Welcome to shoreline, the newsletter keeping you up to date with all things Kingston Foreshore. Please contact us at info-kf@act.gov.au if you would prefer to receive Shoreline via email, have any comments or would like to change your details.

Boardwalk gets green light Foreshore

The Kingston Foreshore promenade, boardwalk and associated landscaping has achieved Development Approval and construction is set to commence in the coming months.

Upon completion the promenade and boardwalk will provide users with direct access to the water’s edge along the perimeter of the Kingston Foreshore Harbour and link to the broader Lake Burley Griffin pedestrian and bicycle networks.

The boardwalk will feature the creation of new parks, furniture, paving, trails and trees allowing residents and visitors to appreciate the grand vistas across Lake Burley Griffin within a high quality landscape setting.
Working boat harbour

Located on The Island, the working boat harbour will feature facilities for mooring and maintenance, including storage requirements for commercial cruise operators currently operating on Lake Burley Griffin. With adjacent buildings incorporating restaurants, cafes and residential apartments, the working boat harbour elements is set to become a key destination at Kingston Foreshore for visitors and residents alike.

A project manager has been engaged to deliver the final design and construction of the boat harbour, which is scheduled for completion in June 2012.

Infrastructure enhancements

Work has commenced on the construction of roads and services for the preparation of new sites to be developed over the next 12-24 months. These sites will provide the opportunity for buildings incorporating a mix of purposes including non residential and residential uses.

The works include completion of the Eyre Street Bridge, the extension of Eyre Street through to the Causeway, additional service roads including pedestrian pathways and on street parking.

The eastern precinct area of Kingston Foreshore will provide a high quality and predominance of landscaping within the public realm and streetscape accessible to everyone. The aim is to generate a lively and community focused pedestrian environment.

Bike path through wetlands

The ACT Government has recently completed a new cycle path through the Jerrabomberra Wetlands Nature Reserve, connecting Kingston Foreshore to the northern parts of Lake Burley Griffin.

The new trail gives bike riders their own path through the wetlands, making it quicker and easier to cycle through while also increasing amenity for walkers on the existing pedestrian path.

The pathway winds through the wetlands’ unique scenery and links up with established paths at Newcastle Street and Dairy Flat Road, giving those who live and work on Kingston Foreshore another reason to leave the car at home and get active for their daily commute.

Website changes

Keep your eye out for the new look Kingston Foreshore website coming soon!

The refreshed website makes navigation easy, with the new homepage allowing quick access to all the latest information on buying at Kingston Foreshore, commercial opportunities and the many attractions Kingston Foreshore has to offer.