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Introduction

Sport and recreation is an important part of life for all communities. It's great for socialisation and everyone in the community can get involved - all ages, all abilities, from any address or background.



1.1

WHY A SPORT & RECREATION PLAN?

Being active is good for health and well-being and brings many different benefits to people as individuals, teams, communities, or as part of a whole region.

Blayney Shire Council plays a fundamental role in local sport and recreation as owner and manager of many sport and recreation assets in the Shire. The Blayney Shire Sport and Recreation Plan (the SRP) has been created as a tool to assist Council in meeting its responsibilities to support, encourage and maintain sport and recreation networks across the Shire. The SRP will provide Council with guidance on the right amount and types of facilities available to meet the demands of the Shire; how these assets are best maintained; and that clubs and organisations are supported where possible. In this way, the SRP will seek to increase participation in sports and recreational pursuits, for the overall benefit of the community and individuals.

Through community inputs – from the general public and participants, to the different sporting clubs, organisations and committees – as well as from technical inputs, the SRP identifies different priorities for the community, and options to fund and deliver them.

The SRP has been created to be consistent with the Community Strategic Plan, Council's Delivery, Operational and Asset Management Plans, and other Council strategies and policies.

The SRP consists of six components:

1. A summary of consultation and technical findings
2. Aspirations for sport and recreation within the Shire, as a visioning direction for the SRP
3. Definition of the Shire-wide strategic network
4. Detailed strategies for assets by village
5. Funding options
6. Implementation plan

The SRP will meet the recreation needs of the population for the next 15 years.

1.2

BACKGROUND & CONTEXT

Blayney Shire is located in the beautiful rural heartland of central NSW. The shire's main town centre Blayney, is supported by the surrounding villages and localities of Barry, Carcoar, Hobbys Yards, Lyndhurst, Mandurama, Millthorpe, Neville and Newbridge.

Currently infrastructure and facilities for more formal sporting pursuits are concentrated in Blayney and Millthorpe and as a rural area, equestrian sports are popular, although soccer, cricket, rugby and netball are all a big part of local fixtures. A number of State forests and crown reserves are accessible in the Shire, along with the Belubula River and its tributaries, providing opportunities for outdoor, unstructured recreation pursuits in natural and open space settings.

The geographic spread of the population, differences in socio-economic status, physical ability and work patterns are identifiable influences on the shire's residents' participation in sport and activity. In this context it is important that the outcomes of the SRP include optimising opportunities for recreation for all residents of the Shire. Rising inactivity in Australians has long reaching negative impacts on quality of life and health and is relevant to all three tiers of government. Through this SRP Blayney Shire will position itself to reverse these impacts and encourage active and healthy lifestyles for all people in its community.

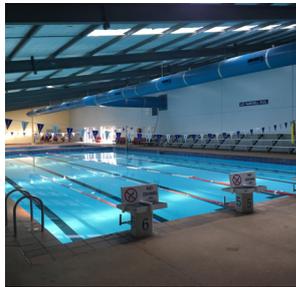
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WHAT COUNCIL ASSETS MAKE UP THE SPORT AND RECREATION NETWORK?

BLAYNEY



Blayney Showground



Centrepoint



Carrington Park



Dakers Oval



Heritage Park



King George Oval + Netball



Napier Oval



Frogs Hollow reserve



- Other community parks:
- Apex Park (Gilchrist St, shown)
 - Albert Cook Park
 - Medway Street Park
 - Blayney High School
 - Blayney Bowls Club and Blayney Golf Club

BARRY



Former school and paths

NEVILLE



Neville Showground (not Council owned)

CARCOAR



Carcoar Sports Ground



Kurt Fearnley Park



Carcoar Showground (not Council owned)

LYNDHURST



Recreation Ground camping



Capital Park

MILLTHORPE



Redmond Oval



Mill Green Garden reserve

+ Glenorie Road off-leash dog area

MANDURAMA



Mandurama Recreation Ground

NEWBRIDGE



Newbridge Recreation Ground



02

Community Consultation

The display days allowed the public to ask questions of the planners and to have a little fun: with a difficult test of sporting skill, involving bowling pins, a cricket bat and a plastic ball...

2.1 ENGAGEMENT PROGRAM

As part of developing the Blayney Shire Sport and Recreation Plan (SRP), Blayney Shire Council invited the community and different sporting organisations to participate in early conversations and provide input to help plan for the future of sport and recreation in Blayney.

The consultation program included the public issue of a discussion paper, a community online survey, a survey for other stakeholders, one-on-one interviews, public displays and a vision workshop.

The SRP will respond to demand and supply requirements for sport and recreation facilities across the shire, and the feedback from community and other stakeholders helps identify what's here, what's needed and what the different priorities for the community are.

A full summary of consultation results is provided in preceding works. Please refer to *Community Consultation Summary* (Place Design Group, July 2017), *Research and Engagement Report* (WRI June 2017), and *Discussion Paper* (PDG and WRI, May 2017).

A vision statement as an output of the vision workshop has been adopted by this SRP

2.2 EMERGING CONSULTATION THEMES

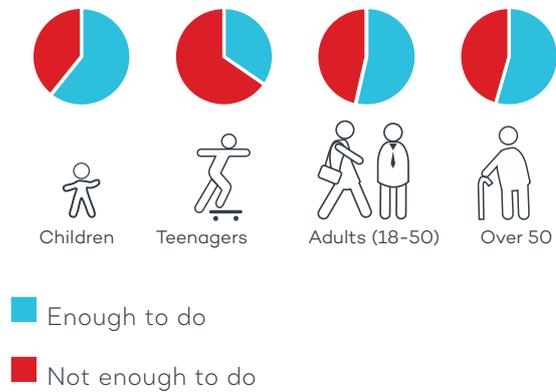
Emerging strategic themes have been identified from the community feedback. The themes have assisted in categorising strategic actions in the following sections of the SRP.

Strategic theme	Includes	Suggested importance
Operational infrastructure	Identification of new or upgraded infrastructure for the purpose of operating formal sporting activity (surfaces, line markings, goal posts etc.)	Most important in terms of core operation functions and service required to enable a particular sport or recreation activity to be played.
Amenity infrastructure	Identification of new or upgraded infrastructure ancillary to the operation of sporting activity (toilets, change rooms, canteens, seating etc. noting that car parking and access are categorised separately as a theme Access - circulation)	Important in achieving high quality standards of service for core functions of operational infrastructure, through infrastructure that supports this.
Access - circulation	Identification of issues pertaining to access and circulation for pedestrians, vehicles, and cyclists	Third most important, physical accessibility is considered fundamental to encouraging participation through ensuring access is easy.
Access - all abilities	Identification of issues pertaining to access and circulation for mobility impaired users	Of equal importance, physical accessibility for people of all abilities is an improved expansion of the previous theme.
Access - affordability	Identification of issues pertaining to affordability of access to paid facilities or events	Following in importance, ensuring access to facilities is possible for all income levels, again, expands accessibility and maximises opportunities for participation.
Access - management	Identification of issues pertaining to access for specific user groups owing to management, policy or organisation of facility or events	Encouraging participation through policy, promotion and awareness, or direct management can be helpful but is not critical to most opportunities for participation.
Maintenance	Issues pertaining to the ongoing maintenance and keeping of infrastructure components, including landscaping, grounds keeping, servicing and building repairs	Less important in terms of immediate delivery of sport and recreation opportunities, however important over the long term and for Council's objectives for sustainable service.
New facility	Identification of need for whole new facility or site for facility (does not include upgrades or new infrastructure for existing facilities)	It is noted that this theme was identified out of consultation discussions, however supply and demand indicators did not find immediate demand for any entire new facility.

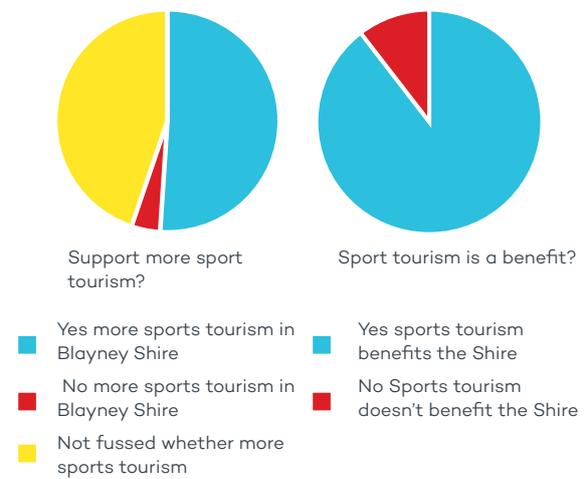
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INDICATIONS OF COMMUNITY NEED

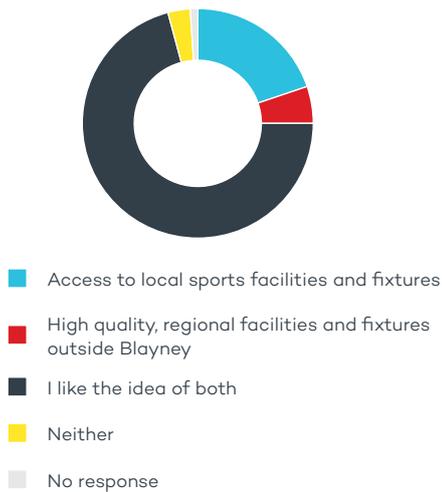
DO YOU THINK THERE'S ENOUGH FOR PEOPLE TO DO?



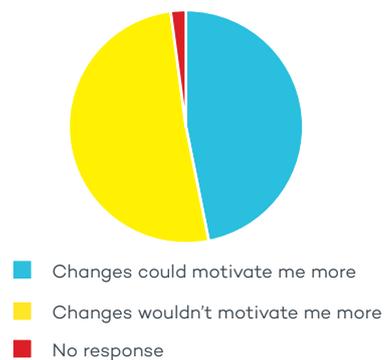
DO YOU SUPPORT MORE SPORTS TOURISM IN THE SHIRE?



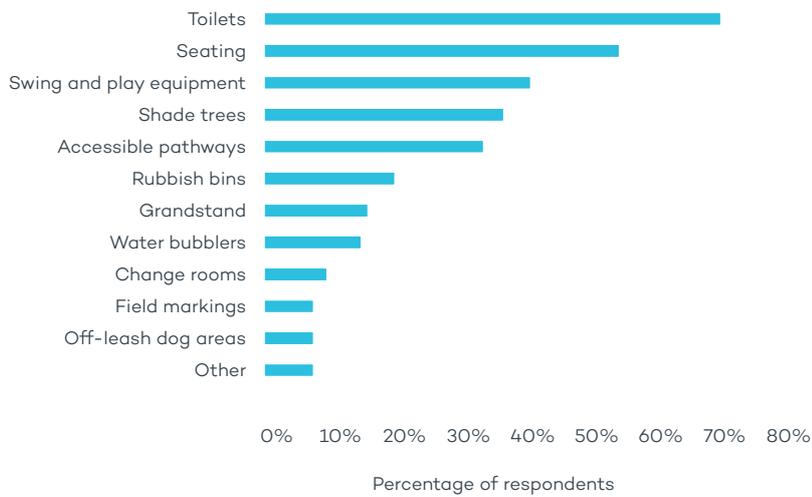
WHAT IS MORE IMPORTANT?



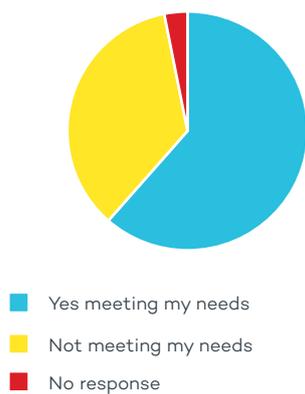
WHAT WOULD MOTIVATE YOU TO BE MORE ACTIVE?



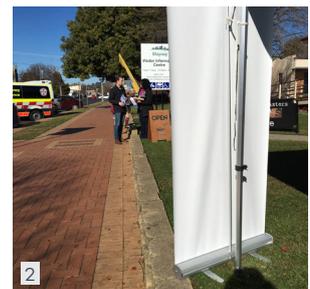
WE ASKED YOU TO THINK ABOUT THE MOST IMPORTANT ELEMENTS OF YOUR MOST USED PARK, FACILITY OR GROUNDS...



AND WHETHER THESE WERE MEETING YOUR NEEDS...



CONSULTATION ACTIVITIES



1. Pop up engagement Blayney Farmers Market
2. Talking to the community on Adelaide St
3. Getting everyone involved
4. Vision workshop

A photograph of an indoor swimming pool with several people swimming. The pool is divided into lanes by blue lane lines. The ceiling has a grid of lights, and there are blue pennant banners hanging from the ceiling. The overall lighting is a cool blue tone.

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Aspirations for
the Blayney
Shire Sport and
Recreation Plan

The Blayney Shire Sport and Recreation Plan will aspire to guide and facilitate a complementary sport and recreation network for the Shire, universally accessible to all parts of the community, to encourage participation for all.

In aspiring and creating a complementary and accessible network of sport and recreation assets, the benefits of health, well-being, social capital and pride in Blayney's sport and recreational community can be realised for the Shire.

Participation through active and passive recreation, formal and informal sport, training, spectating, or volunteering will be supported through the Blayney Shire SRP aspiring to deliver a diverse range of activities for participation through the whole Shire.

The Blayney Shire SRP will provide a strategy for Council's efficient and cost-effective delivery of the right infrastructure, in the right place. It will prioritise multi-purpose, integrated facility planning to ensure robust outcomes for assets is achieved.

