



Draft Masterplan

Drummoyne Oval, Drummoyne

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Connection to Country

The Wangal people hold a deep connection to the land and landscape of the City of Canada Bay. The bushlands and foreshore areas are their lands, their home, and a place they took care of for thousands of years.

Traditionally, the lives of the Wangal people were strongly focused around the harbour and its foreshore. The Parramatta River provided a place for traditional food gathering and the Wangal people also hunted animals, harvested plants, and gathered raw materials in the local area.

For the Wangal people, and all Aboriginal people from the Sydney basin, the river is a sacred place and colonisation resulted in the dispossession of their land and their displacement. Through this Masterplan, the City of Canada Bay seeks to maintain the beauty and vibrancy of the Drummoyne Oval Precinct and continue to honour the Wangal people now and into the future.

NSW Public Spaces Charter

Council has formally recognised its commitment to the social, cultural, environmental and economic benefits of open space as a signatory to the 2021 NSW Public Spaces Charter.



What is a Masterplan?

A Masterplan highlights long-term planning aspirations over the next 10 years and establishes best practice outcomes and a clear vision. It uses community goals and desires for the project, giving spatial organisation through an illustrative representation of the proposed construction and design outcomes.

This Masterplan is a concept plan and elements are subject to change to accommodate detailed design constraints and other unforeseen changes provided the overall objectives of the relevant Plan of Management remain unchanged.

As individual components/projects progress, they will be subject to further engagement with the community.

Precinct Wide Objectives

- Continue to upgrade and extend regional level facilities at Drummoyne Oval providing sporting and community outcomes for a wide range of stakeholders.
- Continue to upgrade and manage play, seating and picnic areas through the precinct and facilitate informal recreation.
- Improve connections and accessibility to all park facilities and destinations to encourage walking and cycling.
- Enhance the tree canopy to contribute to the greening of Drummoyne Oval as well as contributing to the renewal and growth of the urban forest.
- Consider safety of all precinct users as part of all improvements and management decisions.



Taplin Park - Key Objectives

- Maintain and enhance the successful mix of sports grounds, play, dog walking and passive recreation to cater and appeal to all users.
- Improve safe access and experience of the park waterfront and boat ramp.
- Improve quality and access to amenities.

