

CAMDEN COUNCIL

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IMPROVED FACILITIES FOR OFF- LEASH AREA IN ELDERSLIE

Pooches and their owners can now feel more at ease when using the off-leash area in Elderslie, following recent improvements to the facility by Camden Council.

Camden Council's Companion Animal Advisory Committee has identified a number of improvements to the River Road, Elderslie off-leash area including a designated section for smaller dog breeds, along with solar lighting to allow dogs and their owners to enjoy the facility of an evening.

Mayor of Camden, Cr Lara Symkowiak is delighted to announce the improvements to this facility.

"My Council is committed to providing facilities and events for families with companion animals.

"This is an important facility for dogs and their owners and it just got even better."

"Smaller dogs can now enjoy the facility without being overwhelmed by larger dogs. Fencing and signage has now been installed to distinguish an area for dogs that have a maximum shoulder height of 40cm."

"Council has also installed solar lighting at the facility so that those who wish to exercise their dogs can do so until 8pm when the lights will automatically switch off. This will assist residents who may have difficulty due to work or other commitments to access the facility during daylight hours." Cr Symkowiak said.

The River Road, Elderslie off-leash area features exercise and agility equipment including a ramp bridge, tunnels and a doggy see-saw.

An additional off-leash area is available at the Bicentennial Equestrian Park before 10am and after 5pm daily, excluding during horse event periods.

Additional information can be found on Council's website at www.camden.nsw.gov.au

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