The Blayney Shire SRP will establish priorities and program works for key assets in accordance with relevant strategies and concept master plans for major facilities.

A rider in profile, wearing a dark helmet and jacket, is riding a dark horse in a dressage arena. The horse is in motion, and a white cone with the letter 'R' is visible in the background. The scene is dimly lit, suggesting dusk or dawn.

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Strategies of
the Blayney
Shire SRP

4.1

SHIRE-WIDE NETWORK OF ASSETS



Map 1. Blayney Shire sport and recreation network

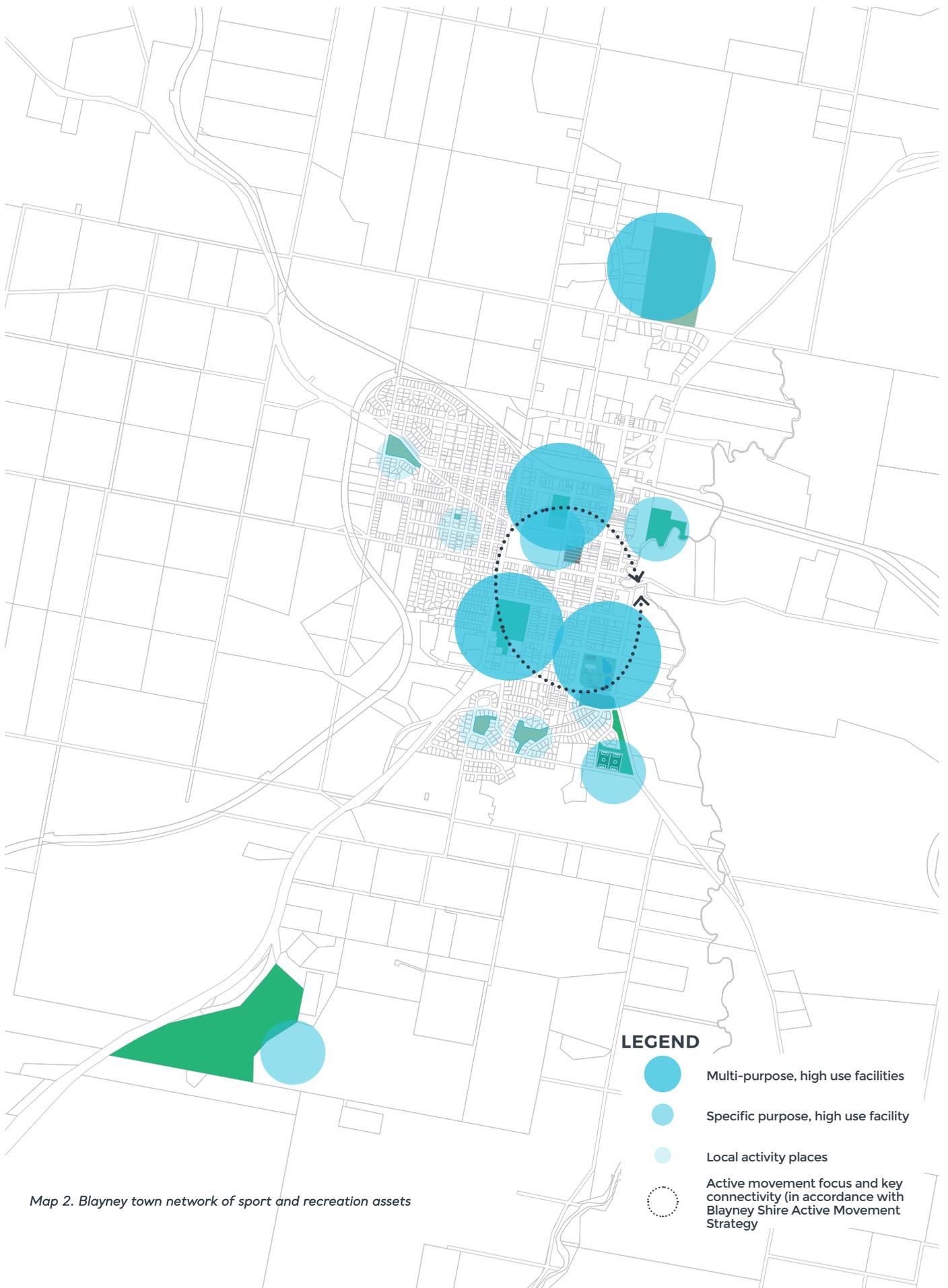
LEGEND			
	ACTIVE MOVEMENT		DISTRICT PARK
	PICNIC AND RELAXATION		SPORTS TOURISM
	REGIONAL COMPETITION		QUALITY TRAINING
	DISTRICT COMPETITION		LOCAL ACTIVITY
	REGIONAL PARK		FAMILY ACTIVITY

The map above shows a network classification and intended sport and recreation character of each town and village in the shire. The network hierarchy informs the aspirations and strategies for each place and its assets, and is simply classified as:

- » Regional
- » District
- » Local

It's a hierarchy that will assist Council in its decision making, and reinforces the overall principle, that is to provide efficient servicing for the whole Shire, in a complementary and equitable way.

Each village character will be supported through Council works and investment, and improved quality and range of services can be more efficiently delivered in higher order areas of service.



Map 2. Blayney town network of sport and recreation assets

4.2

BLAYNEY TOWN ASSETS

Similar to the Shire-wide network just described, the SRP addresses the assets in Blayney town as an integrated strategic network. This means the strategy for each asset focuses on aspirations for the individual asset, within a complementary network.

Links and circulation between key assets will be prioritised according to the network plan, and key strategic actions are prioritised within this network plan, as well as in accordance with the overall SRP aspiration. Each asset will play a role within the concentrated opportunities of the Blayney town network to accommodate and coordinate the sport and recreation needs for all of the Blayney Shire.

Similar considerations for complementary functions of assets in the surrounding villages is also intended for the greater Blayney Shire, although physical links and integration will not necessarily be a component.

The proposed network hierarchy for Blayney town is described in Map 2.

Proposed as the regional attractor for sport and recreation of the shire, the Blayney town network is intended to promote the following sport and recreation characters within the Shire-wide network:

ACTIVE MOVEMENT – assets support the maximisation of opportunities for participation and active movement

REGIONAL COMPETITION – standards of sports facilities are provided to a standard suitable for hosting regional competition in identified focus sporting sectors (equestrian, rugby league, soccer, cricket)

SPORTS TOURISM – planning and attraction of more sports events that promote participation, spectating and visitation from other parts of the region or state.

REGIONAL PARKS – parks are provided to a standard that attract visitation from across the region or state, such as Heritage Park

QUALITY TRAINING PROGRAMS – training programs for identified focus sporting sectors are upheld to the highest quality and can be respected across the region

PICNIC AND RELAXATION – open spaces providing opportunity for passive recreation, informal activity or engagement with nature

LOCAL ACTIVITY – lower order spaces and facilities that provide for local residents' informal activity, are easy to access and provide minor features such as playground equipment or picnic tables.

The following section details the strategies for each of Blayney's (town) assets, describing how they contribute to the sport and recreation characters being sought.

Aspiration *The Blayney Showground will be a destination facility for equestrian sports, including competition, training, and specialised events, promoting high standards of equestrian sportsmanship, as well as promoting Blayney as a regionally recognised centre of excellence for equestrian activities.*

Will contribute to 

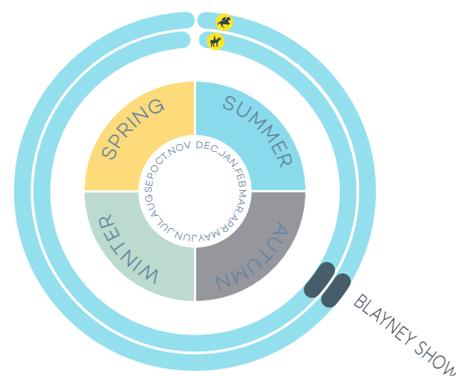
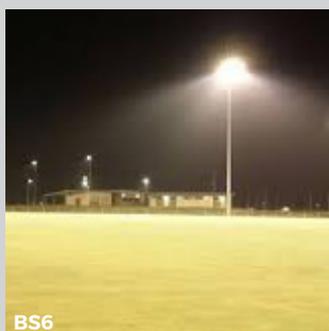
Key sport and recreation functions Equestrian, dressage, harness racing

Sport and recreation user groups Central West Dressage, Carcoar and District Pony Club, Orange Equestrian Club, Blayney Trotting Association

Other user groups Blayney Agricultural and Pastoral Association

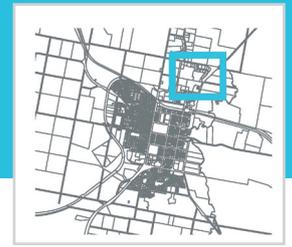
STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	BS1	Re-locate soccer infrastructure to Napier Oval	Expansion of Napier Oval grounds	Council budget Grant application
	BS2	Construct multi-purpose covered arena	-	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	BS3	Provide cross country jumps	Detailed design	Grant application Club contributions
Amenity infrastructure	BS4	Provide sealed car parking	Funding	Council budget Club contributions
	BS5	Provide spectator seating	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	BS6	Upgrade and extend lighting system in accordance with renewed areas of circulation	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Club contributions
	BS7	Upgrade stables	Funding	Grant application Club contributions
	BS8	Upgrade camping facilities	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Grant application Club contributions
	BS9	Renovate club house dining facility	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	BS10	Entry statement and tree-scaping for improved visual qualities	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
Access - circulation	BS11	Provide circuit road to improve access and on-site circulation	Detailed design	Council budget
Access - management	BS12	Market facilities as regional destination for equestrian sports, as upgrades occur	Achieving necessary qualities through upgrades	Council budget

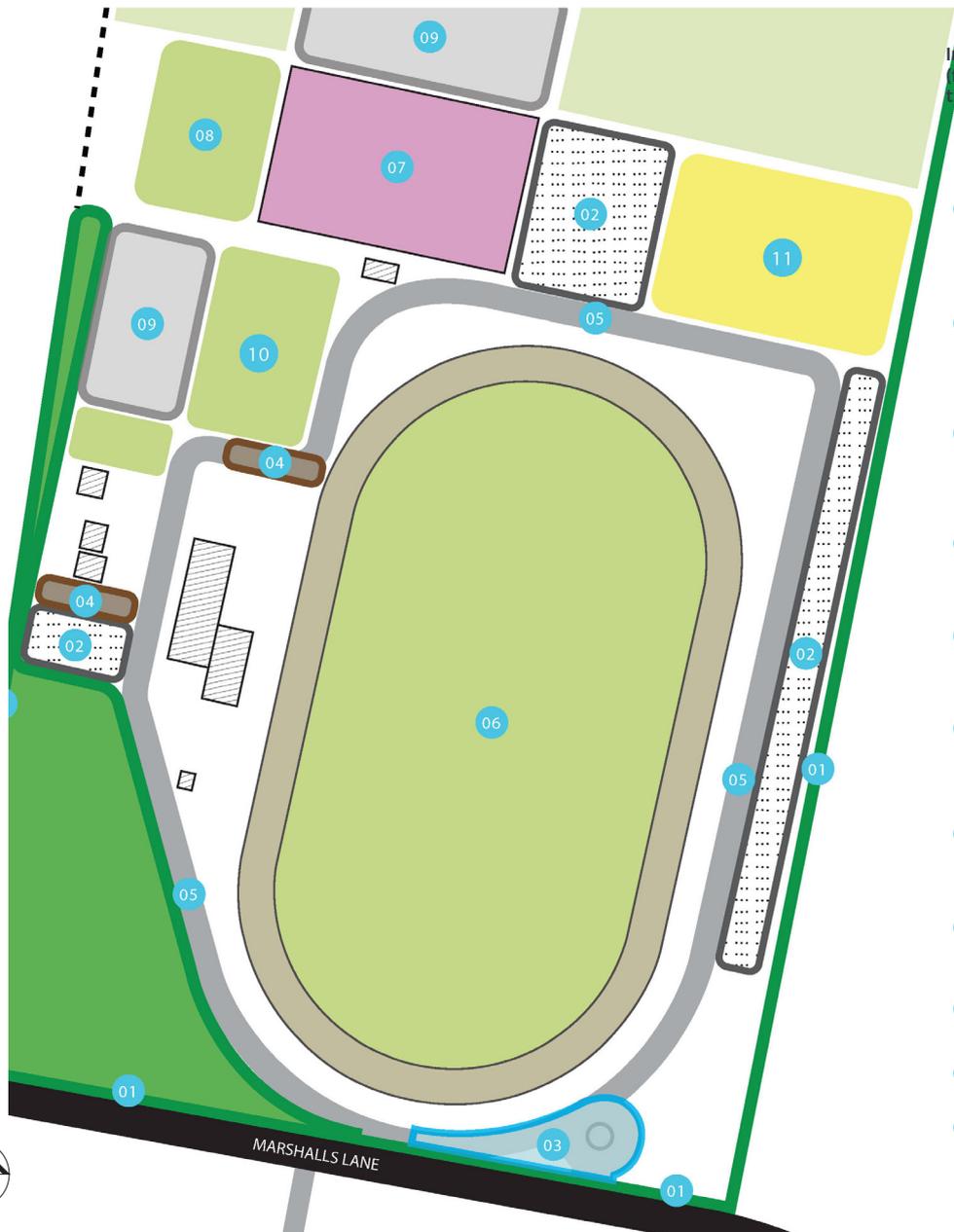


BS Blayney Showground

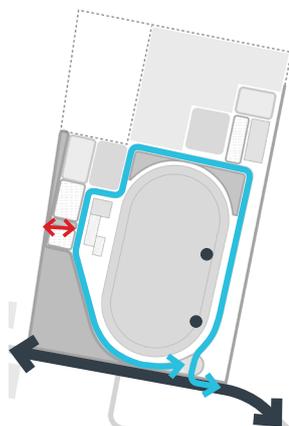
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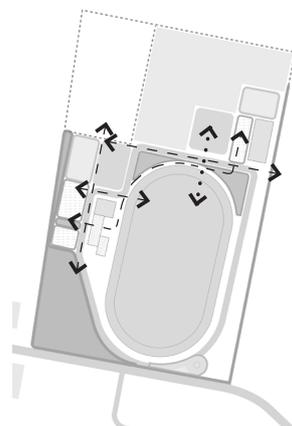
Indicative responses (final locations to be determined through detailed design stages)