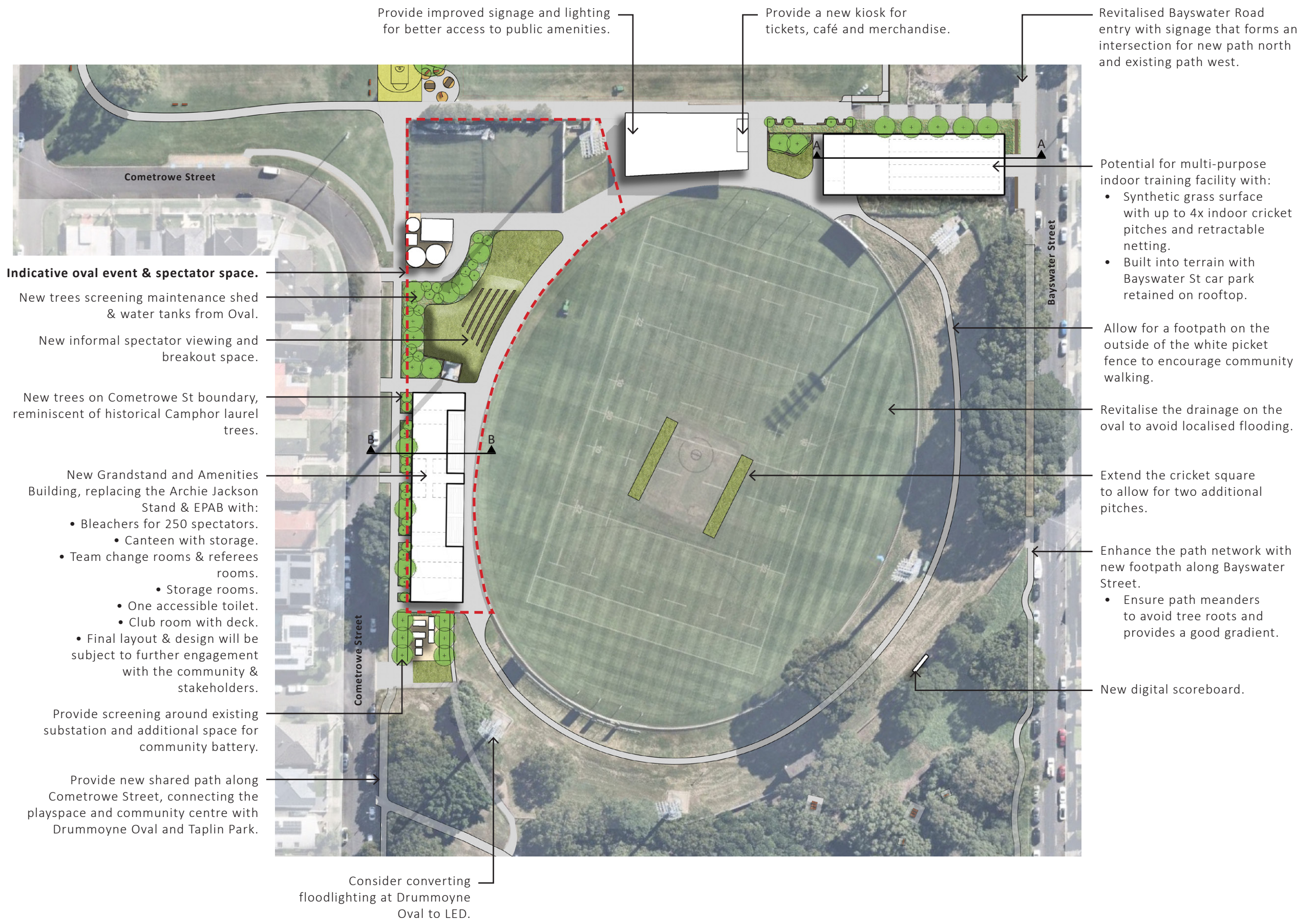
Drummoyne Oval - Key Objectives

- Continue the transformation of Drummoyne Oval infrastructure to provide quality facilities for key stakeholders and the wider community.
- Consider a new building on the western edge of the oval to replace the functions of Archie Jackson and the EPAB building with improved spectator viewing of the field for all codes
- Investigate the potential for a new multi-purpose training facility with car parking adjacent to the Bayswater Road entrance.

Drummoyne Park - Key Objectives

- Maintain the landscape character of fig trees and the potential for greening the landscape.
- Improve the presentation and accessibility of entries on all boundaries.
- Provide additional places for safe and informal passive recreation and play.
- Continue operation of the Drummoyne Community Centre to cater for diverse community needs.





Provide new shared path along Cometrowe Street, connecting the playspace and community centre with Drummoyne Oval and Taplin Park.

Provide more seating opportunities around the playground.

Upgrade playspace for more diverse & accessible experiences in keeping with 'Everyone Can Play' & consider path access to the playspace from surrounding areas.

Consider relocating memorial plaque to an enhanced location.

Create a landscaped entry at Dempsey Place with trees and ground covers.

