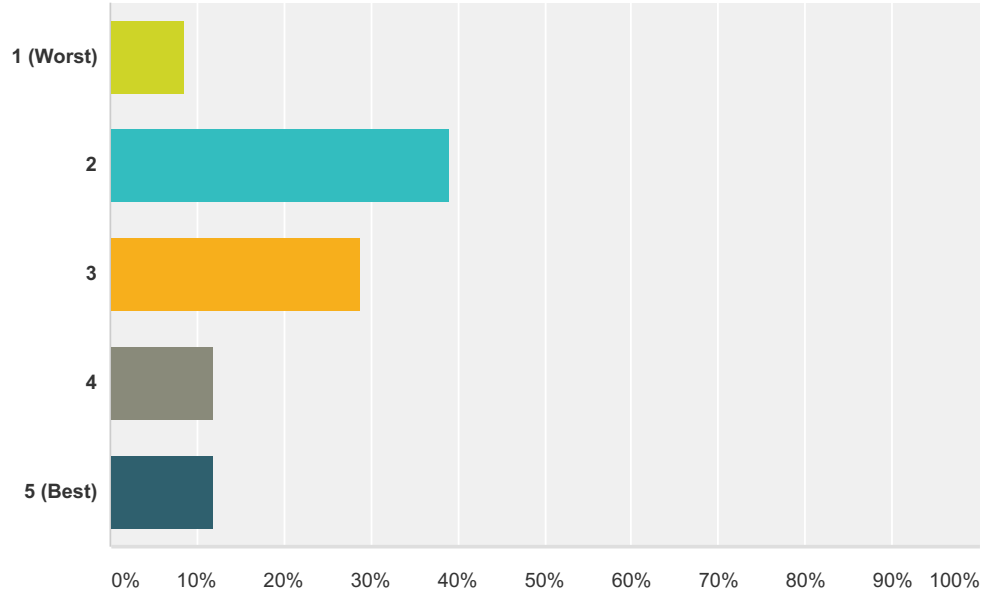
#	Comments	Date
1	Mr. Williams was by far the best speaker of the conference. He was charismatic, engaging and relevant. His ideas weren't new or innovative but excellent reminders of how important it is to keep the vision of learning for all in the forefront of our minds.	7/18/2015 11:29 AM
2	Ken brought a lot to the conference. I will be apply a lot of his content to my work.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
3	Energetic, dynamic, thought provoking.	7/15/2015 7:57 AM
4	He really inspired me to just sit back and realize that the changes we need to make are simple. Love him!	7/14/2015 8:06 AM
5	Excellent presentation! Would love to see him again!!	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
6	Outstanding. He puts the "present" in presentation. His	7/13/2015 2:04 PM
7	Don't like it when presenters go over teir time and ignore "hints" that it's time to stop.	7/12/2015 1:15 PM
8	Very thought provoking and will impact our school year.	7/11/2015 8:40 AM
9	Real, usable, engaging	7/10/2015 4:24 PM

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10	Good information. He could have been more efficient in his presentation. (Less repetition would have allowed him to spend more time on the end of the presentation.)	7/10/2015 2:24 PM
11	He has a marvelous voice and his topic was very relevant. Could tell he has lots of school experience to draw from!	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
12	I could have stayed in the room all day and listened to him. PLCs are the driving force that we do in our school, and this workshop would be so beneficial for our instructional leadership team as they prepare to lead their PLCs this year.	7/10/2015 10:04 AM
13	He gave some very applicable PLc tips.	7/10/2015 9:24 AM

Q5 How would you rate the value of Debra Sykes "Using TimeTrack to Leverage Leadership"?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	8.47% 5
2	38.98% 23
3	28.81% 17
4	11.86% 7
5 (Best)	11.86% 7
Total	59