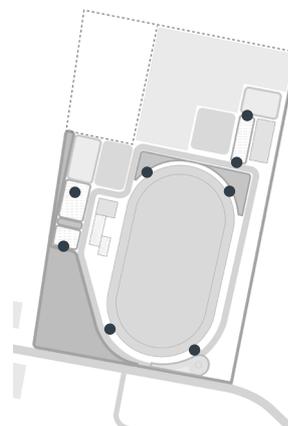
- 01 Proposed avenue of street trees enhancing the streetscape character and visually connecting the open space to the surrounding community.
- 02 Proposed surface car parks, entry and exit off the proposed new Showground circuit road.
- 03 Proposed main roundabout entry off Marshalls Lane. Entry to accommodate an entry statement or feature element defining the main entry into the showground.
- 04 Proposed location for maintenance/ service and emergency vehicle access, removable bollards used to restrict access.
- 05 Proposed circuit road providing better circulation and ease of access for horse trailers.
- 06 Existing harness racing track to remain with opportunities for the internal space to be used for community/ regional events
- 07 Proposed location of a new all weather horse riding arena, accommodating a 80m x 50m circuit.
- 08 Potential locations for additional dressage arenas and warm up areas.
- 09 Upgraded and consolidated stable areas for use during events.
- 10 Horse trailer parking area to remain
- 11 Existing location of (newly installed) outdoor sand arenas to be retained



Vehicular Circulation and proposed parking locations



Pedestrian Circulation



Potential Lighting Opportunities 'CPTED Principles'

LEGEND

- Existing and proposed buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Service/ maintenance access
- Horse stables
- Openspace/ recreation area



Carrington Park

STRATEGY

Aspiration *Carrington Park will be recognised as a place of memorial and monument, continuing to provide for community functions and family oriented activity, and framed by formal gardens extending from its grand gates and their respectful purpose.*

Will contribute to

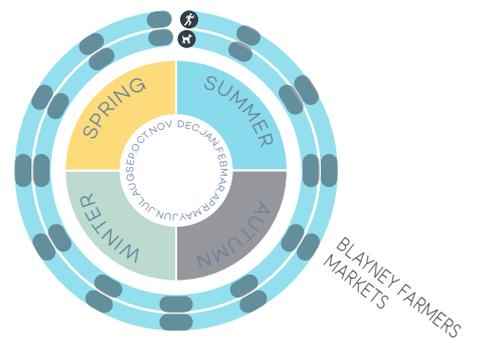
Key sport and recreation functions Memorial park, central open space, children’s playground, picnic and BBQ facilities

Sport and recreation user groups General public recreation

Other user groups Returned Services League, and Blayney farmers markets

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	CP1	Incorporate playground equipment for under-3-year-olds	-	Council budget Grant application
Access - affordability	CP2	Incorporate 2-3 outdoor gym stations along Osman Street as extension to Centrepoint ‘fitness’ precinct and to encourage active movement as part of central town assets (Centrepoint-Carrington Park- Blayney High School-King George Oval)	Detailed landscape design Active Movement Strategy works	Council budget Grant application
Access - management	CP3	Review policy on after-hours access to toilet facilities	-	Council resources
Maintenance	CP4	Ensure power, lighting and water services are maintained	-	Council budget





Aspiration *Centrepoint will provide all year swimming infrastructure, along with dry courts, weights room, aerobics room and Scouts Hall, encouraging community access to performance coaches or trainers where facility upgrades renew quality and community satisfaction with paid entry.*

Will contribute to

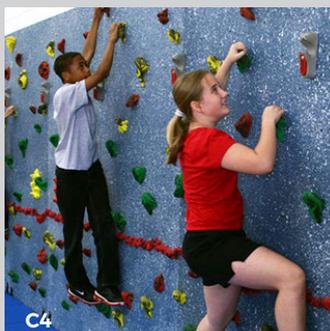
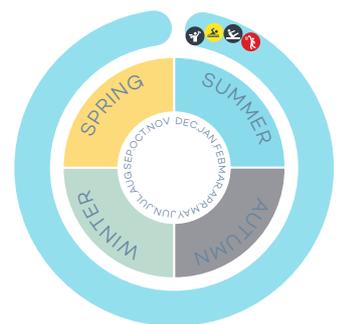
Key sport and recreation functions Indoor pool and fitness centre

Sport and recreation user groups General public recreation, Blayney basketball, Blayney Volleyball, Swimming club

Other user groups -

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	C1	Provide interactive children's water playground	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	C2	Provide wet level pool deck	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	C3	Provide family change room	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
Amenity infrastructure	C4	Consider more dynamic activities e.g. climbing wall	To be considered in detailed design of Major upgrade works	Council budget
Access - all abilities	C5	Provide disabled access in the middle pool	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	C6	Upgrade to unisex toilets	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
Access - management	C7	Advance swimming coaching to provide highest quality core service area to inspire all abilities participation as well as competitive performance	-	Council budget





Dakers Oval

STRATEGY

Aspiration *Dakers Oval will provide for an upgraded, central open space sports ground for the purpose of showcasing cricket matches and providing some multi-purpose amenity, in close proximity to the town centre.*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Cricket fixtures and general open space

Sport and recreation user groups Blayney cricket, dog walkers, general public

Other user groups -

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

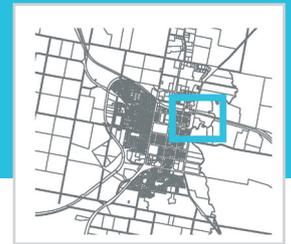
Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	DO1	Provide practice cricket nets	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
Amenity infrastructure	DO2	Provide amenities block with change rooms	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	DO3	Provide fencing	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	DO4	Provide toilets	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	DO5	Provide sealed car parking surface off Ogilvy Street	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
Access - circulation	DO6	Provide perimeter walking/ jogging path	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application





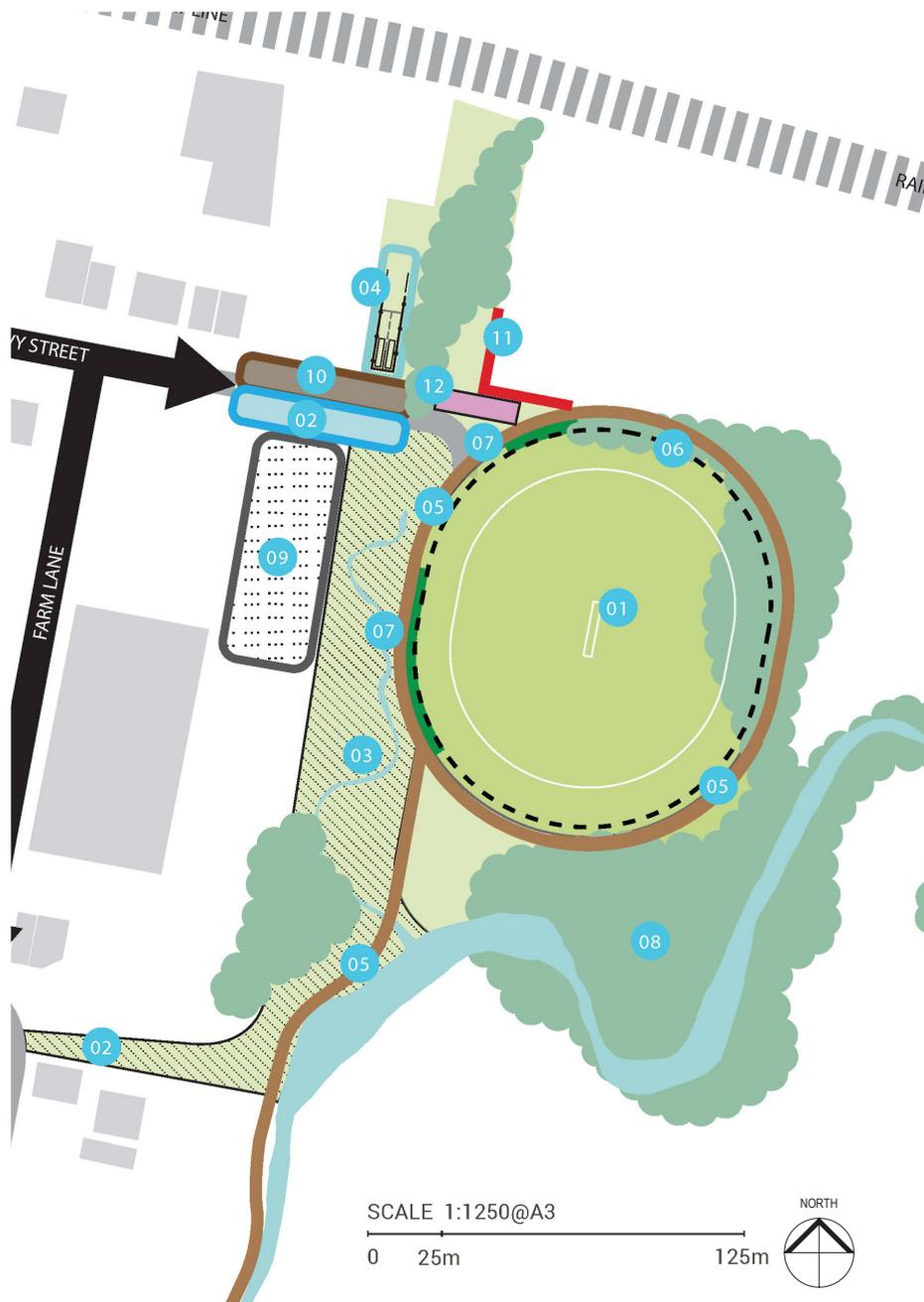
Dakers Oval

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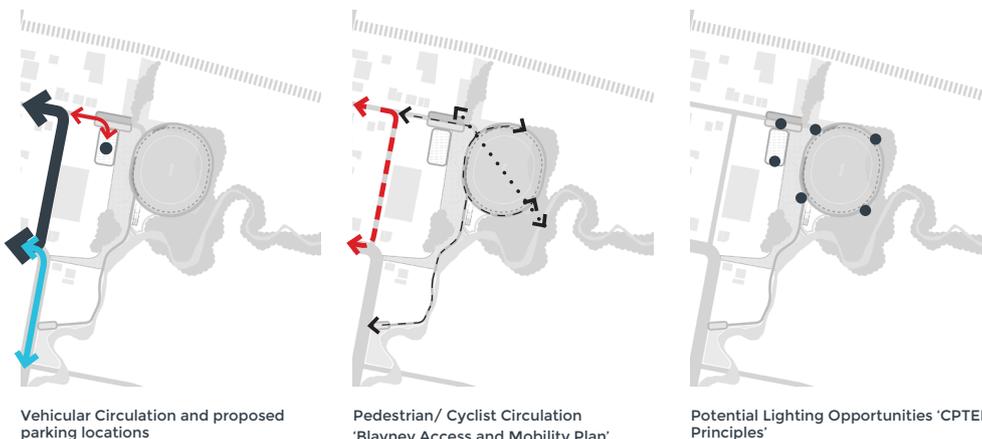
Indicative responses
(final locations to be determined through detailed design stages)

- 01 Existing cricket pitch to be retained
- 02 Existing entry from Ogilvy Street to be improved and a proposed entry from Henry Street to be explored as a future connection.
- 03 Retain and enhance the existing Farm Creek corridor. Incorporate WSUD initiatives to help with environmental management and flood mitigation.
- 04 Proposed location of new cricket practice nets
- 05 Proposed perimeter walking/ jogging path with connections back into Ogilvy Street integrating with the overall 'Blayney Active Movement Strategy'
- 06 Proposed low height perimeter cricket fence
- 07 Planting of deciduous trees to the perimeter of the oval defining the edge and providing aesthetic character
- 08 Maintain and protect the exiting Belubula River ecosystem, an important backdrop and natural element of Dakers Oval
- 09 Proposed surface car park, entry and exit off Ogilvy Street
- 10 Proposed locations for maintenance/ service and emergency vehicle access, removable bollards used to restrict access.
- 11 Maintain access to private land to north of the site
- 12 New amenity block (subject to detailed design and appropriate flood impact mitigation)



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Vehicular Circulation and proposed parking locations

Pedestrian/ Cyclist Circulation 'Blayney Access and Mobility Plan'

Potential Lighting Opportunities 'CPTED Principles'

