



Media Release

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Council awarded for Birriwa youth space

Council has been awarded for its innovation and initiative in creating the Birriwa Reserve Outdoor Youth Space at the Parks and Leisure Australia Awards of Excellence.

The annual awards acknowledge best practice in the industry and presented Council with a high commendation for the youth space in the category of Playspace (over \$500,000).

“Birriwa is a project that has transformed an underutilised site into an adventure haven for older children, teenagers and families alike,” said Mayor Lara Symkowiak.

“The project delivered on Camden Council’s vision to create a facility specifically for 10 to 17 year olds which continues to be extremely popular within our community,” Cr Symkowiak said.

“I would like to congratulate Council’s Birriwa project team who worked extremely hard to bring this fantastic project to life,” she said.

Council is now engaging the community on two new water play parks and two additional youth spaces in areas across Camden.

More information is available on the ‘Your Parks. Your Voice’ page of the website, www.camden.nsw.gov.au.

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