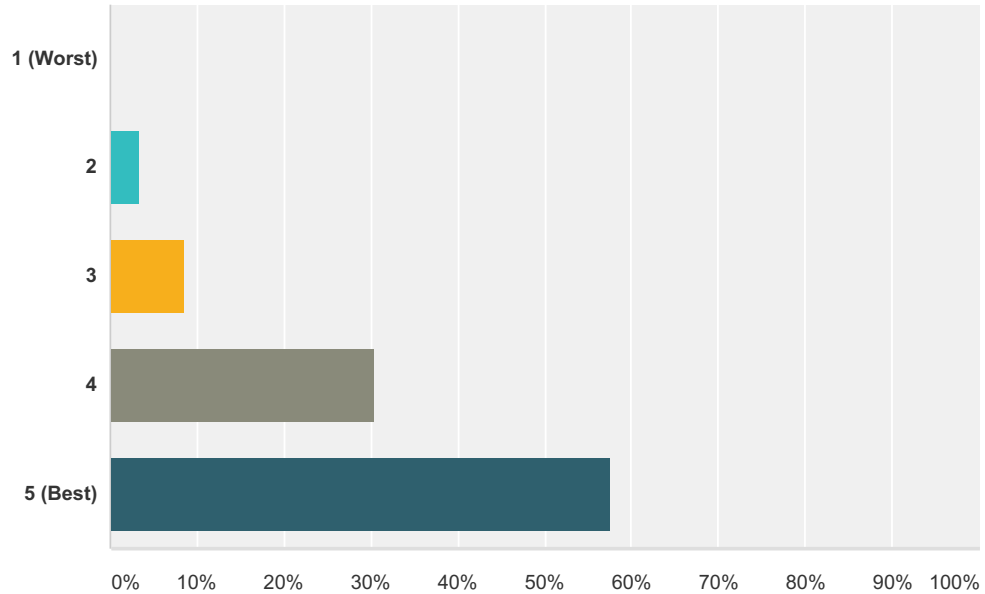
#	Comments	Date
1	This was too simple for someone who has been doing this for 2 years.	7/16/2015 3:26 PM
2	While I enjoyed the session, I did not find this breakout session as helpful as others.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
3	She was a very pleasant person but in her presentation she was monotone, couldn't hear very her very well, very slow and not engaging. Presentation seemed to have been put together at the last minute, did not flow very well. Was kind of rough to sit through.	7/15/2015 7:57 AM
4	Had difficulty making sense of this presentation- was a bit all over the place.	7/14/2015 9:02 AM
5	Information was good, but very hard to stay focused. She wasn't as engaging as I thought she would be.	7/14/2015 8:06 AM
6	n/a	7/14/2015 8:05 AM
7	I am new to Sam so this presentation covered material I was not familiar with so it did not benefit me as much as other presentations but Debra did a good job.	7/13/2015 8:28 PM
8	I'm afraid this session was not as helpful.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM

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9	She was unaware of her audience. She began her session without clear introduction or goals for her session.	7/13/2015 3:06 PM
10	It was useful information but I didn't find it as engaging.	7/13/2015 2:04 PM
11	This presentation missed the mark! I wasn't sure what the purpose was. In addition, there was little engagement and the presenter lacked energy and enthusiasm.	7/13/2015 12:42 PM
12	Lots of valuable information.	7/13/2015 7:05 AM
13	Boring presenter. Title could have been "Death by Time Track"!	7/12/2015 1:15 PM
14	did not attend	7/12/2015 12:51 AM
15	Very nice presenter, but honestly did not provide useful information and was not focused on the topic. e.g. mentioned Leverage Leadership, but never really went back to it and we did not feel like we got anything out of it that we could use. Again, very nice person and may be very knowledgeable, but was not engaging at all...	7/11/2015 8:40 AM
16	Ms. Sykes delivery of information was flat and I found it difficult to sit through.	7/10/2015 6:40 PM
17	I did enjoy the time to work on the calendar; but, the presentation itself was a bit unengaging.	7/10/2015 2:50 PM
18	As a fairly new SAM, I felt that most of her discussion was for experienced folk or those that mostly interpret the data. That's not really part of my role. While she seemed like a nice person with lots of experience and very knowledgeable, she wasn't the best presenter to reach an audience with varied experience levels.	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
19	The content was good. However the delivery needed improvement.	7/10/2015 10:57 AM
20	Not an engaging session	7/10/2015 10:35 AM
21	There were some practical tips...needed more audience engagement.	7/10/2015 10:04 AM
22	Not an engaging speaker. Repeated most of the info that has been shared by our coaches.	7/10/2015 9:24 AM
23	She was very knowledgeable of the content but delivery was not engaging at all.	7/10/2015 9:14 AM

Q6 How would you rate the value of Paul Willis "Stronger Together: Making Sense of Merged Data"?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	3.39% 2
3	8.47% 5
4	30.51% 18
5 (Best)	57.63% 34
Total	59