LEGEND

- Existing and proposed buildings
- Row of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Service/ maintenance access
- Open space/ recreation area
- Existing areas of vegetation

Aspiration *Heritage Park will continue to provide a regionally attractive, dynamic playground and park space, encouraging all ages and all abilities activities, integrating with primary movement networks and the tennis courts.*

Will contribute to

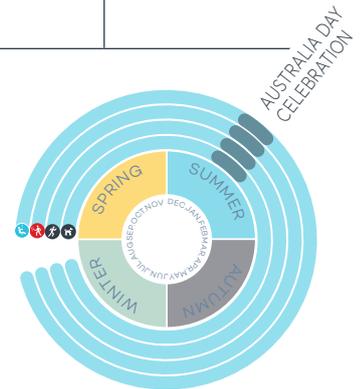
Key sport and recreation functions Playground, skatepark (future), tennis courts

Sport and recreation user groups General public, families, youth and elderly

Other user groups -

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	HP1	Provide all ages skatepark	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	HP2	Provide playground equipment for under 3-year old's	Detailed design	Council budget
	HP3	Incorporate 3-5 outdoor gym stations along Lower Farm Street	Upgrade and connection of Lower Farm Street in accordance with Active Movement Strategy	Council budget Grant application
Access - circulation	HP4	Provide circulating shared path around playground and tennis courts	Funding	Council budget
	HP5	Upgrade pedestrian crossings of Mid Western Highway	Assessment by State	Council budget State Government budget Grant application
	HP6	Apply signage and wayfinding strategy to support active movement within park and safe movement across highway (using Heritage Park as a key landmark)	Preparation of strategy and design guideline	Council budget
Access - all abilities	HP7	Initiate 'learn to skate' programs for all ages and all abilities	Provision of skatepark	Council budget





King George Oval + Netball courts

STRATEGY

Aspiration *King George Oval will be reinforced as a landmark “battleground” for sports in Blayney, embracing its central location, long standing history with the shire’s most popular sport, and its capacity to service multiple sporting codes and occasional events. It will be known as the people’s grounds, and will be accessible at all times, with improved integration to the town’s active movement network and between the netball courts and sports fields.*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Sports fields, netball courts, running tracks, training and competition

Sport and recreation user groups Blayney Rugby League, Blayney Rugby Union, Blayney Netball, Blayney Little Athletics, Blayney Cricket

Other user groups Organisers of special events such as fêtes etc.

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	KGO1	Upgrade irrigation and drainage of central fields	Engineering design and funding	Council budget Grant application
	KGO2	Provide new lighting system to Oval 2 for training purposes	Engineering design and funding	Council budget Grant application
	KGO3	Provide track improvements to match competition standards (including increasing number of lanes from 6 to 8; incorporating straight track of 110m; and aligning straight track and 400m oval track finishing lines)	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
Amenity infrastructure	KGO4	Provide new change rooms (women and men) by expanding existing amenities block generally in accordance with concept master plan	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	KGO5	Upgrade car parking off Charles Street to ensure safe and equitable vehicle access and manoeuvring for both pedestrians and vehicles	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	KGO6	Provide additional car parking on Queen Street	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	KGO7	Existing grand stand change rooms to be re-purposed to provide additional storage (including systematising use across all user groups/ sports codes)	Detailed design Provision of new change room amenities block (KGO04)	Council budget Grant application
	KGO8	Investigate provision of outdoor fitness stations as new complementary elements to integrate netball courts, sports fields and public use	Funding	Council budget Grant application
Access – circulation	KGO9	Provide gateway and signage/ wayfinding at the corner of Queen and Charles Streets	Shire-wide wayfinding strategy	Council budget
	KGO10	Adapt fencing between netball courts and playing fields to integrate functional areas when closure not required (e.g. for ticketed days)	-	Council resources
	KGO11	Upgrade pedestrian entrances, located in accordance with the SRP master plan concept	Detailed design	Council budget
	KGO12	Review management of asset and specifically find opportunities to ‘unlock the gates’ outside of game days	Suitable security solutions to discourage vandalism	Council resources

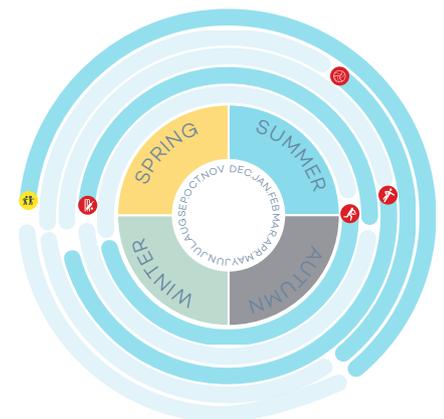


King George Oval + Netball courts

MASTER PLAN CONCEPT

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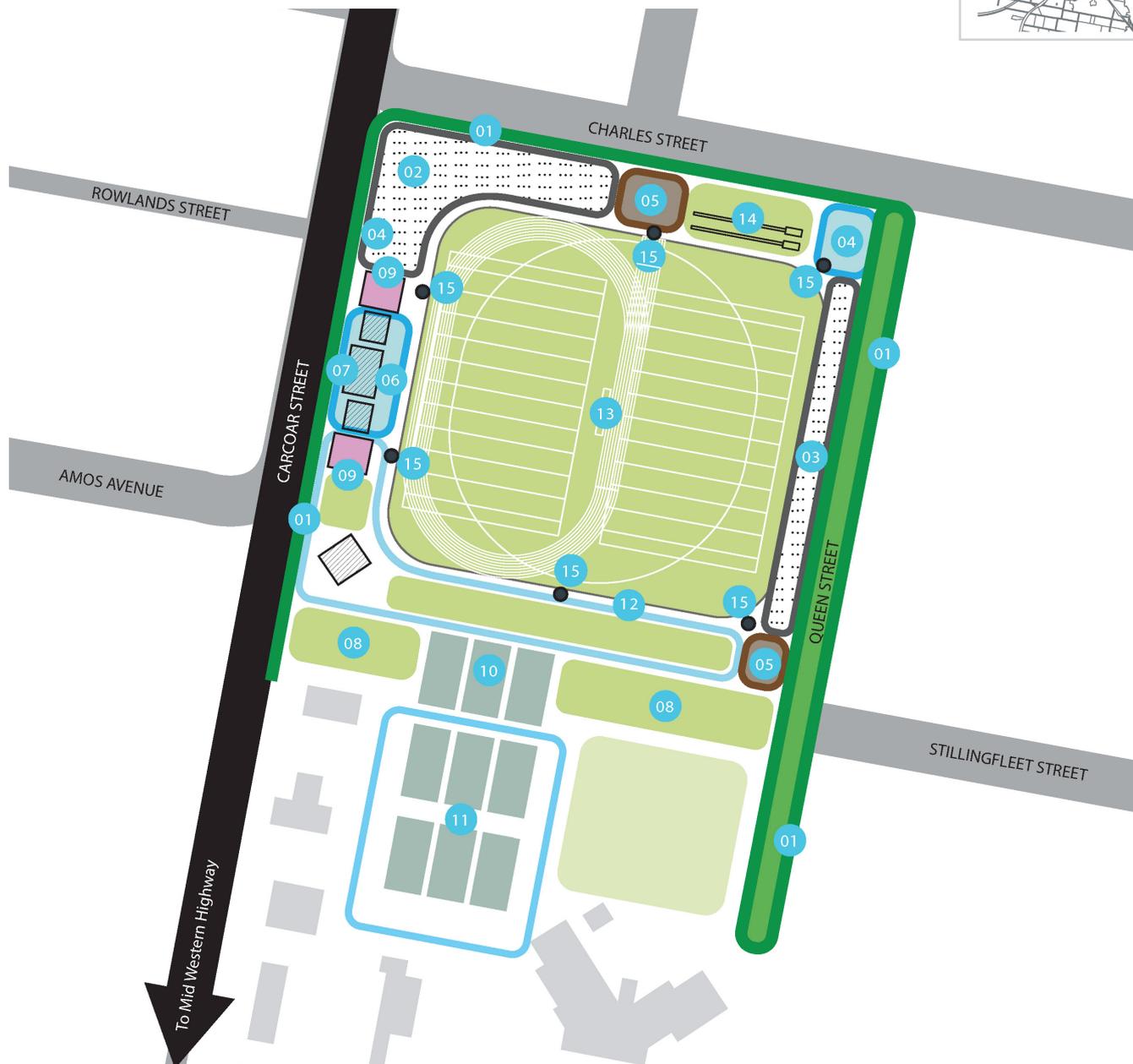
- 01 Proposed avenue of street trees enhancing the streetscape character, visually connecting the open space to the surrounding community and providing privacy for surrounding residents.
- 02 Proposed surface car park, entry and exit off Charles Street.
- 03 Proposed widening of Queen Street accommodating parallel parking.
- 04 Proposed main entries for pedestrians. At least one gate remains unlocked outside game days.
- 05 Proposed location for maintenance/ service and emergency vehicle access, removable bollards used to restrict access.
- 06 Existing grandstands and amenities block can be enhanced with landscape treatments via the introduction of trees with non-invasive root structures and paving treatments to the ground plane.
- 07 Existing grand stand change rooms to be re-purposed, for additional storage.
- 08 Potential expansion areas present an opportunity for an all ages outdoor gym. This could be well utilised by the local aged care facility and wider community.
- 09 Proposed location of new male and female change rooms and toilets, extending from the existing grandstands.
- 10 Proposed location of combined basketball/ netball courts, and a small linear park.
- 11 Retain six (6) existing netball courts and aim to develop a high quality netball/ basketball facility for local/ regional events.
- 12 Existing King George Oval could be expanded to the south to better accommodate all sporting codes.
- 13 Widen the current athletics track from 6 to 8 lanes, and incorporate 110m straight track to allow for more events. The alignment of finishing lines for both the straight track and 400m should also be incorporated as part of this upgrade.
- 14 Retain the two (2) long-jump pits and sports field water tanks in this area as it is in close proximity to the service/ maintenance access gates.
- 15 Improve lighting to No. 2 oval for training purposes.





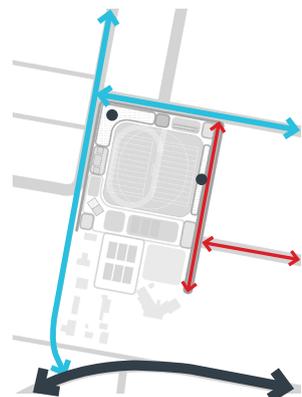
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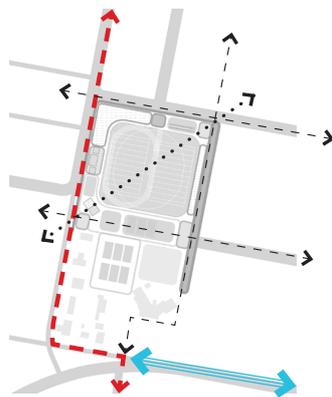


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Vehicular Circulation and proposed parking locations



Pedestrian/ Cyclist Circulation 'Blayney Access and Mobility Plan'



Potential Lighting Opportunities 'CPTED Principles'

LEGEND

- Existing and proposed buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Service/ maintenance access
- Open space/ recreation area
- Netball/ Basketball courts



Napier Oval

STRATEGY

Aspiration *Napier Oval will be the home for Blayney soccer, and through expansion and investment, will be able to provide much needed competition fields for other sporting codes also.*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Sports fields, competition and training

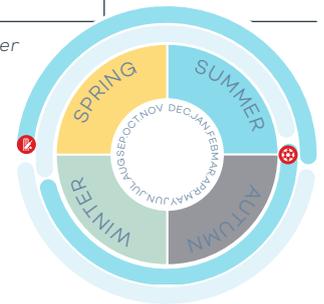
Sport and recreation user groups Blayney Football Club, potentially Blayney Hockey (training only)

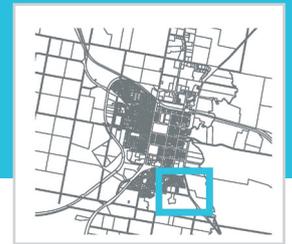
Other user groups -

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	NO1	Negotiate the acquisition of land to the south (treatment plant buffer zone) to expand to 2 full sized and 2 junior fields	Commitment and funding from Council and agreement from private land holder	Council budget
	NO2	Re-grade fields to suitable playing surface level	Acquisition of lands# (NO1)	Council budget Grant application
	NO3	Locate cricket pitch in between two playing fields	Acquisition of lands# Re-grading and re-surfacing of sports fields (NO2)	Council budget Club contributions
	NO4	Provide irrigation for playing fields and to investigate stormwater harvesting and recycled water supply opportunities	Re-grading and re-surfacing of sports fields (NO2) Detailed design for Stages 1 and 2	Council budget Grant application
Amenity infrastructure	NO5	Provide car parking off Prices Lane	Acquisition of lands#	Council budget Grant application
	NO6	Re-locate existing amenities block to central location at Prices Lane	Acquisition of lands# Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	NO7	Provide new change rooms as part of amenities block	Acquisition of lands#	Council budget Grant application
	NO8	Provide terraced seating into re-graded western boundaries of site	Acquisition of lands# Re-grading and re-surfacing of sports fields (NO2)	Council budget Grant application
Access - circulation	NO9	Provide gateways for pedestrians as located on Master Plan Concept	Acquisition of lands#	Council budget

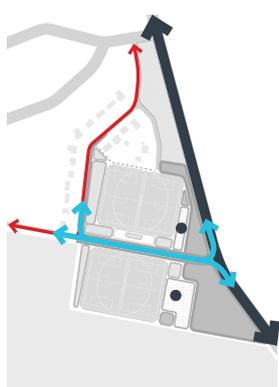
#Investment in works is assumed to be of value only if the site is able to be expanded through the acquisition of further land, to accommodate the minimum number of sporting fields to meet the immediate and future needs of soccer.



