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Have your say

Draft Plan of Management and Master Plan for Petersham Park

In March 2020, we sought your input on how to care for and manage Petersham Park over the next 10 years. That feedback has been combined with expert advice and other information in the draft Plan of Management (POM) and Master Plan. The drafts are now on public exhibition for community comment – did we capture your ideas?

Key proposals in the draft Plan of Management and Master Plan include:

- Expansion of the playground with new nature play facilities, wild-play elements and additional seating
- Upgrade to the oval scoreboard
- Native meadow planting to improve habitat for native wildlife including Petersham Park's bandicoot population
- Upgrade of furniture and signage to present a consistent palette throughout the park
- Installation of Water Sensitive Urban Design (WSUD) infrastructure to help manage overland flow from Brighton Street to the oval.

Renaming of the oval grandstand

We're also engaging on a proposal to update the name of the oval grandstand to reflect contributions from local sporting heroes. In consultation with the families involved, we are planning to re-name the "D. Seddon Memorial Grandstand" to "The Hughes family-Dudley Seddon Memorial Grandstand". This retains the Seddon name and adds that of the Hughes family in recognition of their contribution to the Petersham Cricket Club.

"We're now seeking your feedback on these important plans. Please take time to look at and make a submission on the proposals for Petersham Park, as it, along with all the open spaces in the Inner West, belongs to you,"

- Councillor Rochelle Porteous, Inner West Mayor.



Read the full draft documents

There are two ways you can inspect the documents during public exhibition:

1. Download a copy from yoursay.innerwest.nsw.gov.au
2. Contact Vanessa Phillips, Landscape Planner, by phone on 9335 2267 or email vanessa.phillips@innerwest.nsw.gov.au to request a paper copy posted to your address.

Hardcopies of POM documents are available to view at the following locations:

- Ashfield Service Centre, 260 Liverpool Road, Ashfield. Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5pm
- Leichhardt Service Centre, 7-15 Wetherill Street, Leichhardt. Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5pm
- Petersham Service Centre, 2-14 Fisher Street, Petersham. Monday to Friday 8.30am to 5pm
- Balmain Library, 370 Darling Street, Balmain. Monday to Thursday 9am to 7.30pm, Friday 9am to 5.30pm, Saturday and Sunday 10am to 5pm.

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- Online at yoursay.innerwest.nsw.gov.au
- By mail addressed to: Inner West Council, PO Box 14, Petersham 2049, ATTN Vanessa Phillips.
- Email your feedback to vanessa.phillips@innerwest.nsw.gov.au with the subject line 'Petersham Park POM: Feedback'

Final day for submissions is **1 December 2021**.

Enquiries

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