

All Star One

Conference Evaluations for 2025

The reviews were glowing!

All of our familiar activities were mentioned as someone's favorite and there was great appreciation for all of you who coordinated the conference and who led activities. From the evaluations, it was clear that our conference is a truly collaborative creation.

Activities people liked most ran the gamut from the Led Zeppelin concert to just rocking on the porch to everything in between. The speaker got rave reviews as did the new activities Ali and Phil introduced - Karaoke Night, Name That Tune and the All-Star Challenge.

There was some feedback about *too* many activities, but that's a FOMO issue conferees will have to work out for themselves. We can remind people that, aside from the Fire and Water talk, these are all electives. The very full schedule offered a range of activities for everyone - notably including young adults and family activities.

Among *Activities you'd like to see added* were A Country Dance Night, a return of 15X20 ("if David Epstein is willing"), and an All-Star vs. Pel Volleyball game. There was a question (coming from one of the morning singers) if people like and need the tradition of the morning wake up call. There were some helpful suggestions about the length and shape of Banquet Night, especially with regards to the timing of the ice cream social.

Many kudos to the *Children's Program*! The comment "lovely to be able to drop the kids off with caring and loving people" is a representative response.

There were a number of comments about the conference being "too crowded." This is a conversation governance needs to have with Joe Watts, since it involves finances.

There were a number of specific recommendations and innovations suggested by individuals. Steve and Shelley can explore these with the people who suggested them or volunteered to make them happen.