

Community Newsletter

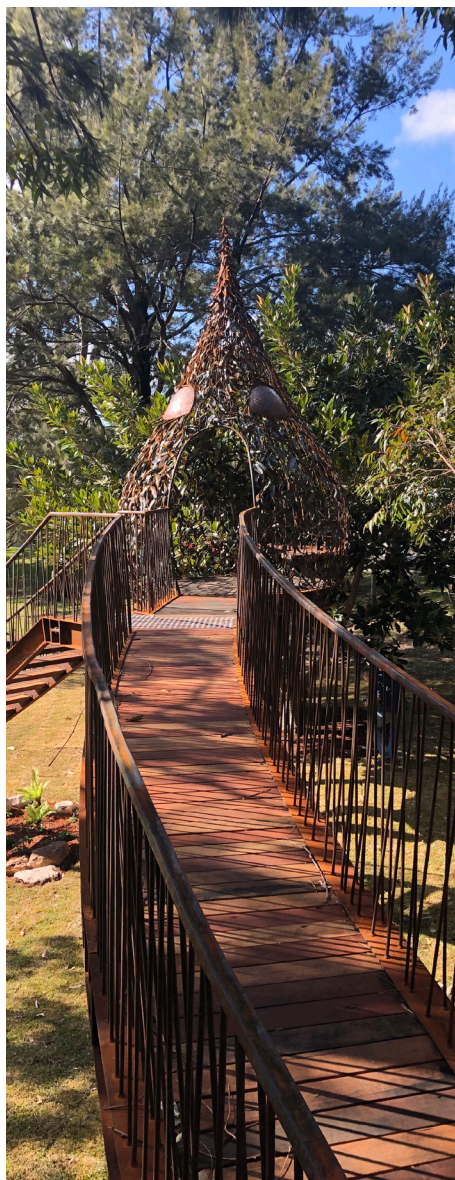
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Eveleigh Tree House

Nell's beautiful Tree House artworks are now complete and ready for the public to enjoy. These beautiful sculptures have been crafted in our very own Blacksmith's workshop, **Eveleigh Works**.

The Tree Houses are located at the edge of Eveleigh Green, out the front of Yerrabingin House.



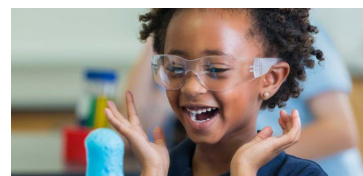
Sign up to our newsletter

The South Eveleigh newsletter will continue to be available on our website and by signing up online.

If you would like to receive this newsletter in hard copy please contact Communications and Engagement Manager, Kim Elliott on south.eveleigh@mirvac.com or 1800 870 549.

WHAT'S ON

School holiday science at South Eveleigh



Unleash the spark in your junior scientist this school holidays with science workshops at South Eveleigh.

Times: 9am – 12pm and 1pm – 4pm

Dates: Monday 30 September – Friday 4 October and Tuesday 8 October – Friday 11 October

Location: Tree Ants Child Care Centre, 5 Central Avenue, South Eveleigh

Open to: Grades K–6*

Cost: \$35 per workshop, book as many as you like!

Workshop Topics:

- Chemical concoctions
- Robotics
- CSI forensics
- The gross human body
- Rip roaring rockets & space
- Create a buzz
- Waves of fun - the science of light & sound
- Extreme engineering

For more information and to book visit:

southeveleigh.mirvac.com/whats-on

*Must be enrolled at school

For more information on anything to do with the construction works:

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Mirvac's Community Grant Program

Mirvac recently awarded a grant to The Shepherd Centre for Deaf Children - a not-for-profit, registered, charitable organisation based in Newtown. The Centre provides a family-centred, early intervention program to teach children born deaf or hearing impaired how to develop spoken language.

By developing their speech and listening skills, these children can attend a mainstream school and enjoy all the opportunities available to other children.

Mirvac's grant will help the Centre to deliver their 'Chime Time - Acoustic Skills' music therapy program for children with hearing loss.

The program uses music and song to develop the speech and listening skills, as well as language and social communication, of children who are deaf or who have hearing loss.

Parents of children who have participated in this program before report that they are more confident, resilient and engaged, and are better informed about hearing loss and hearing technology.

Children who participate in the program have better opportunities to develop the speech and language skills they need to fulfil their potential in life and become independent, self-sufficient, contributing members of their community.

Heritage Update - Locomotive Workshop

The Stage 2 Heritage Interpretation Plan for the Locomotive Workshop was approved by the Department of Planning, Industry and Environment on Friday 6 September 2019. This is exciting progress for the heritage interpretation of this significant building!