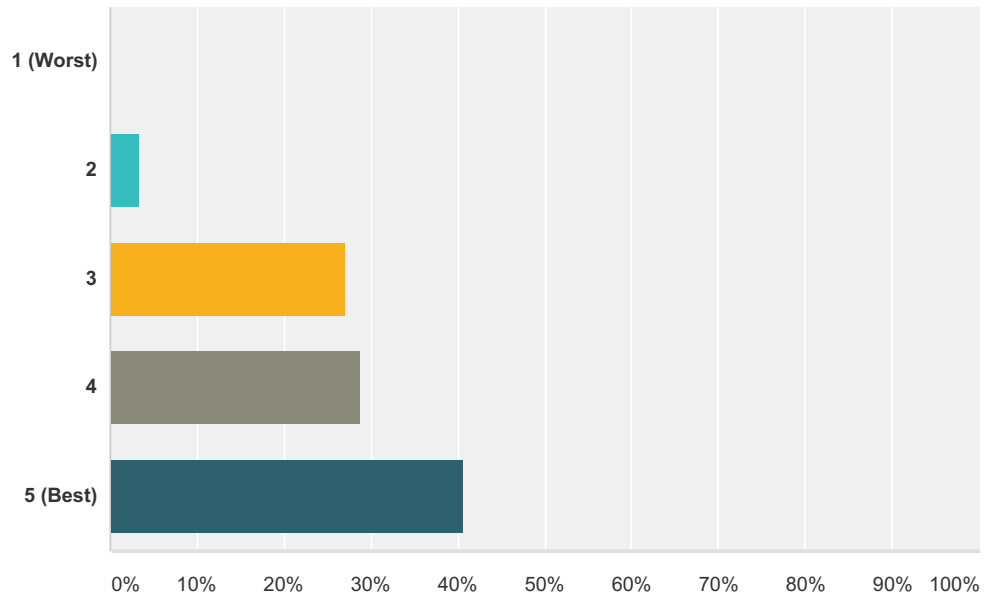
#	Comments	Date
1	Paul did a great job of sharing his data to help all of us succeed merging and sharing our data.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
2	I would have like more information on how to do this with our staff stats.	7/14/2015 9:02 AM
3	I thought the merged data was very interesting to see. I really enjoyed this segment.	7/14/2015 8:06 AM
4	n/a	7/14/2015 8:05 AM
5	I am new to Sam so this presentation covered material I was not familiar with so it did not benefit me as much as other presentations but they did a good job presenting.	7/13/2015 8:28 PM
6	Very helpful.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
7	Very helpful! No SAM team is perfect, so it's interesting to see another's data. It made me think about some of the things we are doing, and also helped me understand that we do have to make some assumptions.	7/13/2015 2:04 PM

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8	Good idea, but I needed more information. There was not follow up with the data walk and there was a great deal of confusion in our group about some of the elements of the data. Also, there was no connection made to the individual data chart for one teacher.	7/13/2015 12:42 PM
9	I didn't attend this session.	7/13/2015 11:13 AM
10	The Fort Daniels team did an AMAZING job and it was great to look at actual data from another elementary school.	7/13/2015 8:14 AM
11	Great information about merging data and how helpful it can be.	7/13/2015 7:05 AM
12	Good info and was interactive and engaging.	7/11/2015 8:40 AM
13	I appreciate that there was a practical component (how to combine calendars) and thought provoking (how does this fit for my team).	7/10/2015 2:24 PM
14	Enjoyed the team from FDES; their visual aids were very helpful.	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
15	Him and his administrative team did an excellent job.	7/10/2015 11:11 AM
16	This group did a great job sharing their data. We were able to glean several uses for our work.	7/10/2015 10:57 AM
17	Really interesting to see merged data and how you can use the data as a tool to help you management your time effectively as a team...and support teachers!	7/10/2015 10:04 AM
18	Real life application for a principal	7/10/2015 9:24 AM

Q7 How would you rate the value of Ted DesMaison's "Mindfulness"?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	3.39% 2
3	27.12% 16
4	28.81% 17
5 (Best)	40.68% 24
Total	59