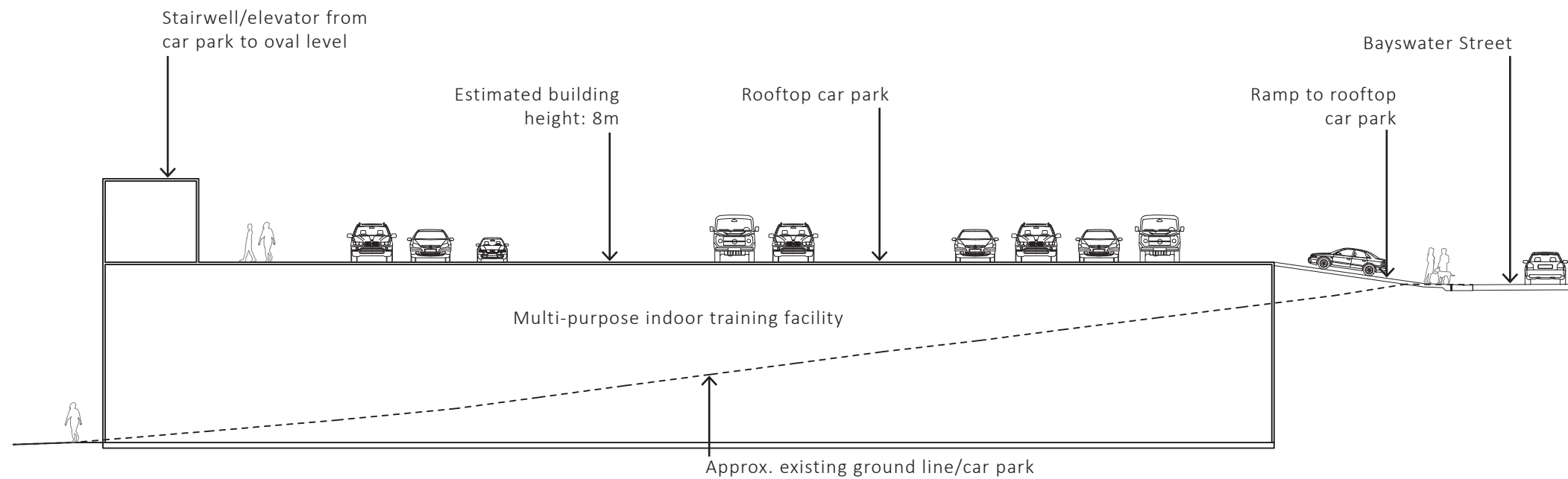
Enhance the path network with new footpath along Bayswater Street.

- Ensure path meanders to avoid tree roots and provides a good gradient.

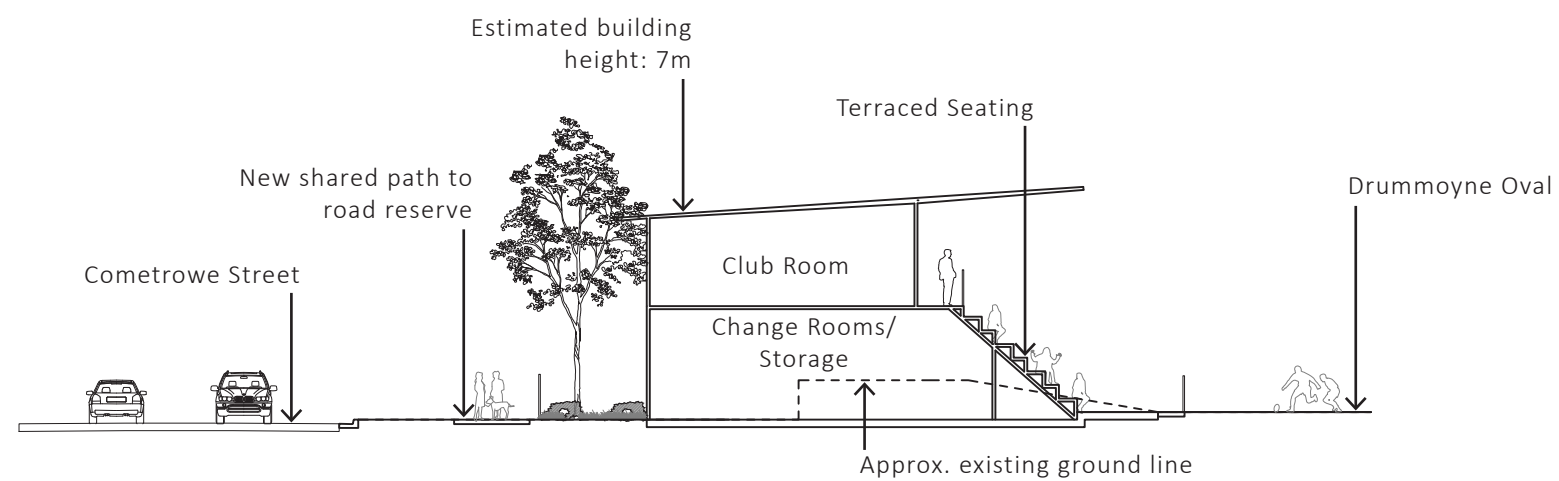
Provide safe informal recreational spaces in Drummoyne Park.

Upgrade existing path between Cometrowe Street & Bayswater Street to a shared path.

Retain existing dog off-leash area.



Concept Section A-A: Proposed Multi-purpose Indoor Training Facility with Rooftop Parking



Concept Section B-B: Proposed Grandstand & Amenities Building