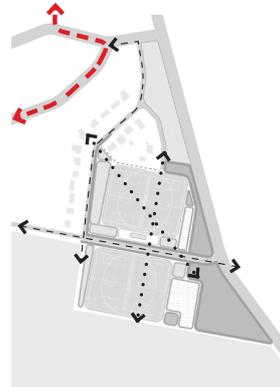


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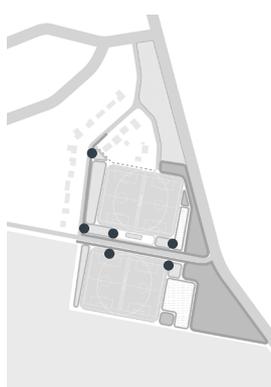
- 01 Proposed avenues of street trees enhance the streetscape character, provide privacy for surrounding residents and visually connect the open space.
- 02 Proposed surface car parks, entry and exit off Prices Lane.
- 03 Installation of pedestrian pavement threshold and blisters improving pedestrian safety.
- 04 Proposed locations for maintenance/ service and emergency vehicle access, removable bollards used to restrict access.
- 05 Opportunity to use change in level to create terraced seating opportunities and flatten out the existing grades of the oval.
- 06 Existing amenities block to be upgraded consolidating two blocks with new pitched roof and concrete slab (stage 1). Male and Female change rooms to be included.
- 07 Existing Napier oval 1 to retain works undertaken in stage 1
- 08 Proposed expansion to the south, creating Napier Oval 2. Allowing for soccer and cricket matches.
- 09 Existing vegetation buffer to the north along Hobbys Yards Road to remain. Potential for a future connection into Presidents Walk.
- 10 Irrigation to be provided to playing fields (stages 1 and 2)
- 11 New lighting to be installed (stage 2).



Vehicular Circulation and proposed parking locations



Pedestrian/ Cyclist Circulation 'Blayney Access and Mobility Plan'



Potential Lighting Opportunities 'CPTED Principles'

LEGEND

- Existing and proposed buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Service/ maintenance access
- Terraced seating areas
- Open space/ recreation area
- Existing areas of vegetation
- Stage boundary

Aspiration *Aligned with Council's Community Land Management Policy (Policy 019E) the value and functions of small parks and gardens is to provide areas of open space and facilities for passive recreational use to both the local community and visitors alike in a pleasant aesthetic environment. These areas are to be accessible to the community at all times.*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Passive, informal, playground

Sport and recreation user groups General public

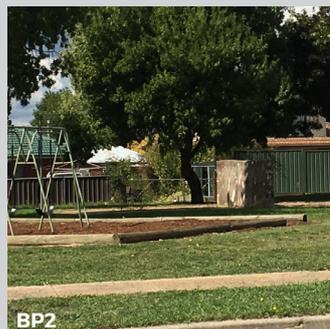
Other user groups -

The following such assets are part of the Blayney (town) network:

- » Albert Cook Park
- » Frogs Hollow – passive recreation only
- » Gilchrist Park/ Whittaker lane
- » Midway Street space
- » President's Walk

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	BP1	Provide small playground in Albert Cook Park	Funding	Council budget
	BP2	Investigate re-location of Apex Park playground functions to vacant land between Frape, Beaufort and Cook Streets to improve catchment access and amenity for facilities	Land use investigation and analysis	Council resources
Amenity infrastructure	BP3	Failing viability of alternative location, provide upgrades to Apex Park including bins, seating, and screen planting along southern boundary fence	Funding	Council budget
	BP4	Provide seating and rubbish bins in Frog's Hollow	Funding	Council budget
Access - management	BP5	Investigate higher and better use of eastern portion of President's Walk site, possible for disposal as part of other land negotiations	Land use investigation and analysis Negotiations on acquisition of lands north of Napier Oval	Council budget
	BP6	Initiate programs in conjunction with Blayney Bowling Club and Blayney Golf Club on the use and relevant exercises of new outdoor gym features once provided (Carrington Park, Heritage Park, along central shared path network), specific to user groups likely to participate	-	Council resources





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THE VILLAGES

While the highest concentration of facilities are proposed to be provided in Blayney, the strategies for the Shire's villages ensures sport and recreation services for local use.

In small populations, the ability to field larger team style sports can be easily affected, and as such the basic priority of services will be for individual exercise – walking, jogging, outdoor fitness.

Secondary investment priorities will exist for the upgrade of existing facilities, but new facility assets are not envisioned as being required in any of the villages, for the life of the SRP. However, while there is no expectation of increase in demand to warrant new facilities, the SRP will be an ally of the villages in ensuring expenditure is appropriately prioritised for identified upgrades to ensure a minimum standard of service (i.e. well-maintained, operational sport and recreation infrastructure) is provided, and that infrastructure that will be adaptable over time to accommodate potentially season to season changes in sport and recreational interests.

Aspiration *Activity and movement in Barry will be encouraged through the consolidation of inviting, safe and legible active movement paths and supporting amenity.*

Will contribute to 

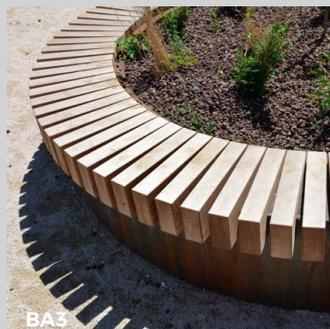
Key sport and recreation functions Passive, informal

Sport and recreation user groups General public

No Council assets have been identified in Barry for the purpose of the SRP.

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	BA1	Provide additional shade trees along Sawyer Street and north on Selwyn Street to define pedestrian realm on primary road	Detailed design	Council budget
	BA2	Provide signage and wayfinding routes to create walking trail loop (e.g. Barker-Pearson-Sawyer-Turner-Selwyn-Barker)	Detail design and funding Shire-wide wayfinding and signage strategy	Council budget Grant application (where for greater 'trails' project for all villages)
Amenity infrastructure	BA3	Provide seating and water bubbler (if possible) at corner of Barker and Selwyn Streets, in vicinity of school/bus stop	Funding	Council budget
	BA4	Investigate allocation of small park space for public access and use (e.g. formalising playground in former school)	Funding	Council budget Grant application



Aspiration *Through good quality sports field, and recreational infrastructure, sport and recreation in Carcoar will be vibrant at the community level, in predominantly informal activities, although standard of facilities will be suitable to cater for formal competitions and training when needed.*

Will contribute to 

Key sport and recreation functions Passive, informal recreation; formal training and competition (occasional)

Sport and recreation user groups General public, Carcoar Crows, other village clubs

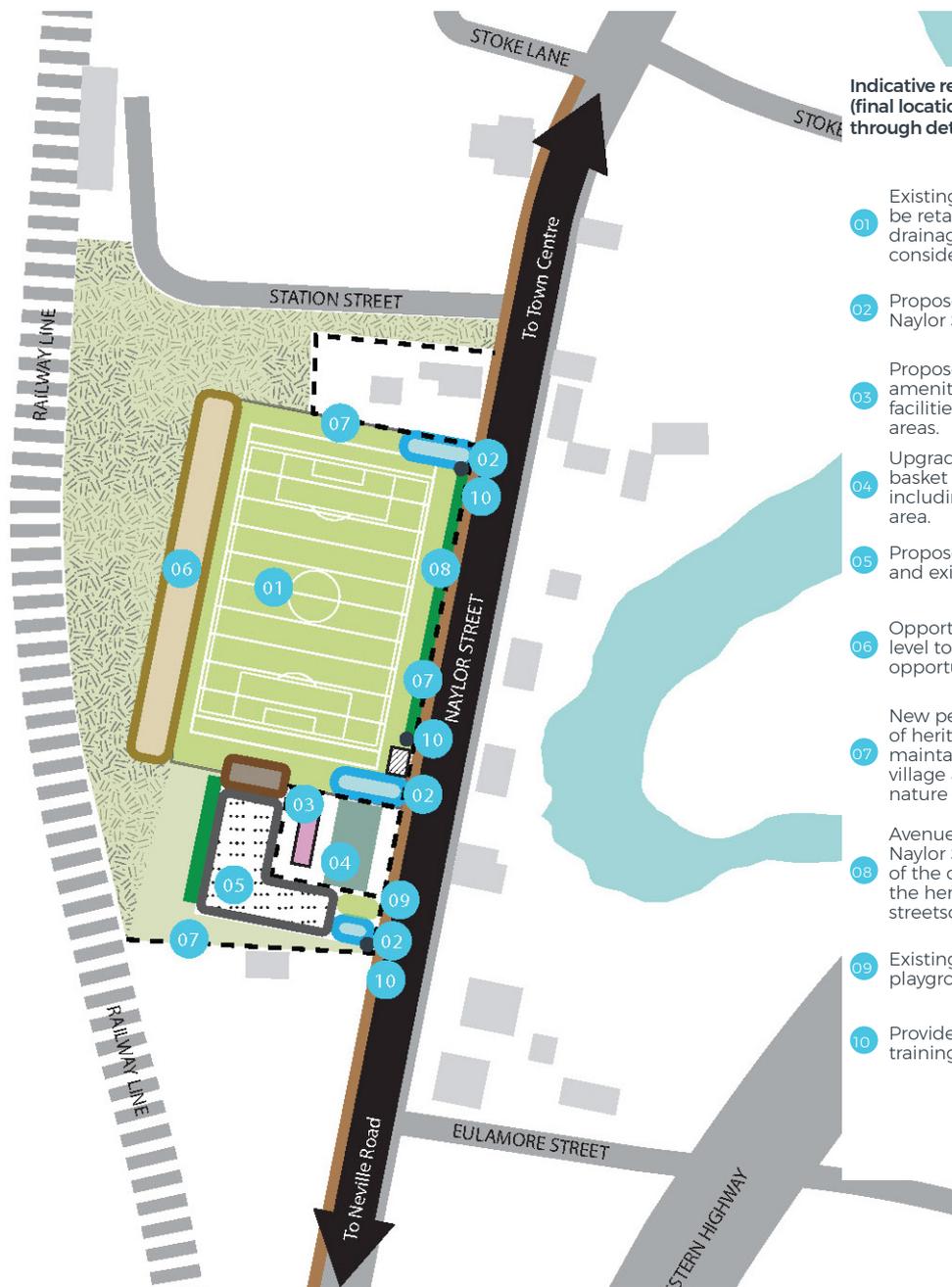
The following assets are part of the strategy for Carcoar:

- » Carcoar Sports Ground
- » Kurt Fearnley Park
- » Carcoar Showground

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

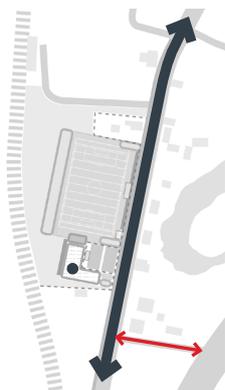
Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	CA1	Level playing field surface and install irrigation and drainage systems at Carcoar Sports Ground	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	CA2	Upgrade tennis court at Carcoar Sports Ground into multi-purpose court (tennis, netball/ basketball etc.)	Detailed design Funding	Council budget Grant application (for Carcoar Sports Ground overall upgrades)
	CA3	Provide / upgrade lighting at Carcoar Sports Ground for training purposes	Detailed design Funding	Council budget Grant application
Amenity infrastructure	CA4	Provide new toilets and change rooms at Carcoar Sports Ground	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	CA5	Provide surface car parking to south of site at Carcoar Sports Ground	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	CA6	Provide additional seating along Naylor Street boundary of Carcoar Sports Ground and service with power and water for food truck services when needed	Funding	Council budget
	CA7	Replace perimeter fence at Carcoar Sports Ground with fence in style more sympathetic with heritage character of town; and create statement gateways to north and south of Naylor Street frontage	Funding	Council budget Grant application
	CA8	Provide covered shelter at upgraded multi-purpose court at Carcoar Sports Ground	Upgrade of tennis court to multi-purpose court	Council budget Grant application
	CA9	Provide BBQ, picnic, bins and water bubbler as part of new amenity block or as standalone structure	New toilet/ change room amenities block	Council budget Grant application
Access - management	CA10	Promote availability and quality of Carcoar Sports Ground as a training/ event/ fixtures option within sporting community	-	Council resources



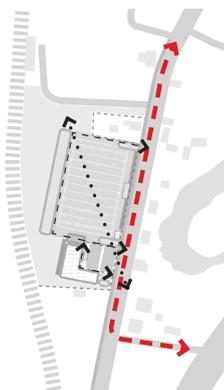


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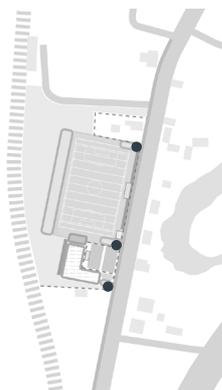
- 01 Existing rugby/ soccer field to be retained. Improvements to drainage and irrigation to be considered.
- 02 Proposed main entry points along Naylor Street.
- 03 Proposed location of new amenities building, including BBQ facilities, centrally accessible to all areas.
- 04 Upgraded combination netball, basket ball and tennis court including a small covered seating area.
- 05 Proposed surface car park, entry and exit off Naylor Street.
- 06 Opportunity to use change in level to create terraced seating opportunities.
- 07 New perimeter fence, preferably of heritage style and colour to maintain the authentic feel of the village and improve the aesthetic nature of the streetscape.
- 08 Avenue of street trees along Naylor Street defining the edge of the oval and contributing to the heritage character of the streetscape.
- 09 Existing location of small children's playground to remain.
- 10 Provide improved lighting for training purposes.