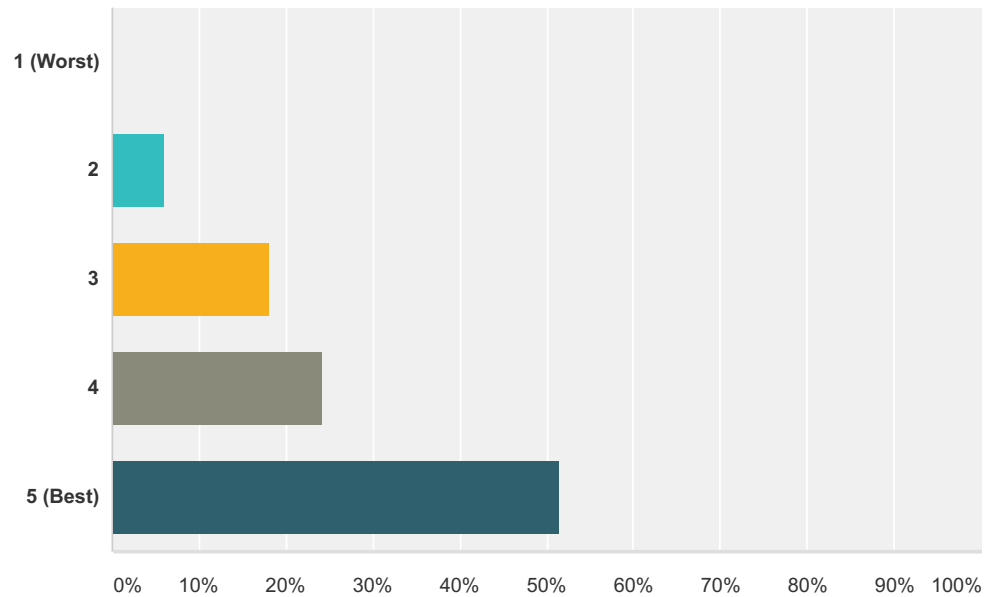
#	Comments	Date
1	It was good. It was a very different approach to self awareness as a leader and it was innovative. I like that it was different.	7/18/2015 11:29 AM
2	Ted was awesome. He brought to light many ways to change our day in a positive way.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
3	This was very calming and needed. I just don't think it should have been as long.	7/14/2015 8:06 AM
4	I did not have a lot of background on "Mindfulness" before his presentation. I wish I had researched the subject before the conference.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
5	More useful information.	7/13/2015 2:04 PM
6	Can't wait to read and learn more about this!	7/12/2015 1:15 PM
7	Some very good thoughts and points, but honestly did not connect with the activities. Was good to remind us to stay in the moment and to take time to focus.... I just did not feel the "meditation" was for me - though I am certain some people found it very useful.	7/11/2015 8:40 AM
8	Wonderful speaker and very timely material!!!	7/10/2015 6:40 PM

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9	A bit much for me, but I did see some value.	7/10/2015 4:24 PM
10	Liked what he had to say but it was a little difficult for me to engage in his demonstrations. Will need to do some research on this but it seems the research proves his points! This would be helpful for everyone!	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
11	Very helpful!	7/10/2015 10:57 AM
12	I was not in this session.	7/10/2015 10:04 AM
13	Very different...out of the box....I liked the break out session for principals. Just got to wrap my head around this one.	7/10/2015 9:24 AM

Q8 How would you rate the value of Ted DesMaison's breakout session "Mindfulness: What Will You Do?"

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0

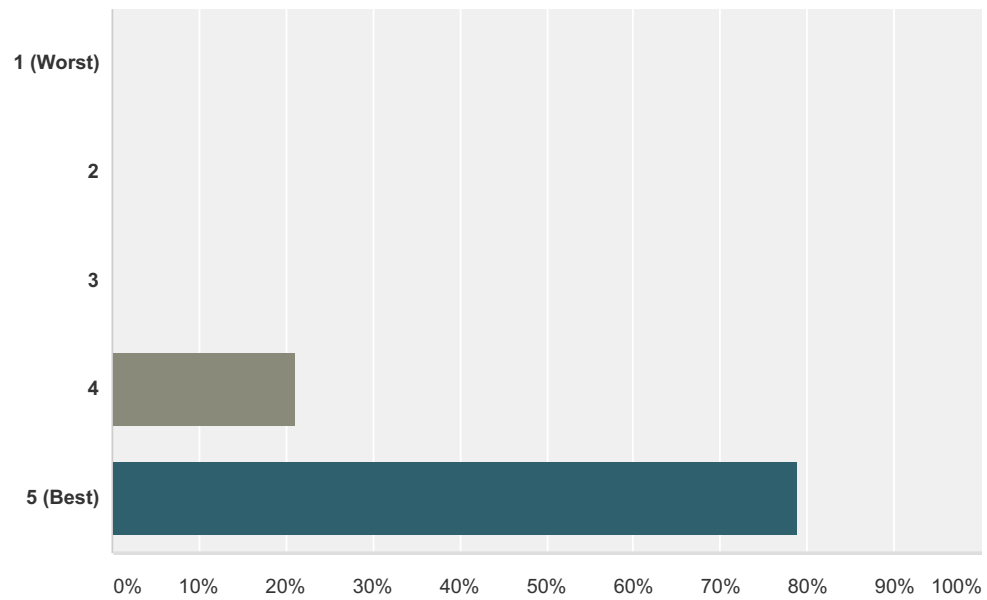


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	6.06% 2
3	18.18% 6
4	24.24% 8
5 (Best)	51.52% 17
Total	33

#	Comments	Date
1	Didn't attend	7/16/2015 3:02 PM
2	I plan to research further and hopefully, practice some of his ideas.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
3	I didn't attend this session.	7/13/2015 11:13 AM
4	More good learning	7/12/2015 1:15 PM
5	did not attend	7/12/2015 12:51 AM
6	A bit long	7/10/2015 4:24 PM
7	This active session incorporated improv and was highly valuable for leaders.	7/10/2015 10:57 AM
8	I will use the second circle stance more often. Made me aware of some things.	7/10/2015 9:24 AM
9	Did not attend this session	7/10/2015 9:14 AM

Q9 How would you rate the value of Kendra Washington-Bass "The Instructional SAM"?

