
ORDINARY COUNCIL

Mayoral Minute

SUBJECT: MAYORAL MINUTE - NARELLAN SPORTS HUB

FROM: The Mayor

TRIM #: 17/312885

Construction of the new outdoor netball complex is now complete as part of the first stage of the Narellan Sports Hub development.

The building of the first stage is the result of an \$11 million commitment by Council to deliver a sporting facility that will fulfil the needs of our growing community, as identified in the Camden Sportsground Strategy 2014.

The development has provided 30 high-quality netball courts and an expansive amenities building that will cater for the growth of this sport in our area with the addition of an additional 14 courts in the future.

Stage one of the Sports Hub has provided:

- Centrally located amenities building that includes canteen, walk-in cool room, meeting rooms, computerised security features, toilets, kitchen and barbecue;
- 30 netball courts;
- Floodlighting;
- Approximately 400 car parking spaces;
- Playground;
- Fencing; and
- Landscaping.

I am pleased that due to excellent financial management Council was able to inject savings from the construction of Council's Administration Building into this project, resulting in the delivery of additional facilities.

I would like to thank and congratulate Camden Council's Major Projects Team and the Sport, Community and Recreation team for their continued commitment to delivering excellent sporting and recreational infrastructure for our community. I would also like to thank the Camden Netball Association for their input into the project. This was truly a collaborative effort between Camden Council and Camden Netball Association.

This new complex is positioned near existing sports grounds and will be extended in a number of stages to include other facilities to cater for a variety of sports and additional informal recreational opportunities, making this a comprehensive sporting venue that the whole Community can enjoy.

The development will ultimately feature athletics facilities, 44 netball courts and a multi-purpose sports ground.

Camden and District Netball Association will be using the courts for the first time for the start of their summer competition on Wednesday 11 October. I would like to wish all the players good luck in the competition and hope that they enjoy their new grounds.

RECOMMENDED

That Council note the information.