Vehicular Circulation and proposed parking locations



Pedestrian/ Cyclist Circulation 'Blayney Access and Mobility Plan'



Potential Lighting Opportunities 'CPTED Principles'

LEGEND

- Existing and proposed buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Service/ maintenance access
- Terraced seating areas
- Open space/ steep terrain
- Netball/ Basketball courts
- Future shared path connection
- Proposed perimeter fence



Aspiration *Lyndhurst will benefit from promoting itself as a district destination for the niche sports of shooting and team penning, proudly building on its strong history or excellent sportsmanship nurtured at the Lyndhurst Recreation Ground and Lyndhurst Rifle Range. Other local activity will be provided for though a focus on active movement networks through the village.*

Will contribute to 

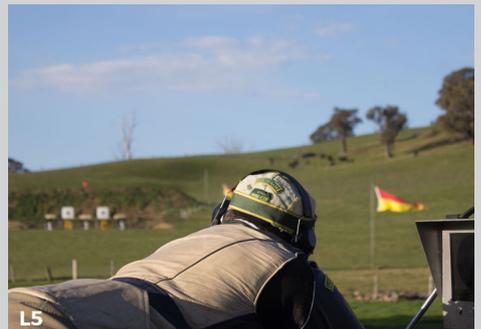
Key sport and recreation functions Passive, informal recreation;

Sport and recreation user groups General public; Lyndhurst Rifle Club

Lyndhurst assets Lyndhurst Recreation Ground; Lyndhurst Rifle Club

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

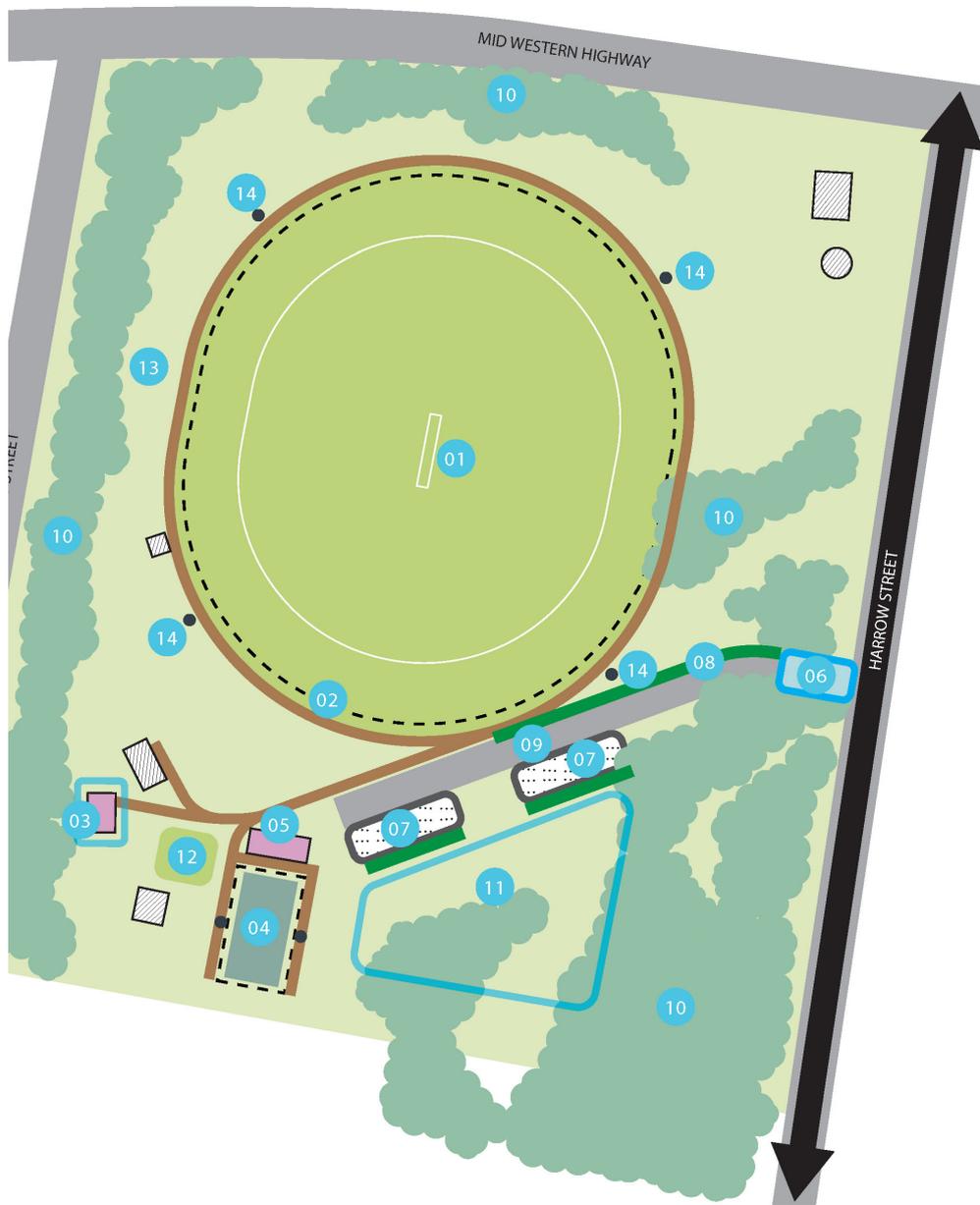
Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Amenity infrastructure	L1	Provide upgrades to amenity infrastructure of Lyndhurst Recreation Ground in accordance with Lyndhurst Community Village Plan: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – New picnic shelter and BBQ facilities – Improved toilet facilities with disabled access – Coin operated showers – Tennis court lighting – New fencing around playing fields 	Funding	Council budget Grant application
	L2	Provide improved site drainage to manage localised stormwater issues at Lyndhurst Recreation Ground	Engineering design Funding	Council budget Grant application
	L3	Improve Lyndhurst Recreation Ground visual amenity through upgrades to entry statement, entry road and vegetation maintenance at periphery of grounds	Detailed design Funding	Council budget Grant application
Access - management	L4	Coordinate with user groups to optimise messaging that promotes shooting and team penning in conjunction with user groups of Lyndhurst Rifle Club and Lyndhurst Recreation Ground	-	Council resources
Maintenance	L5	Re-grade spectator mound areas of Lyndhurst Recreation Ground, in turn improving access and optimising maintenance operations	Funding	Council resources





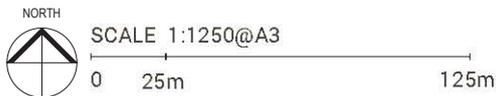
Lyndhurst Recreation Ground

MASTER PLAN CONCEPT



Indicative responses (final locations to be determined through detailed design stages)

- 01 Existing oval to remain, and grounds maintenance to be improved through modified landscapes (optimising maintenance of steeper spectator areas).
- 02 Opportunity for new perimeter fencing to the existing oval.
- 03 Improved and expanded toilet facilities with disabled access and coin operated showers.
- 04 Upgraded tennis court facility with new lighting.
- 05 Proposed picnic shelter with BBQ facilities, adjacent to the tennis courts.
- 06 Develop a defined entry point into the recreation ground.
- 07 Potential location for car parking bays.
- 08 Trees planted alongside the new entry road will provide an entry statement.
- 09 Proposed new entry road.
- 10 Maintain existing vegetation to the periphery of the recreation ground to improve visual amenity to road and reduce prevalence of weed species.
- 11 Maintain a dedicated camping area.
- 12 Provide small children's playground.
- 13 Improvements to site drainage would address localised stormwater management issues.
- 14 Opportunities for new lighting.



LEGEND

- Existing buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Openspace
- Tennis Court
- Future shared path connection
- Proposed perimeter fence

Aspiration *Activity and movement in Mandurama will be encouraged through the consolidation of inviting, safe and legible active movement paths and supporting amenity, alongside ensuring robust, adaptable local activity spaces in Mandurama Recreation Ground.*

Will contribute to 

Key sport and recreation functions Passive, informal recreation

Sport and recreation user groups General public

Mandurama assets Mandurama Recreation Ground, Sunnyside Golf Club (privately owned)

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	MA1	Provide 1 outdoor fitness station as part of the Mandurama Recreation Ground	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
Amenity infrastructure	MA2	Investigate the incorporation of a community garden in Mandurama Recreation Ground	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget
Access - Management	MA3	Program recreational spaces to cater to local events such as Anzac Day	-	Council resources
Maintenance	MA4	Improve maintenance of existing facilities at Mandurama Recreation Ground	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget





Indicative responses
(final locations to be determined through detailed design stages)

- 01 Existing oval to remain, potential for improved grounds maintenance
- 02 Existing grounds to park to remain. There is potential for better access from the park to the wider open space areas and improvements to the existing children's playground area
- 03 Existing entries to remain. There is potential for a formalised entry to the oval and wider open space areas
- 04 The introduction of a community garden within the grounds of the park will benefit the local community
- 05 Existing avenues of trees to remain, enhance or extend where possible
- 06 Mandurama Ponds to the north to be enhanced and protected where possible



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LEGEND

- Existing buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Openspace
- Tennis Courts
- Path connections
- Proposed perimeter fence

Aspiration *Millthorpe will continue to support a vibrant, family oriented activation of its sport and recreation assets, providing quality training programs for young recreators, and safe activity environments for all ages and abilities.*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Redmond Oval: Sports fields, cricket pitch, youth park, playground
Mill Green: garden and passive recreation

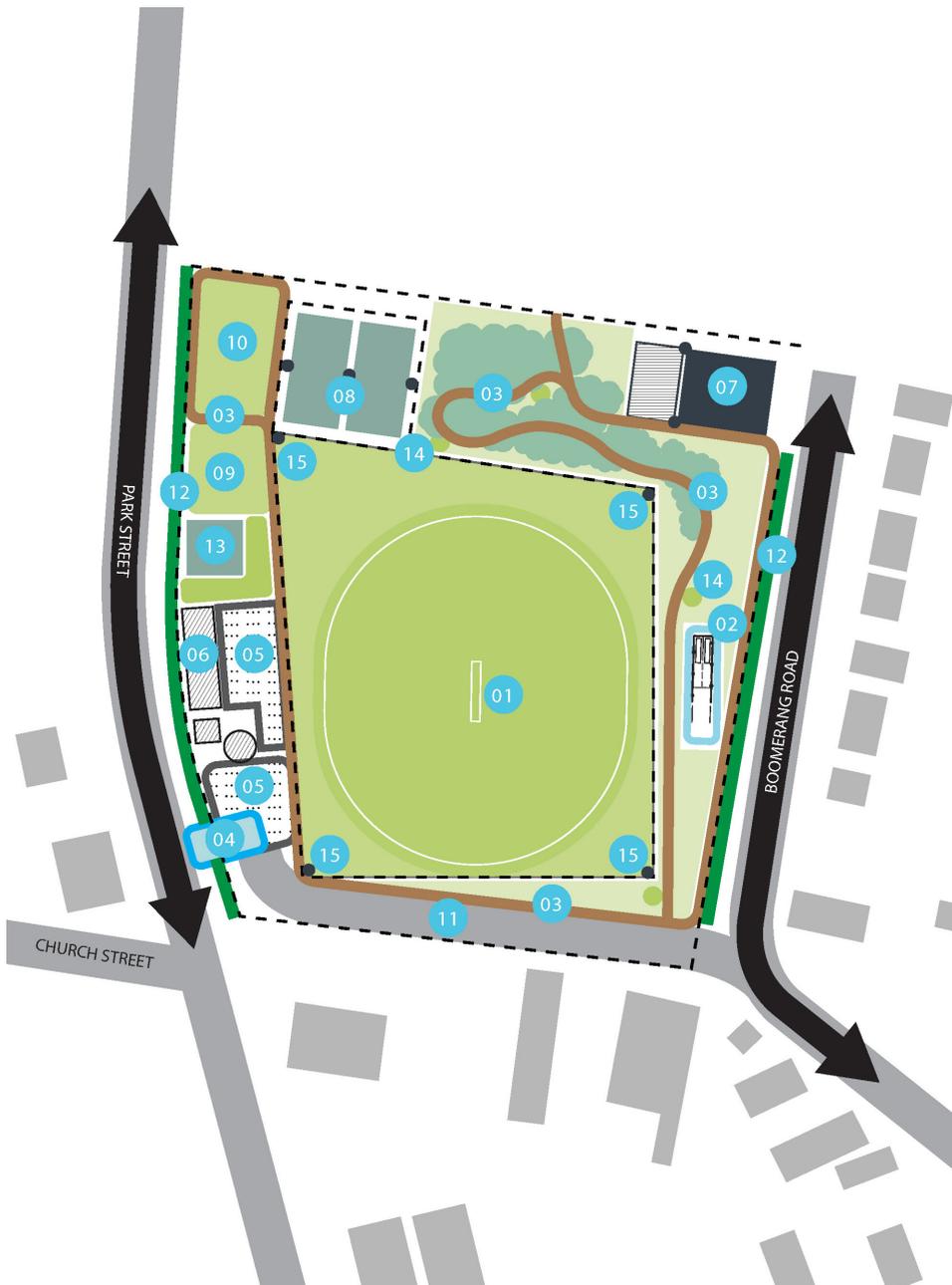
Sport and recreation user groups General public, schools, sports clubs