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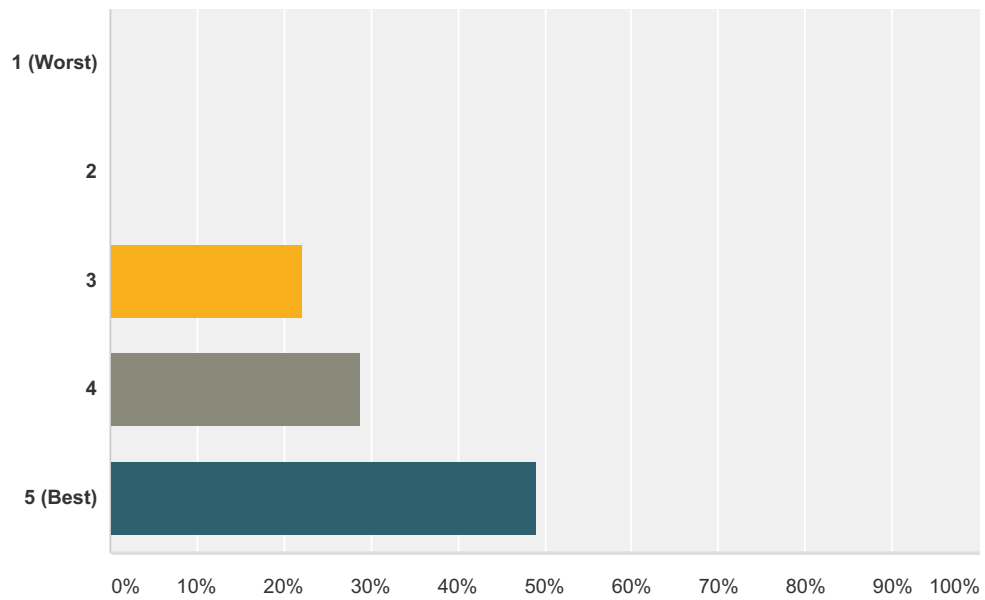


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	0.00% 0
3	0.00% 0
4	21.05% 8
5 (Best)	78.95% 30
Total	38

#	Comments	Date
1	I thoroughly enjoyed Kendra's session. She presented in a fun way that got all the SAMs fired up about getting back to school and helping our principals achieve their goals..... and Rocks.	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
2	She was great. There was information I could bring back to help me as a new SAM.	7/14/2015 8:06 AM
3	n/a	7/14/2015 8:05 AM
4	Love Kendra! She is the best!!!	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
5	Kendra...she always brings it. :-)	7/13/2015 2:04 PM
6	I always learn something new from Kendra!	7/13/2015 8:14 AM
7	Wonderful information for SAMs!	7/13/2015 7:05 AM
8	I always enjoy Kendra and her energy!!	7/10/2015 6:40 PM
9	I loved what Kendra had to say and felt it was right on target for my level and how I can be more helpful to my AP.	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
10	Sorry that I missed it!	7/10/2015 10:04 AM

Q10 How would you rate the value of Avish Parashar's "Ding Happens!"?

Answered: 59 Skipped: 0



Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	0.00% 0
3	22.03% 13
4	28.81% 17
5 (Best)	49.15% 29
Total	59