The Stage 2 HIP was developed by Curio Projects in consultation with the Rail, Tram and Bus Union - Retired Members Association, the Australian Railway Historical Society - NSW Division, Transport Heritage NSW, City of Sydney, Unions NSW, REDWatch, the Heritage Division of the Office of Environment and Heritage, Engineering Sydney Heritage, and former workers and volunteers to include ideas from these groups to celebrate and share the history of the Eveleigh precinct.

The Stage 2 HIP presents plans for the physical, digital and public program activities that will be developed over the next 12 months leading up to the re-opening of the Locomotive Workshop.

We are working with architects The Buchan Group to ensure that the design of the new interpretive spaces is sympathetic to the building and machinery collection and are welcoming and engaging spaces to learn about the history of the site and the stories of the people who worked here over the decades.

We are beginning research into the new digital platform that will host interpretation information, to find out what type of historical information people want, and how they would like it presented. This research will happen over the next two months.

We're currently finalising our upcoming program of interviews with key knowledge-holders and experts to inform our plans. If you have a connection to the heritage of the site, and/or have some stories about former workers that you would be happy to share with us, please send us an email at southeveleigh@mirvac.com.

Over the next 12 months, we will continue to provide updates on our heritage interpretation via this newsletter, our Community Liaison Group and other stakeholder panels, our website and social media channels.



Did you know?

Until the 1990's, the Bays within the Locomotive Workshop were numbered 1-4, 4a and 5-15. They are currently named Bays 1-16. We wish to re-instate the numbering of the Bays, back to their original sequence in order to provide the most historical and interpretative context for the Locomotive Workshop within its broader Eveleigh Railway Workshops setting. Carriageworks then starts at Bay 16, which is where the carriages went for fitting out after they were built on the South Eveleigh site.

Tribal Warrior Aboriginal Corporation

Mirvac are proud to have worked with the Tribal Warrior Aboriginal Corporation based in Redfern.

Their 'Clean Slate Without Prejudice' program is increasingly recognised for its success in helping keep young kids from Redfern out of prison. Their 'Never Going Back' program is helping ex-offenders avoid going back.

Some of our own team have participated in the program, boxing with other participants in the early hours of the morning!

Tribal Warrior also run maritime training and harbour cruises in Sydney to create employment opportunities for underprivileged Aboriginal youth.

There are two cruises coming up towards the end of the year. These include a Christmas Cruise and a New Years Cruise.



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New Years Eve Cruise

You'll be in the best seats in the house for Sydney NYE!

Tribal Warrior welcome you to come aboard Mari Nawi as she leads the Harbour of Light Parade to welcome in the New Year. Be part of an on-board smoking ceremony to mark the beginning of the celebrations.

Enjoy a three-course meal then clear away the tables to dance your way into the New Year. You'll enjoy the best possible view of both the 9 pm and midnight fireworks on Tribal Warrior's highly acclaimed New Year's Eve Cruise.

TICKET PRICES

\$600 Per Person

DATE & TIME

Sunday 31 December 2019

6:30 pm – 1:00 am

DEPARTURES

Heritage Pontoon, Australian National Maritime Museum

Christmas Cruises

Celebrate Christmas on Sydney Harbour aboard the Mari Nawi!

Tribal Warrior offer a private Christmas charter aboard Mari Nawi - the perfect solution for a fun and memorable Christmas celebration with your team!

Our vessel the Mari Nawi accommodates up to 150 guests with catering, drinks packages and entertainment options that can be tailored to meet your needs.

We are Australia's only Aboriginal charter service operating in Sydney Harbour. We are reliable, friendly, and our highly accomplished mariners strive to deliver a unique and memorable cruise experience for our clients.

OPTIONAL EXTRAS

Authentic Aboriginal cultural performances and bush tucker catering.

TICKET PRICES

From \$2,100 Per Person

For more information, visit tribalwarrior.org or speak to the team via 02 9699 3491 or email sales@tribalwarrior.org



Construction Activities

Locomotive Workshop

Major Milestones and Major Works:

- Construction has now commenced on site with piling and civil works underway in Bays 1 - 4.
- Demolition will continue in Bays 5 - 8.
- Structural steel erection is forecast to commence in October.