Millthorpe assets Redmond Oval, Mill Green Garden Reserve, Glenorie Road off-leash dog area

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	MT1	Re-consult on design options to improve Redmond Oval skatepark standards of service (excludes many users)	Funding	Council budget
	MT2	Upgrade existing field lighting	Funding	Council budget
Amenity infrastructure	MT3	Investigate alternative larger location for off-leash dog area to allow for improved amenity and access	Consultation with users of existing off-leash area	Council resources
	MT4	Provide sheltered seating, rubbish bins for off-leash dog area	Determination on location for off-leash dog area	Council budget
	MT5	Improve multi-user functionality of Redmond Oval through new facilities (generally in accordance with concept master plan), including provision of half-court and exercise stations	Funding	Council budget
Access - circulation	MT6	Provide circulating pathways that connect different aspects of Redmond Oval	-	Council budget
Maintenance	MT7	Introduce booking system to formalise use of Redmond Oval by school and other high use users	-	Council resources





Indicative responses
(final locations to be determined through detailed design stages)

- 01 Improvement works to the playing surface of the existing Redmond Oval have been undertaken (2016-2017).
- 02 Existing cricket nets to remain.
- 03 Proposed circulating network of pathways. Pathway has the opportunity to meander throughout existing trees and provide a northern connection to the cemetery.
- 04 Existing entry to the oval off Park Street.
- 05 Existing car parking area to remain.
- 06 The existing amenities building has been recently upgraded (2016-2017).
- 07 Existing skate park to remain, expansion to the west is possible. There is potential for the inclusion of a smaller all ages and abilities skate park.
- 08 Existing tennis courts to remain. Upgrades to existing night lighting to be explored.
- 09 Existing children's playground to remain. Potential for integration into the circulating network of pathways.
- 10 Small park/ picnic area to remain. Existing facilities could be updated, new bench seats and picnic tables.
- 11 Through site laneway connection to Boomerang Road proposed as part of the current upgrade works to the oval.
- 12 Maintain avenues of trees along Park Street and Boomerang Road.
- 13 Proposed location of new half court basketball court.
- 14 Opportunity for provision of exercise stations around the perimeter of the oval.
- 15 Existing playing field lighting to be upgraded.



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LEGEND

- Existing buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Main entrances
- Car parking
- Openspace
- Tennis courts
- Future shared path connection
- Proposed perimeter fence





Aspiration *Activity and movement in Neville will be encouraged through the consolidation of inviting, safe and legible servicing through the Neville Showground assets, optimising efficiency of purpose through providing adaptable infrastructure.*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Passive and informal sport and recreation

Sport and recreation user groups General public

Neville assets Neville Showground

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	NV1	Provide a multi-purpose court in Neville to support local community including public school	Funding	Council budget Grant application
	NV2	Investigate opportunities for adventure sport locations such as for motor cross or horse trail activities	-	Council resources
Amenity infrastructure	NV3	Provide new toilet at Neville Memorial Park	Funding	Council budget Grant application



Aspiration *Activity and movement in Newbridge will be encouraged through the consolidation of inviting, safe and legible active movement paths and supporting amenity, and Newbridge's sport and recreation ground will provide an improved standard of service to align with local purposes for sport, activity and events*

Will contribute to

Key sport and recreation functions Passive and informal sport and recreation

Sport and recreation user groups General public

Newbridge assets Newbridge Recreation Ground

STRATEGIC ACTIONS

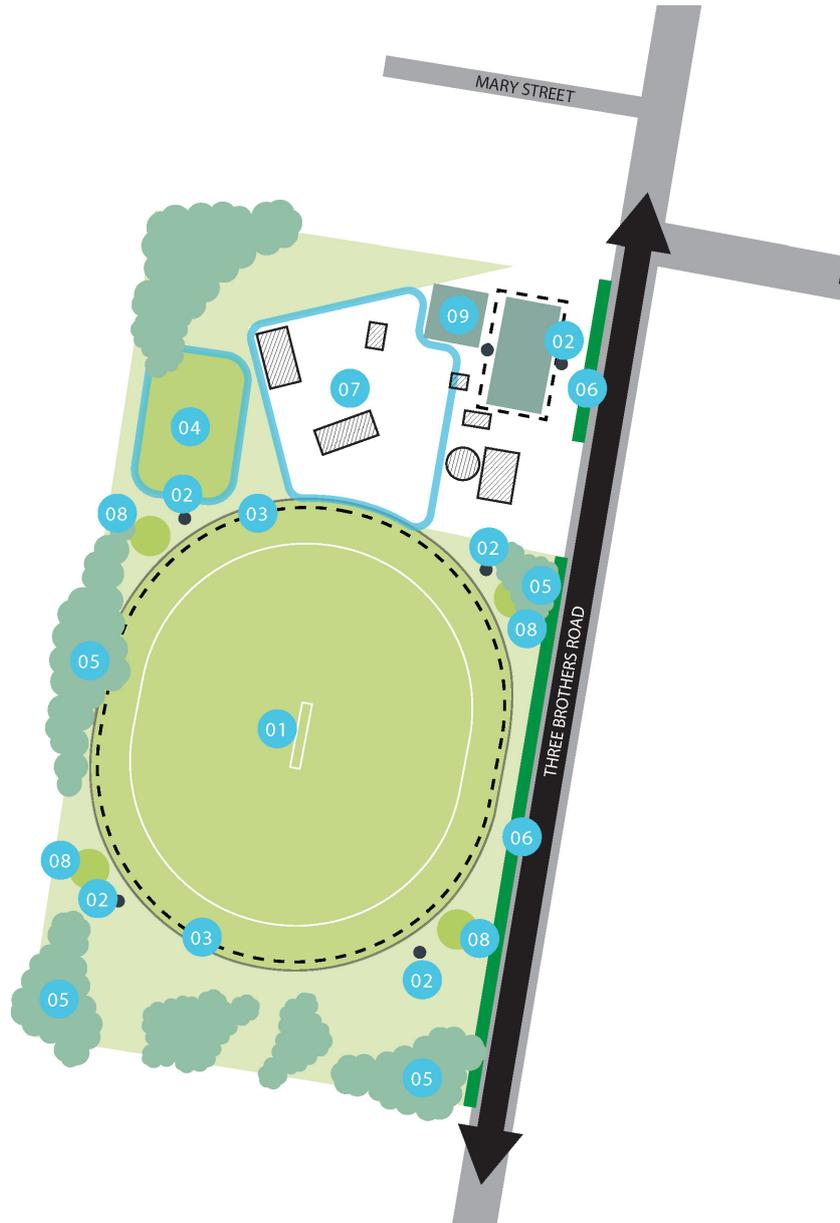
Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure	NB1	Provide goal posts for sports field	Funding	Council budget Grant application
Amenity infrastructure	NB2	Provide lighting for tennis courts	Funding	Council budget Grant application
	NB3	Provide new fencing for showground	Funding	Council budget Grant application
	NB4	Provide horse enclosure	Funding	Council budget
	NB5	Provide exercise stations and basketball hoop (quarter court)	Funding	Council budget Grant application
Maintenance	NB6	Remove and replace old landscape trees	Funding	Council budget
	NB7	Remove disused/ old structures from site	Funding	Council budget





Newbridge Recreation Ground

MASTER PLAN CONCEPT



Indicative responses (final locations to be determined through detailed design stages)

- 01 Existing oval to remain, potential for improved grounds maintenance.
- 02 Opportunities for new lighting to the existing oval and tennis courts.
- 03 Opportunity for new perimeter fencing to the existing oval.
- 04 Provide horse enclosure.
- 05 Remove poor quality trees and replace with new stock. This will assist in providing an improved amenity for spectators and users of the park grounds.
- 06 Maintain the existing avenue of trees to Three Brothers Road. There is potential for an extension and continuation alongside the tennis courts.
- 07 Demolish old sheds at rear of steel framed sports shed, and improve facility, including weather proofing enclosure.
- 08 Opportunity for provision of exercise stations around oval perimeter.
- 09 Opportunity for new half basketball court.



SCALE 1:1250@A3

0 25m 125m

LEGEND

- Existing buildings
- Avenues of trees
- Openspace
- Tennis court
- Proposed perimeter fence



05

Implementation Plan

5.1

HOW WILL THE SRP BE IMPLEMENTED?

The mechanism that will help deliver the intended outcomes of the SRP is the Implementation Plan.

The Implementation Plan compiles the strategic actions for each of Council's sport and recreation assets and makes a comparison of five classifications of priority:

1. Priority theme: operational infrastructure, amenity infrastructure, access, or maintenance
2. Type of action: plan/ strategy, new infrastructure, upgrade of existing infrastructure, program/ initiative or landscape improvement
3. Timeframe: immediate, short, medium or long term delivery expectations
4. Relative costs: indication of small, medium or large costs required to deliver infrastructure
5. Prerequisite: prerequisite actions or projects relevant to the action

With these matters detailed for each action, Council is able to make informed determinations on the highest priority projects, filtered through understanding whether the action is sequenced appropriately, and is able to be funded.

STRATEGIC THEMES

OPERATIONAL INFRASTRUCTURE
AMENITY INFRASTRUCTURE
ACCESS - CIRCULATION
ACCESS - ALL ABILITIES
ACCESS - AFFORDABILITY
ACCESS - MANAGEMENT
MAINTENANCE

ACTION TYPE

-  DRAFT PLAN/ STRATEGY
-  NEW INFRASTRUCTURE
-  UPGRADE EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE
-  PROGRAM/ INITIATIVE
-  LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS

TIMEFRAMES



RELATIVE COSTS

-  MAJOR NEW INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT OR UPGRADE
-  SIGNIFICANT NEW INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT OR UPGRADE
-  MODERATE UPGRADE COSTS OR SMALLER INVESTMENT IN NEW INFRASTRUCTURE
-  MINOR COSTS OR ABLE TO BE RESOURCED THROUGH EXISTING COUNCIL SERVICES

5.2

BLAYNEY TOWN NETWORK IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Operational infrastructure						
Blayney Showground	BS1	Re-locate soccer infrastructure to Napier Oval		\$\$\$	Expansion of Napier Oval grounds	Council budget Grant application
	0-5 years					
	BS2	Construct multi-purpose covered arena		\$\$\$	-	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
0-5 years						
	BS3	Provide cross country jumps		\$\$	Detailed design	Grant application Club contributions
5-10 years						
Carrington Park	CP1	Incorporate playground equipment for under-3-year-olds		\$\$	-	Council budget Grant application
5-10 years						
Centrepoint	C1	Provide interactive children's water playground		\$\$-\$\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	5-10 years					
	C2	Provide wet level pool deck		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
5-10 years						
	C3	Provide family change room		\$\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
5-10 years						
Dakers Oval	DO1	Provide practice cricket nets		\$\$	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
5-10 years						
Heritage Park	HP1	Provide all ages skatepark		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	5-10 years					
	HP2	Provide playground equipment for under 3-year old's		\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget
0-5 years						

#Consultation stages in progress and Council timing may be determined separate to this plan

ACTION TYPE LEGEND



DRAFT PLAN/ STRATEGY



UPGRADE EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE



LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS



NEW INFRASTRUCTURE



PROGRAM/ INITIATIVE

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options	
	HP3	Provide 3-5 outdoor gym stations along Lower Farm Street		\$\$\$	Upgrade and connection of Lower Farm Street to proposed Active Movement Network	Council budget Grant application	
10+ years							
King George Oval	KGO1	Upgrade irrigation and drainage of central fields		\$\$	Engineering design and funding	Council budget Grant application	
	0-5 years						
	KGO2	Provide new lighting system to Oval 2 for training purposes		\$\$	Engineering design and funding	Council budget Grant application	
0-5 years							
	KGO3	Provide track improvements to match competition standards (including increasing number of lanes from 6 to 8; incorporating straight track of 110m; and aligning straight track and 400m oval track finishing lines)		\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions	
0-5 years							
Napier Oval	NO1	Negotiate the acquisition of land to the south (treatment plant buffer zone) to expand to 2 full sized and 2 junior fields		\$\$\$\$	Commitment and funding from Council and agreement from private land holder	Council budget	
	Immediate						
	NO2	Re-grade fields to suitable playing surface level		\$\$\$	Acquisition of lands [#]	Council budget Grant application	
	0-5 years						
	NO3	Locate cricket pitch in between soccer fields		\$\$	Acquisition of lands [#] Re-grading and re-surfacing of sports fields	Council budget Club contributions	
5-10 years							
	NO4	Provide irrigation for playing fields and to investigate stormwater harvesting and recycled water supply opportunities		\$\$\$	Re-grading and re-surfacing of sports fields Detailed design of Stages 1 and 2	Council budget Grant application	
0-5 years							
Other Blayney Parks	BP1	Provide small playground in Albert Cook Park		\$\$	Funding	Council budget	
	5-10 years						
	BP2	Investigate re-location of Apex Park playground functions to vacant land between Frape, Beaufort and Cook Streets to improve catchment access and amenity for facilities		\$\$	Land use investigation and analysis	Council resources	
5-10 years							

