

# Media Release

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## Residents flock to opening of Curry Reserve Water Play Space

Curry Reserve Water Play Space's grand opening has been hailed a great success after more than a thousand residents attended the celebrations on Saturday 1 December.

The \$2.4 million project is Camden's first water play park and is one of three major projects for 2018, alongside the recently opened Harrington Park Lake Youth Play Space and Sedgewick Reserve Youth Play Space.

"The official opening was a great success with children enjoying the new facility along with jumping castles and giant garden games on offer on the day," Mayor, Cr Peter Sidgreaves said.

"It was fantastic to see so many smiling faces enjoying the opening and celebrating the start of summer at our first ever water play park.

"I hope the entire community enjoys the new space which will be open from September through to April and that it becomes a place for fun and family time."

Construction of the new toilets and change rooms was delayed due to the unexpected find of historical artefacts unearthed at the site. Council has postponed the start of works on the amenities until autumn 2019 to reduce the potential impact of dust, noise and traffic on park users during the busy summer period.

The current amenities will remain open for use throughout the summer season.

The new amenities will include wheelchair accessible change facilities including an adult hoist, waterproof wheelchair, new toilets and change rooms.

For more details on Curry Reserve Water Play Space, visit Council's website:

[www.camden.nsw.gov.au](http://www.camden.nsw.gov.au)

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