

View of Middle Harbour.

10 Terminal and Parklands Renewal Project

The Harbour Trust is beginning to reimagine the 10 Terminal buildings at Middle Head.

In 2019, the Commonwealth Government committed \$10 million in funding to help realise the vision for Middle Head.

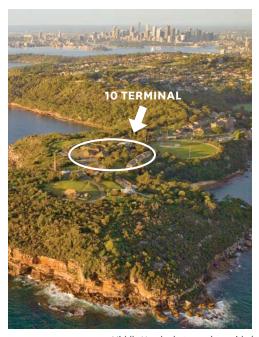
The planned outcomes were amended in close consultation with the community, culminating in the *Middle Head Management Plan 2017*. The Plan is located on the Harbour Trust website harbourtrust.gov.au/en/corporate/publications

Key outcomes for Middle Head are:

- Restore and adapt the complex of single-storey brick buildings for new community and commercial uses
- Demolish the two-storey timber barracks and re-landscape the site as public parkland, opening up views over Middle Harbour
- Create a new easy grade walking loop around the precinct with vantage points over the surrounding waterways
- Interpret the site's heritage, acknowledging the First Nations heritage, and the layers of environmental and military heritage.

Our vision for the precinct is to create a contemporary place for the community, delivering significant public domain benefit through the creation of parkland with heritage buildings re-imagined and activated for community and commercial uses.

See inside for more information.



Middle Head, photograph provided courtesy of Ashley Mackevicius.

Headland Park

Located on the Mosman peninsular, Headland Park comprises three precincts — Georges Heights, Middle Head and Chowder Bay.



View the Headland Park brochure for visitor tips, including key attractions and to find out about the history of this stunning destination.





Heritage Buildings and New Parklands

The removal of the two-storey timber barracks will allow for the creation of new public parkland.

A new easy grade walking loop around the precinct will be connected to the existing and proposed path network in the National Park.

The heritage buildings will be restored with all external heritage features retained, contaminant material removed and buildings brought up to code. No new buildings are proposed.

Buildings Adapted and Reactivated

Diverse uses are intended, including public facing uses that foster community such as exhibition spaces, food & beverage, interpretation, education or community meeting spaces.

Commercial tenancies will be considered in discrete spaces, accommodation use will not be considered.

History Revealed

We will work with NPWS for a unified headland story. A digital-led interpretation strategy will focus on the key themes and stories of Middle Head's national significance and heritage including natural, environmental and military heritage, Australian School of Pacific Administration (ASOPA) history and First Nations custodianship, heritage and continuing connection to Middle Head.

Community Engagement

The Harbour Trust Community Advisory Committees and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Advisory Group will be consistently engaged throughout planning, design and delivery.

Additional opportunities for input will be available to the community during this process. Refer to the timeline. Look out for the Headland Park community newsletter, sign up to our e.newsletter or follow us on social to stay up to date.

Timeline

MIDDLE HEAD MANAGEMENT PLAN
AMENDMENT 2017

Informed through an extensive community consultation program.

COMMONWEALTH FUNDING ANNOUNCED TO HARBOUR TRUST

In 2019, the Australian Government announced \$10m in funding for 10 Terminal.

PROJECT DIRECTION

Sept

Late

2020

Early

2021

Early 2021 Project scoping and input from the Harbour Trust Community Advisory Committee and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Advisory Committee.

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

Public exhibition of the Draft Design Concept.

EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST

Community groups, organisations and the commercial sector are formally invited to put in a submission for compatible mix of uses.

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION

including refined design concept.

PROJECT WORKS COMMENCE

Late 2021



Discover the Bondi to Manly Walk

Headland Park is now part of the recently launched Bondi to Manly Walk. The walk, 80 kilometres from end to end, connects Manly and Bondi to Mosman. The Headland Park component of the walk leads visitors through Georges Heights and Chowder Bay. This element of the walk provides Sydney Harbour views as well as close encounters with surrounding native flora and fauna. It also follows tracks through *Bungaree's Farm*.

The track takes in a number of other Harbour Trust sites; Sub Base Platypus in North Sydney, Macquarie Lightstation in Vaucluse and North Head Sanctuary in Manly.

Just follow the whale symbol.



Visit www.bonditomanly.com to plan your trip.

Get active with Orienteering NSW at Headland Park



Orienteering NSW and the Harbour Trust have partnered to bring orienteering to Headland Park. Orienteering is geared towards all age groups and is a great way to enjoy the natural beauty of the headland.

The Headland Park program consists of four courses, catering for different fitness levels and orienteering experience. The 900m and 1km courses are an opportunity for beginners to develop their navigational skills, while experienced orienteers can test their mettle with the 2.4km or 4km courses.

Each course can be completed via a guided orienteering map or by downloading the MapRunF app onto a smart phone.

Visit harbourtrust.gov.au to access the course.

Headland Park Tenant In Focus

Wildlife Health Australia

Wildlife Health Australia (WHA) is the coordinating body for wildlife health in Australia. The objectives are to protect and enhance the natural environment, and to help better manage wildlife health.

During health and disease incidents involving wildlife, their role is to communicate with, link and coordinate responding agencies and provide technical information to assist.

WHA is involved in a number of current significant events, including reporting to the Bushfire Royal Commission on our activities during the 2019/2020 bushfires, and collating information and developing fact sheets on COVID-19 and Coronaviruses as they relate to Australian wildlife.

At any one time, there are significant disease events that WHA closely monitors and reports on that have the potential to impact on Australia's environment, biodiversity, animal and human health, trade and tourism.

Free membership is available to anyone with an interest in wildlife health.

More information on membership, the programs and activities can be found at www.wildlifehealthaustralia.com.au



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