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Epping Ward Update

Message to the Community

Welcome to this newsletter for Epping Ward.

This newsletter will tell you more about our new projects.

The projects make sure that our community has great places to do sports, relax and meet people.

Boronia Grove Community Centre

The new Boronia Grove Community Centre is open.

It has 5 meeting rooms that you can hire.

It also has a room to do arts.

Soon there will be a new cafe.

The centre is close to Epping train station and bus stops.

The project cost almost \$2 million to build.



Councillors Lorraine Wearne, Bill Tyrrell and Donna Davis at Boronia Grove Community Centre

Plain English

Youth Week

Young people from our area ran 3 workshops during Youth Week.

The workshops were on 3 weekends in May.

The workshops were for young people between 13 and 24 years old.

The workshops help them get skills and be more confident.

Young people ran the workshops for other young people.

They did things like drama and drawing.

They also made terrariums which are glasses with plants inside.



Young people making terrariums

Epping Pool

Council got extra money to make Epping pool more fun for kids.

There will be water play things and a shallow pool for little kids.

We will also build

- A 25 metre indoor pool
- A 50 metre outdoor pool with 8 lanes
- Better change rooms

We are still working on the plans for what Epping pool will look like.

The new Epping pool should be finished at the end of 2023.

The project cost over \$25 million to build.

Movie night at Dundas Park

We had a movie night for the opening of the new Alan Hayes Pavilion at Dundas Park.

600 people came to watch the family movie Pokémon Detective Pikachu.

The entry was \$5 and people got a sausage sizzle, a drink and popcorn.

Dundas Park now has a community meeting room that you can hire. There is a kiosk, new lights and barbecues.

The project cost \$2.1 million to build.



People from the community watching a movie at Dundas Park

Epping Library and Leisure and Learning Centre

We will make the library and the Leisure and Learning Centre better.

We want the centre to have more space.

The Leisure and Learning Centre will get more meeting rooms and better toilets.

Work will start in August 2021.

Work should be finished by February 2022.

We will try not to bother students or other people in the library when we do the work.

The project cost \$1 million to build.



We will make Epping Library better

Councillors Bill Tyrrell, Lorraine Wearne and Donna Davis with Taj Mawass at the Long Hai Day service

Long Hai Day

We had a service for Long Hai Day on 28 February 2021.

Long Hai Day was 51 years ago during the war in Vietnam.

It was also called Operation Hammersley.

We wanted to remember the soldiers that were there that day.

During the service we put up 2 signs to remember the soldiers and the things they have done.

The first sign is for Alan William Ahean. He was killed in South Vietnam on 14 May 1970.

He was a soldier in the 8th Battalion of the Australian army.

Alan was from Epping and went to Epping Boys High School.

The other sign is for all the soldiers of the 8th Battalion.

We want to remember them and the things they have done.

Yates Avenue Shops

We made Yates Avenue shops better.

It is now easier to find your way around and to get to Dundas Park.

We made a new entry wall with a sign for Dundas Park.

There are new picnic tables and benches.

It is also easier to find the toilet blocks.



Netball court at Yates Avenue in Dundas Park

Councillors Donna Davis, Lorraine Wearne and Bill Tyrrell at Pennant Hills Road

Better Pennant Hills Road

We want to make the part of Pennant Hills Road that goes through Carlingford look the same.

We made the path that joins Carlingford Court and Carlingford Village safer for people to walk.

There is a new seat and a new fence to keep people safe from cars.

A better Carlingford Oval

We got almost \$500 thousand to make Carlingford Oval better.

There will be new lights and better drains.

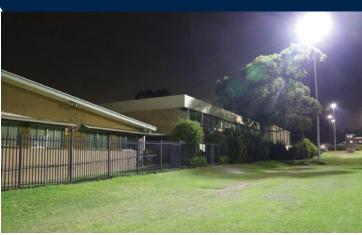
The lights were put up in time for the football season.

Council worked together with Roselea Football Club on this project.

We got some ideas from Carlingford High School and the NSW Department of Education and Training.



Carlingford Oval before the changes



Carlingford Oval with new lights and drains



Lord Mayor Councillor Bob Dwyer, Lady Mayoress Jenny Dwyer, Councillors Bill Tyrrell, Donna Davis and Lorraine Wearne with John Alexander MP and members of the Roselea Football Club



Players from Roselea Football Club practice under the new lights



We put new plants outside Epping Hotel.

We also put new plants at the bottom of the stairs from Epping Station along Beecroft Road.

The new plants cost \$2,000.

New plants next to Beecroft Road in Epping

Council wants to know what you think about our project newsletter.

Scan the QR code to get to the survey or go to

qrco.de/punsfeedback

To look at a map with all the projects in your area go to

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