

CAMDEN COUNCIL

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Gardener Reserve Handover

Greenfields Development Company and UrbanGrowth NSW officially handed over Gardner Reserve at Oran Park to Camden Council on Thursday 10 April 2014.

The Reserve, which is the first major community facility delivered as part of the Oran Park Voluntary Planning Agreement (VPA), represents a \$3 million development including a sporting field and amenities building.

The Reserve is subject to a unique licensing agreement between Camden Council and Oran Park Anglican College that sees maximum usage of the Reserve. The College has exclusive use of the Reserve between 7am and 5pm Monday to Friday and allows community sporting groups to use the facility outside these hours.

Mayor of Camden, Councillor Lara Symkowiak said she was proud of the arrangement between the Council and the College.

“This licensing arrangement between Council and the College is unique and the first of its kind within the Camden Local Government Area. This agreement allows the College priority use of the Reserve while allowing community sporting groups such as Oran Park Soccer Club, and others, use in the evenings. This means the Reserve is being fully utilised and allows the College to focus on developing high quality education facilities for its students”.

“I would like to thank Greenfields Development Company, UrbanGrowth NSW and Oran Park Anglican College for working so closely with Council to not only deliver a state of the art facility but a unique licensing agreement that will benefit the community” she said.

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