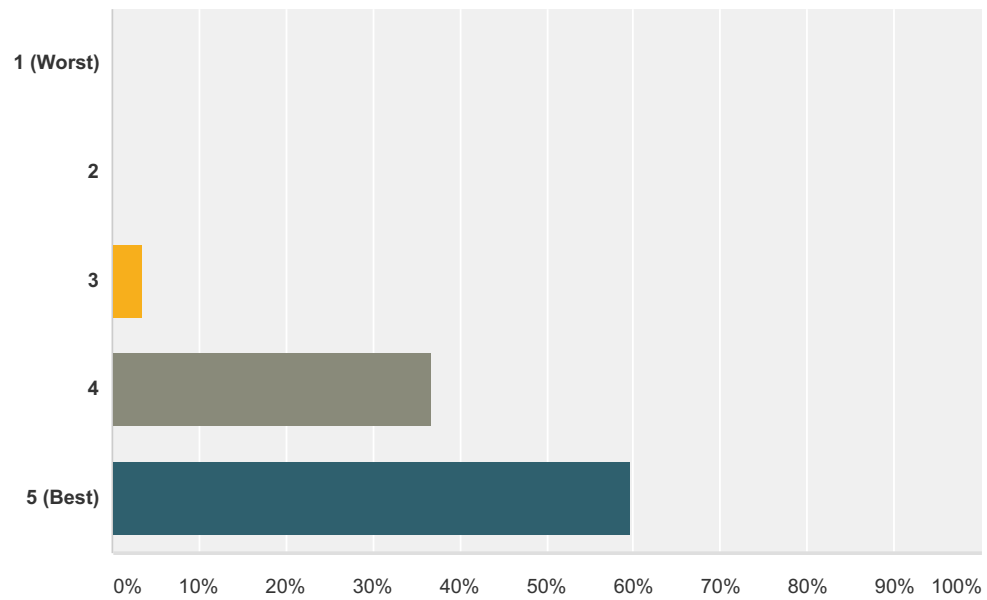
#	Comments	Date
1	Didn't attend	7/16/2015 3:02 PM
2	What a way to go out with a bang!!! Awesome!!	7/15/2015 9:03 AM
3	Wasn't able to stay and attend this session.	7/14/2015 9:02 AM
4	n/a	7/14/2015 8:05 AM
5	Can't wait to read his book!	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
6	That was a perfect way to end the conference. I loved his presentation.	7/13/2015 2:04 PM
7	I didn't attend this session.	7/13/2015 11:13 AM
8	Very engaging!	7/11/2015 8:40 AM
9	Pretty good and usable... yes, and :-)	7/10/2015 4:24 PM
10	He was terrific! What a wonderful way to close out another successful conference!	7/10/2015 1:01 PM
11	Very useful for thought and practice! We will share with our staff.	7/10/2015 10:57 AM

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12	I did not attend this session.	7/10/2015 10:04 AM
13	His improv was amazing. I needed this presentation before lunch!	7/10/2015 9:24 AM

Q11 How would you rate the conference venue?

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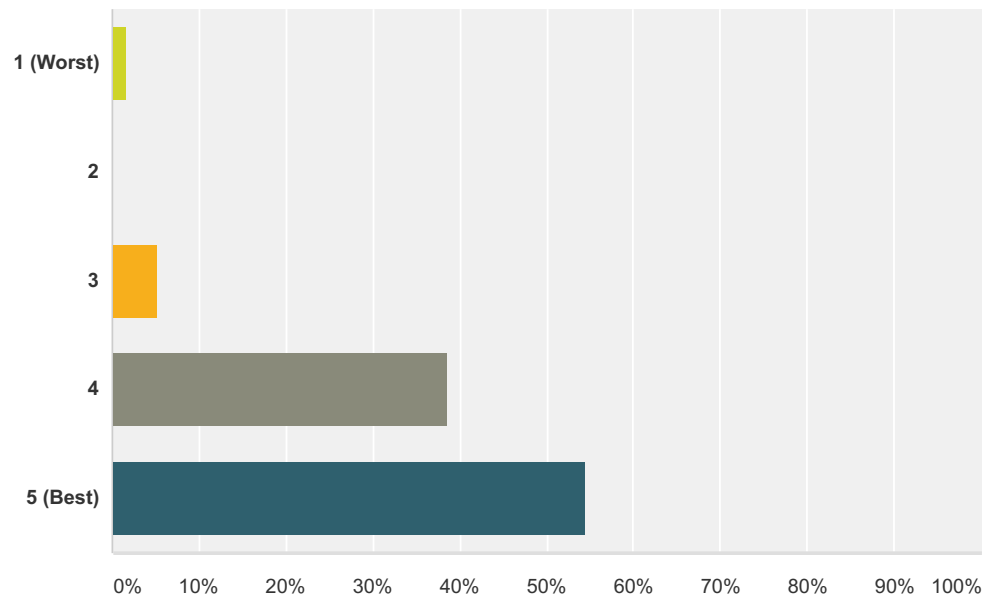


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	0.00% 0
2	0.00% 0
3	3.51% 2
4	36.84% 21
5 (Best)	59.65% 34
Total	57

#	Comments	Date
1	Very relaxing location. The staff is very accommodating making sure all needs are met.	7/15/2015 9:08 AM
2	Very nice. The hotel staff were friendly and helpful.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
3	Very comfortable and relaxing	7/10/2015 6:44 PM
4	It's a great location and very convenient! Love Stone Mountain and the Evergreen! Just wish the meeting rooms weren't always so COLD! I remembered from last year, however, and brought a jacket!	7/10/2015 1:14 PM

Q12 How would you rate the food and beverage?