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Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Amenity infrastructure						
Blayney Showground	BS4	Provide sealed car parking		\$\$	Funding	Council budget Club contributions
	10+ years					
	BS5	Provide spectator seating		\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	5-10 years					
	BS6	Upgrade and extend lighting system in accordance with renewed areas of circulation		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Club contributions
	0-5 years					
	BS7	Upgrade stables		\$\$	Funding	Grant application Club contributions
	5-10 years					
	BS8	Upgrade camping facilities		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Grant application Club contributions
	10+ years					
Centrepont	BS9	Renovate club house dining facility		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	5-10 years					
	BS10	Provide entry statement and tree-scaping for improved visual qualities		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
	5-10 years					
Centrepont	C4	Provide more dynamic activities e.g. climbing wall		\$	To be considered in detailed design of Major upgrade works	Council budget
5-10 years						
Dakers Oval	DO2	Provide amenities block with change rooms		\$\$	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	5-10 years					
Dakers Oval	DO3	Provide fencing		\$\$	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions
	5-10 years					

ACTION TYPE LEGEND

-  DRAFT PLAN/ STRATEGY
-  UPGRADE EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE
-  LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS
-  NEW INFRASTRUCTURE
-  PROGRAM/ INITIATIVE

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options	
	DO4	Provide toilets		\$\$\$	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions	
	0-5 years						
	DO5	Provide sealed car parking surface off Ogilvy Street		\$\$	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application Club contributions	
	5-10 years						
King George Oval	KGO4	Provide new change rooms (women and men) by expanding existing amenities block generally in accordance with concept master plan		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions	
	0-5 years						
	KGO5	Upgrade car parking off Charles Street to ensure safe and equitable vehicle access and manoeuvring for both pedestrians and vehicles		\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application Club contributions	
	0-5 years						
	KGO6	Provide additional car parking on Queen Street		\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application	
	5-10 years						
	KGO7	Existing grand stand change rooms to be re-purposed to provide additional storage (including systematising use across all user groups/ sports codes)		\$\$	Detailed design Provision of new change room amenities block	Council budget Grant application	
	5-10 years						
Napier Oval	KGO8	Investigate provision of outdoor fitness stations as new complementary elements to integrate netball courts, sports fields and public use		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application	
	10+ years						
	NO5	Provide car parking off Prices Lane		\$\$	Acquisition of lands#	Council budget Grant application	
	5-10 years						
	NO6	Re-locate existing amenities block to central location at Prices Lane		\$\$\$	Acquisition of lands# Detailed design	Council budget Grant application	
	0-5 years						
	NO7	Provide new change rooms as part of amenities block		\$\$\$	Acquisition of lands#	Council budget Grant application	
	0-5 years						
	NO8	Provide terraced seating into re-graded western boundaries of site		\$\$	Acquisition of lands# Re-grading and re-surfacing of sports fields	Council budget Grant application	
5-10 years							

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Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Other Blayney Parks	BP3	Failing viability of alternative location, provide upgrades to Apex Park including bins, seating, and screen planting along southern boundary fence		\$	Funding	Council budget
	5-10 years					
	BP4	Provide seating and rubbish bins in Frog's Hollow		\$	Funding	Council budget
0-5 years						
Access - circulation						
Blayney Showground	BS11	Provide circuit road to improve access and on-site circulation		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget
5-10 years						
Dakers Oval	DO6	Provide perimeter walking/ jogging path		\$\$	Flood impact report and engineering solutions for new infrastructure	Council budget Grant application
0-5 years						
Heritage Park	HP4	Provide circulating shared path around playground and tennis courts		\$\$	Funding	Council budget
5-10 years						
	HP5	Upgrade pedestrian crossings of Mid Western Highway		\$\$	Assessment by State	Council budget State Government budget Grant application
0-5 years						
	HP6	Apply signage and wayfinding strategy to support active movement within park and safe movement across highway (using Heritage Park as a key landmark)		\$	Preparation of strategy and design guideline	Council budget
0-5 years						
King George Oval	KGO9	Provide gateway and signage/ wayfinding at the corner of Queen and Charles Streets		\$\$	Shire-wide wayfinding strategy	Council budget
0-5 years						
	KGO10	Adapt fencing between netball courts and playing fields to integrate functional areas when closure not required (e.g. for ticketed days)		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
	KGO11	Upgrade pedestrian entrances, located in accordance with the SRP master plan concept		\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget
0-5 years						
	KGO12	Review management of asset and specifically find opportunities to 'unlock the gates' outside of game days		\$	Suitable security solutions to discourage vandalism	Council resources
0-5 years						

ACTION TYPE LEGEND

	DRAFT PLAN/ STRATEGY		UPGRADE EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE		LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS
	NEW INFRASTRUCTURE		PROGRAM/ INITIATIVE		

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Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of...	Funding options
Napier Oval	NO9	Provide gateways for pedestrians as located on Master Plan Concept		\$\$	Acquisition of lands#	Council budget
0-5 years						
Access - all abilities						
Centrepoint	C5	Provide disabled access in the middle pool		\$\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
0-5 years						
	C6	Undertake major upgrade to unisex toilets		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application
0-5 years						
Heritage Park	HP7	Initiate 'learn to skate' programs for all ages and all abilities		\$	Provision of skatepark	Council budget
5-10 years						
Access - affordability						
Carrington Park	CP2	Incorporate 2-3 outdoor gym stations along Osman Street as extension to Centrepoint and to encourage active movement as part of central town assets (Centrepoint-Carrington Park- Blayney High School-King George Oval)		\$\$\$	Detailed landscape design	Council budget Grant application
0-5 years						
Access - management						
Blayney Showground	BS12	Market facilities as regional destination for equestrian sports, as upgrades occur		\$	Achieving necessary qualities through upgrades	Council budget
5-10 years						
Carrington Park	CP3	Review policy on after-hours access to toilet facilities		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
Centrepoint	C7	Advance swimming coaching to provide highest quality core service area to inspire all abilities participation as well as competitive performance in swimming		\$\$	-	Council budget
0-5 years						
Other Blayney Parks	BP5	Investigate higher and better use of eastern portion of President's Walk site, possible for disposal as part of other land negotiations		\$	Land use investigation and analysis Negotiations on acquisition of lands north of Napier Oval	Council budget
0-5 years						
	BP6	Initiate programs in conjunction with Blayney Bowling Club and Blayney Golf Club on the use and relevant exercises of new outdoor gym features once provided (Carrington Park, Heritage Park), specific to user groups likely to participate		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
Maintenance						
Carrington Park	CP4	Ensure power, lighting and water services are maintained		\$\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						

5.3

BLAYNEY SHIRE VILLAGES IMPLEMENTATION PLAN

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of..	Funding options	
Operational infrastructure							
Barry	BA1	Provide additional shade trees along Sawyer Street and north on Selwyn Street to define pedestrian realm on primary road.		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget	
	0-5 years						
	BA2	Provide signage and wayfinding routes to create walking trail loop (e.g. Barker-Pearson-Sawyer- Turner-Selwyn-Barker)		\$\$\$	Detail design and funding Shire-wide wayfinding and signage strategy	Council budget Grant application (where for greater 'trails' project for all villages)	
5-10 years							
Carcoar	CA1	Level playing field surface and install irrigation and drainage systems at Carcoar Sports Ground		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application	
	0-5 years						
	CA2	Upgrade tennis court at Carcoar Sports Ground into multi-purpose court (tennis, netball/ basketball etc.)		\$\$\$	Detailed design Funding	Council budget Grant application (for Carcoar Sports Ground overall upgrades)	
5-10 years							
	CA3	Provide / upgrade lighting at Carcoar Sports Ground for training purposes		\$\$	Detailed design Funding	Council budget Grant application (for Carcoar Sports Ground overall upgrades)	
5-10 years							
Mandurama	MA1	Provide 1 outdoor fitness station as part of the Mandurama Recreation Ground		\$\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget Grant application	
0-5 years							
Millthorpe	MT1	Re-consult on design options to improve Redmond Oval skatepark standards of service (excludes many users)		\$	Funding	Council budget	
	5-10 years						
	MT2	Upgrade existing field lighting		\$\$	Funding	Council budget	
5-10 years							
Neville	NV1	Provide a multi-purpose court in Neville to support local community including public school		\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application	
	5-10 years						
	NV2	Investigate opportunities for adventure sport locations such as for motor cross or horse trail activities		\$	-	Council resources	
0-5 years							

ACTION TYPE LEGEND



DRAFT PLAN/ STRATEGY



UPGRADE EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE



LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS



NEW INFRASTRUCTURE



PROGRAM/ INITIATIVE

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of..	Funding options
Newbridge	NB1	Provide goal posts for sports field		\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
		0-5 years				
Amenity infrastructure						
Barry	BA3	Provide seating and water bubbler (if possible) at corner of Barker and Selwyn Streets, in vicinity of school/bus stop		\$\$	Funding	Council budget
		10+ years				
	BA4	Investigate allocation of small park space for public access and use (e.g. formalising playground in former school)		\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
		0-5 years				
Carcoar	CA4	Provide new amenity block (toilets and change rooms) at Carcoar Sports Ground		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application (for Carcoar Sports Ground overall upgrades)
		0-5 years				
	CA5	Provide surface car parking to south of site at Carcoar Sports Ground		\$\$\$	Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
		10+ years				
	CA6	Provide additional seating along Naylor Street boundary of Carcoar Sports Ground and service with power and water for food truck services when needed		\$\$	Funding	Council budget
		5-10 years				
	CA7	Replace perimeter fence at Carcoar Sports Ground with fence in style more sympathetic with heritage character of town; and create statement gateways to north and south of Naylor Street frontage		\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
		10+ years				
	CA8	Provide covered shelter at upgraded multi-purpose court at Carcoar Sports Ground		\$\$	Upgrade of tennis court to multi-purpose court	Council budget Grant application (for Carcoar Sports Ground overall upgrades)
		5-10 years				
	CA9	Provide BBQ, picnic, bins and water bubbler as part of new amenity block or as standalone structure		\$\$\$	New amenities block Funding	Council budget Grant application (for Carcoar Sports Ground overall upgrades)
		0-5 years				

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of..	Funding options
Lyndhurst	L1	Provide upgrades to amenity infrastructure in accordance with Lyndhurst Community Village Plan: — New picnic shelter and BBQ facilities — Improved toilet facilities with disabled access — Coin operated showers — Tennis court lighting — New fencing around playing fields		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
	5-10 years					
	L2	Provide improved site drainage to manage localised stormwater issues at Lyndhurst Recreation Ground		\$\$\$	Funding Engineering design	Council budget Grant application
0-5 years						
	L3	Improve Lyndhurst Recreation Ground visual amenity through upgrades to entry statement, entry road and vegetation maintenance at periphery of grounds		\$\$\$	Funding Detailed design	Council budget Grant application
5-10 years						
Mandurama	MA2	Investigate the incorporation of a community garden in Mandurama Recreation Ground		\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council budget
0-5 years						
Millthorpe	MT3	Investigate alternative larger location for off-leash dog area to allow for improved amenity and access		\$	Consultation with users of existing off-leash area	Council resources
0-5 years						
	MT4	Provide sheltered seating, rubbish bins for off-leash dog area		\$\$	Determination on location for off-leash dog area	Council budget
5-10 years						
	MT5	Improve multi-user functionality of Redmond Oval through new facilities (generally in accordance with concept master plan), including provision of half-court and exercise stations		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget
5-10 years						
Neville	NV3	Provide new toilet at Neville Memorial Park		\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
5-10 years						
Newbridge	NB2	Provide lighting for tennis courts		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
0-5 years						
	NB3	Provide new fencing for showground		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget Grant application
5-10 years						

ACTION TYPE LEGEND



DRAFT PLAN/ STRATEGY



UPGRADE EXISTING INFRASTRUCTURE



LANDSCAPE IMPROVEMENTS



NEW INFRASTRUCTURE



PROGRAM/ INITIATIVE

Strategic theme	#	Strategic action	Type of action	Relative cost	Dependent on progress of..	Funding options
	NB4	Provide horse enclosure		\$\$	Funding	Council budget
5-10 years						
Newbridge	NB5	Provide exercise stations and basketball hoop (quarter court)		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget
5-10 years						
Access - circulation						
Millthorpe	MT6	Provide circulating pathways that connect different aspects of Redmond Oval		\$\$\$	Funding	Council budget
10+ years						
Access - management						
Carcoar	CA10	Promote availability and quality of Carcoar Sports Ground as a training/ event/ fixtures option within sporting community		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
Lyndhurst	L4	Coordinate with user groups to optimise messaging that promotes shooting and team penning		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
Mandurama	MA3	Program recreational spaces to cater to local events such as Anzac Day		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
Maintenance						
Lyndhurst	L5	Re-grade spectator mound areas of Lyndhurst Recreation Ground, in turn improving access and optimising maintenance operations		\$\$	Funding	Council resources
5-10 years						
Mandurama	MA4	Improve maintenance of existing facilities at Mandurama Recreation Ground		\$	Consideration of overall coordinated upgrade program and detailed design	Council resources
0-5 years						
Millthorpe	MT7	Introduce booking system to formalise use of Redmond Oval by school and other high use users		\$	-	Council resources
0-5 years						
Newbridge	NB6	Remove and replace old landscape trees		\$\$	Funding	Council budget
0-5 years						
Newbridge	NB7	Remove disused/ old structures from site		\$	Funding	Council budget
0-5 years						



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