



BLCS Development

Information Update on the Stage II Development of Blacktown Leisure Centre Stanhope

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Development Works hit full speed!

With the finishing line now tantalisingly close, it's full steam ahead with the Stage II developments. Major changes to the entrance plaza are now clearly evident and the gym extension and squash court have sprung from the ground! The newly completed car park extension has been a wonderful success and additional lights will be installed in the next 10 days which will finish it off nicely. All the staff at the Centre have been overwhelmed with your patience and understanding whilst these works have happened. The next few weeks will see some major physical changes to the inside of the Centre as the finishing touches are applied. Unfortunately this will mean that we will have to close our doors for a few days so that essential power connection and demolition works can take place as safely as possible. To that end, Blacktown Leisure Centre Stanhope will be closed for a four day period from Saturday 23rd May 2009 until Tuesday 26th May 2009 inclusive and will re-open on Wednesday 27th May 2009. During this time, there will be no power to the Centre which will mean the shutdown of the Centre's pool chlorination and circulation systems as well water temperature control equipment and all lights. The closure will also allow for the demolition and relocation of the current reception area and entrance turnstiles and preparation of the floor for the installation of the new regupol rubber flooring in the gym. As always, "Thank you" for your patience during these developments and completion is now not far away.

Kevin Jones (Centre Manager)



BLCS Extension &
Library Building
Contractor

Notice of Temporary Closure - BLCS

Given the need for essential works to take place in as safe an environment as possible, the Centre will **close for 4 days from Saturday 23rd May to Tuesday 26th May 2009 inclusive**. We will reopen for business as usual from Wednesday 27th May 2009.

Over these 4 days, works to be undertaken will include; power upgrade to accommodate the expanded facilities; completion of new swim school office in the foyer area; temporary relocation of reception desk to the swim school office pending completion of new reception desk; demolition of existing reception desk; installation of new turnstiles; replacement of foyer carpet; installation of air curtain between aquatics and the foyer; completion of walls to gym and spin room; gym floor slab cutting for new rubber flooring; various other works.

During these four days all learn to swim classes will be cancelled as will all regular activity bookings and classes. Arrangements are currently being put in place in relation to these cancelled lessons and learn to swim students will be advised as soon as possible.

Updated Summary Schedule of Works

January 2009	Structural steel complete
January 2009	Foyer reception and hoarding changed
February 2009	External building works commenced
March 2009	Parents Room commences
March 2009	Swim School office commences
23 rd May – 26 th May	Centre closes for essential works
27 th May 2009	Centre re-opens
May	Reception relocates temporarily to new Swim School Office
May	Parents Room opens
June/July 2009	Development scheduled for completion
July / August 2009	Opening of Dennis Johnson Library