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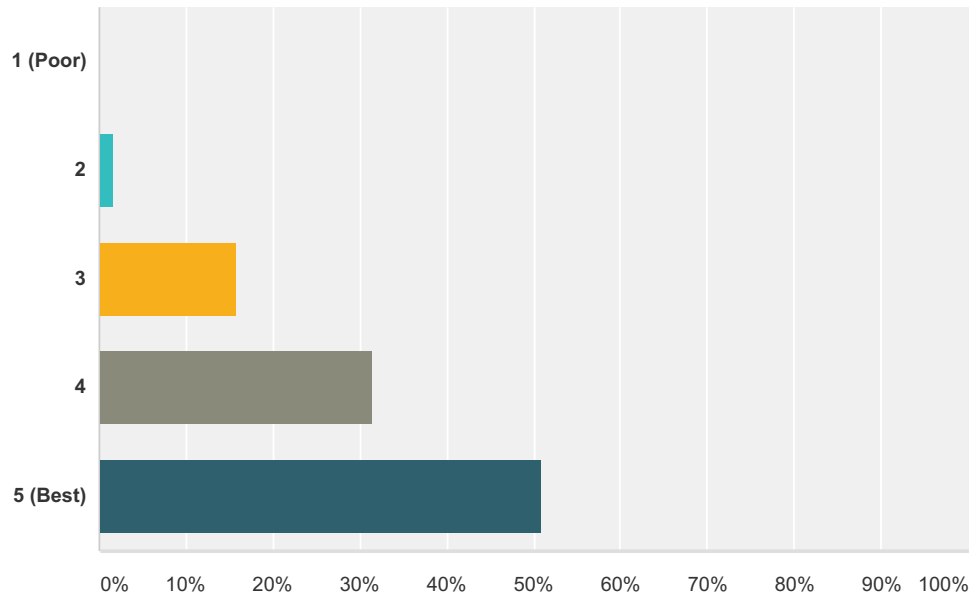


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Worst)	1.75% 1
2	0.00% 0
3	5.26% 3
4	38.60% 22
5 (Best)	54.39% 31
Total	57

#	Comments	Date
1	OVER THE TOP!	7/15/2015 9:08 AM
2	Amazing!!!	7/10/2015 2:51 PM
3	I loved the food last year and I think it was pretty comparable this year. However, I'm on strict dietary restrictions right now so didn't eat much variety. I was some gluten free offerings but wished there was some way to request some 'plain' foods such as grilled, with no added salt, or sugar, gravies, etc. However, I know that's just my particular issue, so I'm sure it was great once again!	7/10/2015 1:14 PM

Q13 How would you rate the entertainment offerings?

Answered: 57 Skipped: 2

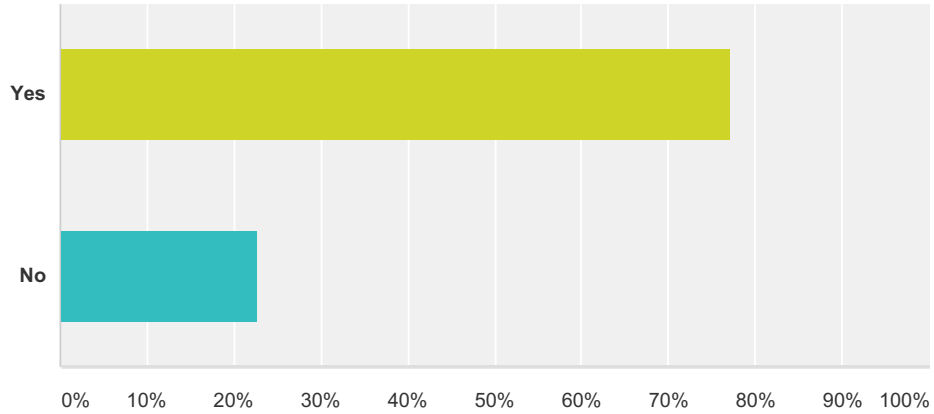


Answer Choices	Responses
1 (Poor)	0.00% 0
2	1.75% 1
3	15.79% 9
4	31.58% 18
5 (Best)	50.88% 29
Total	57

#	Comments	Date
1	Very nice touch.	7/18/2015 11:33 AM
2	Thank you!!!!	7/16/2015 3:27 PM
3	The band was great. Some of the songs they played seemed to go on forever, but overall a great band.	7/15/2015 9:08 AM
4	I did not go to the dance/band, but I enjoyed walking around Stone Mountain.	7/15/2015 7:59 AM
5	Enjoyed the band!	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
6	I liked the band, but I wonder if it would be more fun to have a DJ that would engage the audience and play a variety of music.	7/13/2015 2:07 PM
7	Last year's band was much better.	7/13/2015 8:14 AM
8	LOVE the fact that going to the laser show is an option! I didn't attend the dance, but it seems as if everyone loved that too!	7/10/2015 1:14 PM
9	The band really engaged the audience!	7/10/2015 10:05 AM

Q14 We are considering Calloway Gardens and Lanier Islands as possible locations for the conference next year. Would you like to change the location of the conference?

