

Derby Street Reserve Improvement Works

We're upgrading Derby Street Reserve to create spaces for everyone to play!

What we're doing

We are carrying out our valuable upgrades at Derby Street Reserve to provide new facilities and recreational spaces for all ages and abilities in a safe and inclusive environment.

Works will be carried out in three stages.

Stage One will include the upgrade of the existing tennis courts to include:

- A multipurpose basketball, netball and futsal court
- Two recreational tennis courts
- Sheltered viewing area with bench seating
- New footpath connecting to Derby Street
- New public toilets

Stage Two will include a new purpose-built play and recreation environment which will include:

- Junior and senior play areas
- Nature play area
- New outdoor exercise equipment
- Covered picnic area with new BBQ and drinking fountain
- New hit-up wall
- Informal recreational lawn areas
- Landscaped garden
- Tree planting
- Connecting path network
- Perimeter fencing
- New carpark with lighting

Stage Three / Future Stage

Community engagement will take place to address the future development of the BMX Track and other opportunities for this space.

Why we are doing it

To provide the community with quality recreational open space for all ages and abilities to meet and socialise in a safe, inviting and relaxed environment.

Improve Recreational and Open Space Parkland

Create more defined recreational and social areas by upgrading the existing playspace, provide new activity areas to include a hit-up wall, fitness station, family picnic and BBQ areas.

Equitable Play

Derby Street Reserve will include a range of activities and equipment for all ages and abilities in a safe and inclusive environment.

Improve Access and Connectivity

New footpath and safe pedestrian entry points will be provided to connect the activity areas to improve pedestrian access and movement.

Following community feedback in 2021 Hume City Council has worked on improving the design for the park. The car park will now be relocated to the west and front of the park, and fitted with new lighting to improve site access and navigation.

Encourage sustainability and biodiversity

Selective tree planting species and landscaping will provide extra canopy, shade and microclimate in response to the heat island effect in urban centres and to provide habitat value and encourage biodiversity in the reserve.

More information about this project can be found by visiting projects@hume.vic.gov.au



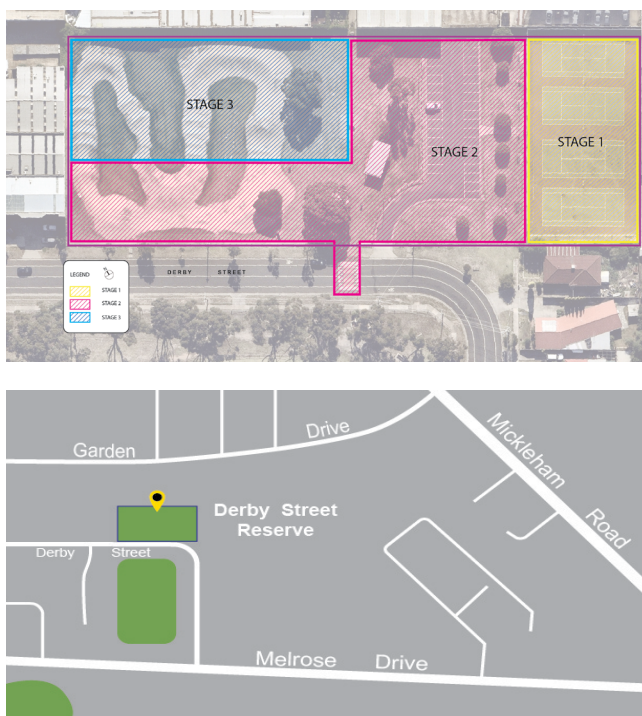
**Derby Street Reserve is located at
26-38 Derby Street, Tullamarine**

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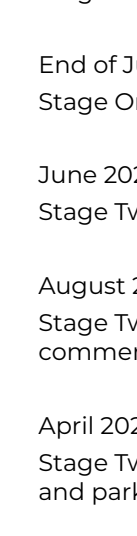
Derby Street Reserve Master Plan



Implementation plan by stages



Timeline

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- April 2022
Stage One construction commenced
- End of June 2023
Stage One construction completion
- June 2023
Stage Two construction tender
- August 2023
Stage Two construction commencement
- April 2024
Stage Two estimated completion and park opening
- 2024
Engagment for Stage Three BMX site redevelopment