

## Frequently Asked Questions

### How long will construction take?

Works have commenced, we anticipate completion by February 2019.

### How will dust and noise be managed?

The contractor will seek to minimise dust, noise and water runoff in accordance with environmental standards. Excavation and compaction works will occur from February over 4 weeks. A water truck will be onsite.

### What will happen to parking in the area?

For safe access to the site, there will be some on-street parking restrictions at critical construction times. On completion, the overall parking capacity will increase. Follow us on social media or visit our website to stay across the latest news.

### What areas of the site will be closed?

Site fencing has been installed around the demolished Memorial Hall. For public safety, access to the spectator mound and half of the car park are temporarily closed.

### When will work start each day?

The site is under construction five days a week, Monday to Friday, 7am to 5pm.

### What's happening to the Memorial Gardens?

There will be no access to the Memorial Gardens over the next few months, as the upgrade for this area begins to take shape. The Lawn Bowls Club will temporarily relocate on the gardens from March until December.

### How will local roads be affected?

Disruption of local roads will be kept to a minimum during construction. We aim to notify you via letterbox drops if we need to temporarily close a road or divert traffic for an extended period of time. SA Power Networks closed East Tce to install power cables from 31 January and finished work on 2 February. We apologise for any inconvenience this may have caused. We encourage you to follow us on Facebook or visit our website for the most up-to-date changes.

## Stay informed

We are committed to providing you with all the information you need about the construction process and what it means to you as a local resident.

You can expect to receive regular updates, notifications of any road closures and diversions, and news of construction milestones.

By communicating with you regularly we aim to minimise any disruption caused by building work.

Updates will be provided via letterbox drop. We encourage you to follow us on Facebook or visit our website to stay across latest news.



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## Questions?



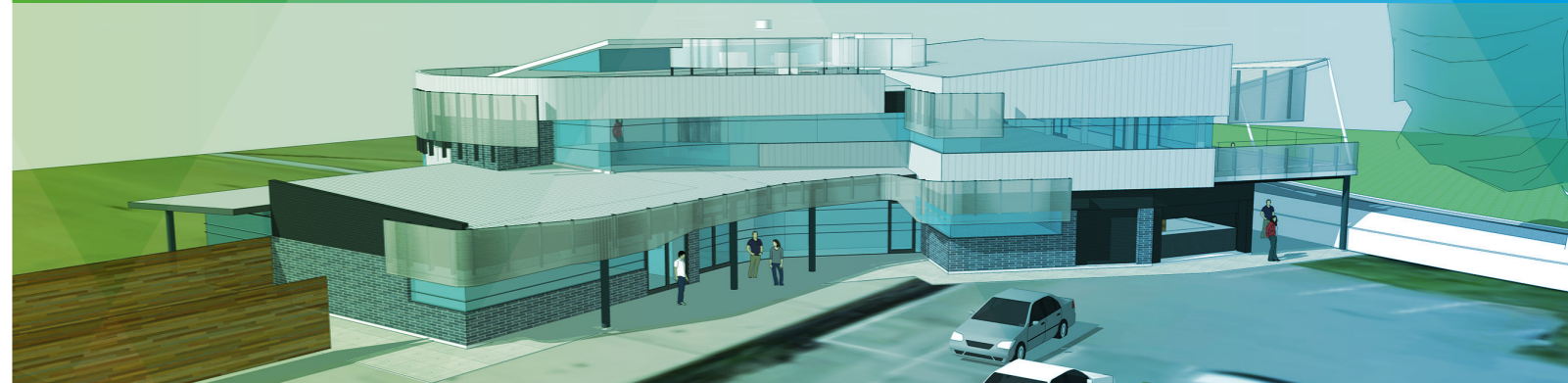
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## IT'S A GO! WORK STARTS ON OVAL

Welcome to the latest construction update for the transformation of Edwardstown Soldiers' Memorial Recreation Ground into a modern sporting and community complex and memorial site.

Construction has started on Edwardstown Oval's \$8.8 million redevelopment.

The first soil was turned in front of almost 150 residents, army servicemen, RSL, sports club members and politicians in January. The community hall has been demolished for the new two-story building and upgraded carpark.

A facelift to the Memorial Gardens will begin as we enter stage two that will see new pillars built and refurbished gates, along with installation of turf, plants and landscape features including a new shelter.

Work on the gardens will be finished ready to commemorate ANZAC Day on 25 April 2018.

We remain committed to keeping you informed every step of the way.

The Memorial Gardens acknowledge the history of this site. Every second year, these grounds host the Anzac Day Youth Vigil.

### What's happening next?

- Construction for bike and cricket equipment storage
- Loop path still open for access
- Memorial Gardens closed for upgrade
- Bitumen works for car park redevelopment
- Spectator mound closed for upgrade
- Lawn Bowls Club relocated from March 2018
- Road speeds surrounding site temporarily reduced, some road closures or diversions on nearby streets

We seek expressions of interest from interested locals to join our Community Reference Group. Visit : [marion.sa.gov.au/edwardstown-transformed](http://marion.sa.gov.au/edwardstown-transformed)



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# EDWARDSTOWN OVAL - SOIL TURN CEREMONY PICS

Here are some snaps from the groundbreaking ceremony and BBQ.

We thank the Marion City Band, sporting and recreational clubs and the community for their participation and involvement.

## What's Next

We are upgrading the Memorial Gardens. The original iron-work gates will be repainted and restored. The heritage-listed gates are highly valued by the local community. We are rebuilding the gate pillars.

Inside the garden will be a new path, shelter, three new flagpoles and plants. We will retain some original roses along the garden's northern boundary. Defence insignia will have pride of place on the commemoration wall.

Once completed, Edwardstown Oval will contain the following:

- Modern two-storey building
- Community and function rooms
- Change rooms
- Upgraded memorial gardens
- Canteen
- Resurfaced velodrome
- Cycling and cricket storage
- Cricket nets
- Spectator mound
- Additional carparks



Crowd gathers for sod turn ceremony



Councillor Tim Pfeiffer with Matt Altus and Aaron Schmidt from South Road Cricket Club



Skinny Lattes Cycling Club members Robyn Huston, Belinda Bramley and Felicity Laing.



Kennetts Builders - James Kennett, John Ward, David Beare, Paul Davies, Simon Best and Kai Ward



Sasha



Minister for Education and Training and Senator for SA Simon Birmingham with Mayor Kris Hanna



Olympian Stephanie Morton OAM with South Coast Cycling Club members



Zara, Phillip, Aiden and Nicole

- ▶ **2015**  
Concept plan developed.
- ▶ **2016**  
Concept plan endorsed by Council. The Australian Government through the Community Development Grants Programme, and Council committed \$4 million each towards the upgrade.
- ▶ **2017**  
Community consultation on concept. Council endorse design.

**WE ARE HERE**

**Stage 1**  
**Jan - Mar 2018**  
Community hall demolished. Half of carpark completed, spectator mound and cycling storage facilities built.

**Stage 2**  
**Feb - ANZAC Day, 25 April 2018**  
Begin Memorial Garden upgrade.

- ▶ **Stage 3**  
**Mar - Oct 2018**  
Existing bowling club demolished. Construction of two-storey Edwardstown Sporting and Community Centre.
- ▶ **Stage 4**  
**Oct 2018**  
Completion of Memorial Garden upgrade.
- ▶ **Stage 5**  
**Nov - Dec 2018**  
Velodrome (cycling track) resurfacing.
- ▶ **Stage 6**  
**Jan - Feb 2019**  
Existing football clubrooms demolished. Completion of remaining carpark.