Answered: 57 Skipped: 2



Answer Choices	Responses
Yes	77.19% 44
No	22.81% 13
Total	57

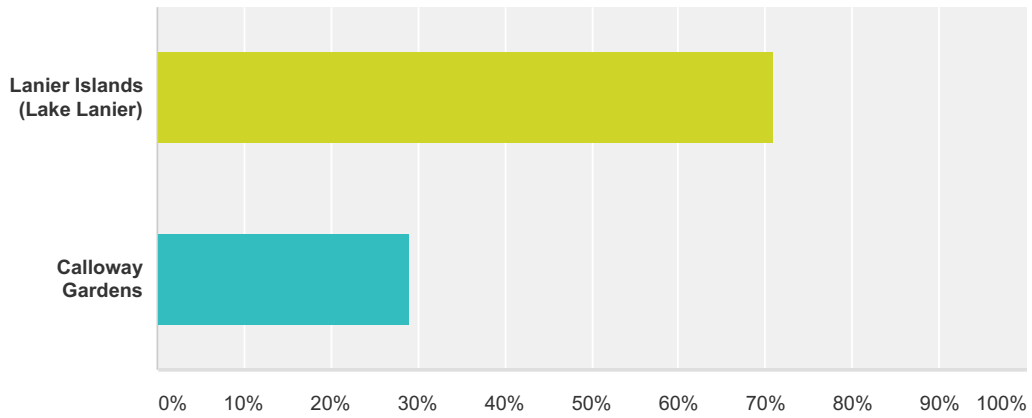
#	Comments	Date
1	Callaway Gardens would be a nice venue change but not necessary. Lanier Islands is extremely crowded with families, etc. during the summer and may not be as peaceful and enjoyable as Evergreen and/or Callaway.	7/18/2015 11:33 AM
2	But I like those two places as well.	7/16/2015 3:27 PM
3	I would be interested in Calloway Gardens. I've heard great things about it and have never been.	7/16/2015 8:22 AM
4	I have no opinion either way.	7/15/2015 9:21 AM
5	Nothing against Stone Mountain, but a change of scenery is always n ice.	7/15/2015 9:08 AM
6	Calloway Gardens is always a nice place to go, has a lot to offer for those of us who don't dance, haha!	7/15/2015 7:59 AM
7	A new place would create interest in returning.	7/14/2015 9:04 AM
8	Stone Mountain was great but I'm sure Lanier and Calloway would be as well.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
9	Stone Mountain is nice and convenient, but a change of venue would be nice.	7/13/2015 2:07 PM
10	Although Stone Mountain is very close to my home and enjoyable, a change would be great.	7/13/2015 8:14 AM
11	Stone Mountain is still great, but it would be fine to try something different if it can be of the same quality... :)	7/11/2015 8:42 AM
12	Stone Mountain is nice, but a change would be welcomed.	7/10/2015 4:26 PM
13	Loved the venue.	7/10/2015 2:51 PM
14	Does not matter...	7/10/2015 1:57 PM
15	Selfishly, I say no because Stone Mountain is SO convenient for me. However, I love Calloway Gardens and Lanier Islands! I still would love to attend!	7/10/2015 1:14 PM

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16	Although Stone Mountain is great for me, I am open to change.	7/10/2015 11:12 AM
17	I like Stone Mountain but a change in venue might be nice too. Would prefer Lanier over Callaway.	7/10/2015 10:37 AM
18	Lanier Islands would be great. I think Calloway would be a step down from Evergreen.	7/10/2015 9:25 AM
19	Not that Evergreen is bad, just a change would be nice.	7/10/2015 9:15 AM

Q15 If the location changes, which would you prefer:

Answered: 55 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses
Lanier Islands (Lake Lanier)	70.91% 39
Calloway Gardens	29.09% 16
Total	55

#	Comments	Date
1	Both are great options	7/20/2015 9:32 AM
2	Lake Lanier is a great venue, but I've been there already a few times for retreats. I would like a new experience.	7/16/2015 8:22 AM
3	I really don't have a preference.	7/15/2015 9:21 AM
4	See above.	7/15/2015 7:59 AM
5	Either would be great.	7/13/2015 3:18 PM
6	The hardest question of all. I'm really 50/50 on those.	7/13/2015 2:07 PM
7	Definitely prefer to be near water if possible. :) It is also very convenient to the metro area.	7/11/2015 8:42 AM
8	Probably Lanier Islands simply because it would be the more convenient of the two for me and probably most of the attendees and maybe even for those flying in. It would be closer for the NC folks too. Also, of the two, Lanier's venue seems most similar to Evergreen. All that aside, I would still like to attend if it was held at Callaway.	7/10/2015 1:14 PM
9	Lanier Islands is top notch...Calloway ...not so much.	7/10/2015 9:25 AM