

Media Release



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Council traineeship for elite female sports person

Council will offer an introduction to a career for a young female cricket player as part of an Elite Female Sportsperson Traineeship.

At last night's meeting, Council agreed to pilot a sportsperson traineeship program for 12 months in collaboration with the Campbelltown Camden District Cricket Club (CCDCC).

"This is a ground-breaking initiative that will make it possible for a female Macarthur athlete to gain valuable training with Camden Council as their host employer," said Mayor Lara Symkowiak.

"Camden Council is a strong supporter of sport and encourages female participation in sport. This initiative makes it possible for the successful applicant to pursue their sports career while gaining a qualification," Cr Symkowiak said.

"I welcome the opportunity for Council to actively support a sports woman to fulfil their potential and achieve their goals," she said.

The traineeship will be coordinated as part of Council's existing My Gateway program, which currently offers 16 trainees and four apprentices valuable training and a nationally accredited qualification.

The successful applicant will be placed in Council's Sport, Recreation and Sustainability or the Communication and Events team for a 12-month period.

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