The Foundry (Building 2)

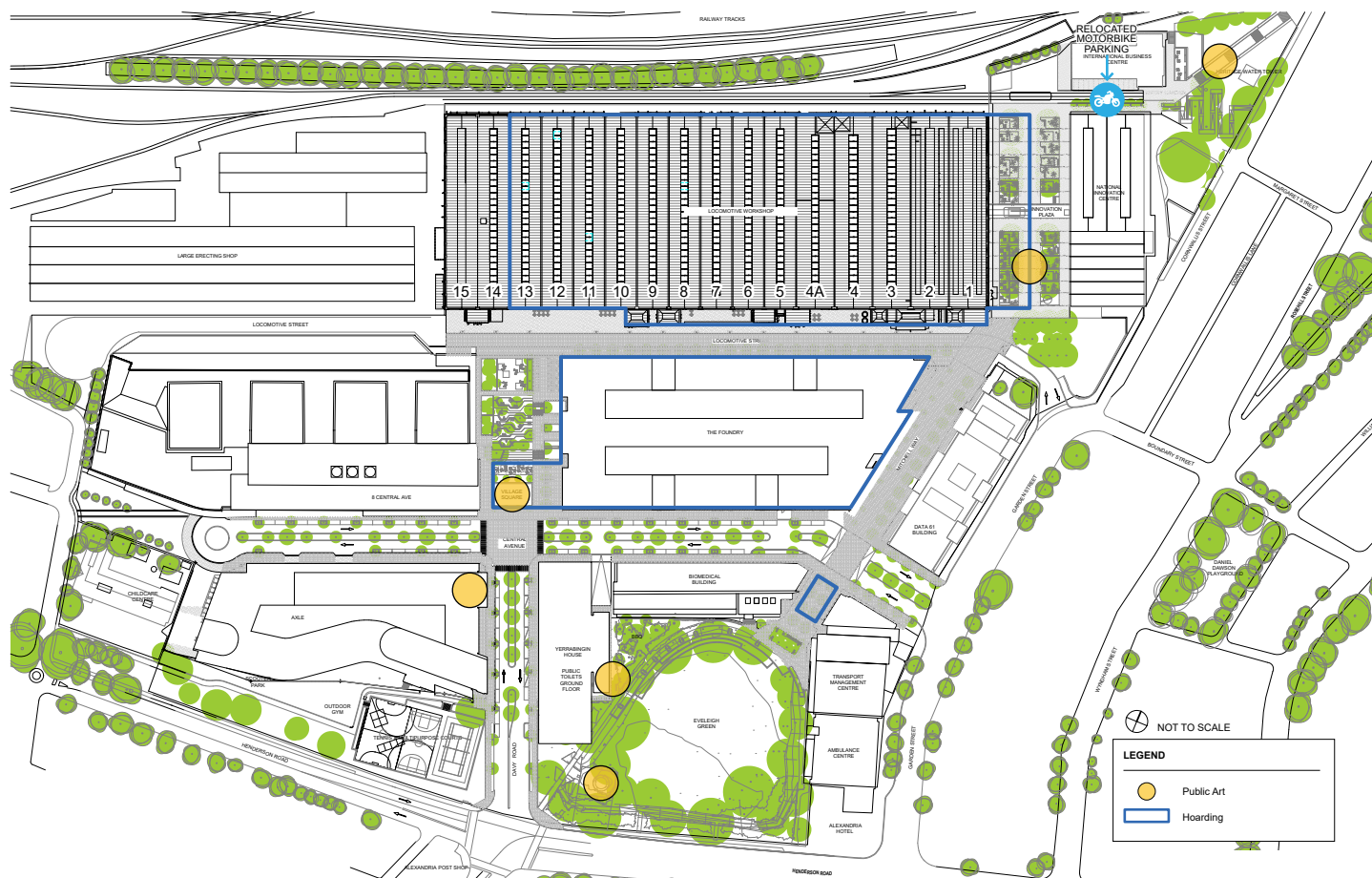
Major Works:

- Roofing nearing completion.
- Installation of internal services ongoing to plantroom, with completion due in September.
- Curtainwall installation nearing completion.
- Ground plane façade works commenced to Locomotive street and Central Avenue.

Public Domain

Major Works:

- Retail fitout to Yerrabingin House café are now complete.
- Works on Locomotive street progressing well – ongoing for the rest of the year.
- Village Square is nearing completion for partial opening in mid-October.



Road and Footpath Closures

- Central Avenue northern will be closed during construction hours.
- Locomotive Street southern footpath between Mitchell Way and Village Square to be closed.
- Pedestrian diversions will be in place due to the closure of

the Village Square steps. Pedestrians will be diverted down Mitchell Way and along Central Avenue. From mid-September, the Village Square steps will be available to use.

- Pedestrian diversions will be in place along Locomotive Street locally around works.