

New South Wales Government Independent Planning Commission

SITE INSPECTION NOTES

This meeting is part of the determination process

Project:	Blue Gum Community School (SSD10444)
Location:	1 Rosemead Road and surrounding local area (map included as Attachment A)
Date:	Tuesday, 9 February 2021
Time:	1:00pm

ATTENDANCE

Commission Members:	Peter Duncan (Chair) Adrian Pilton	
Office of the IPC:	Jane Anderson Casey Joshua Margaret Mason	Senior Planning Officer Principal Case Manager Administrative Coordinator
Applicant:	Jill McLachlan Maureen Hartung OAM Jeff Mead Jarrod Lamshed	Blue Gum Community School Blue Gum Community School Planning Ingenuity Armada Architects
Community Members:	David Martin Richard Mason Ian Cubitt Bob Sendt	Hornsby Conservation Society Hornsby Conservation Society Neighbour Neighbour
Invited, but did not attend:	Daven Timms	

LOCATIONS & KEY FEATURES

(photos included as Attachment B)

- 1. Front garden of the building
 - Opening statement and introductions.
- 2. Inside of the building upstairs

The Panel observed:

- Location of the proposed new fire stair egress existing window proposed to be altered to provide door
- The handrail of the internal stairs, which is the location of new balustrading to achieve BCA requirements

- External balcony and balustrade, proposed for alteration in alignment with BCA requirements
- First floor rooms and bathrooms.
- 3. Exterior of the building rear

The Panel observed:

- alterations to the rear entrance (from the proposed new carpark)
- Location of proposed new pedestrian path to William Street.
- 4. Inside of the building downstairs

The Panel observed:

- Location of the proposed new bathrooms and staff room.
- The existing kitchen.
- The existing leadlight windows, which are proposed to be retained.

Discussion about proposed lighting and flooring and potential air conditioning.

5. Exterior of the building – east side

The Panel observed:

- The location of the proposed new external fire stairs.
- 6. Exterior of the building rear

The Panel observed:

- Location of the proposed new play areas and discussed proposed fencing.
- Viewed the area of the former tennis court (area of proposed new car parking), trees proposed to be removed and proposed boundary landscaping around the carpark.
- 7. Exterior of the building west side

The Panel observed:

- location of the proposed extension to the driveway for the purpose of the loop road and new vehicle crossing
- trees proposed to be removed and those to be retained.
- Proposed bin storage location.

8. Front garden of the building

The Panel observed:

- viewed the existing front gates, proposed to be expanded and a new pedestrian access point added.
- trees proposed to be removed and retained

A community member noted the Canary Palms to the east of the front gardens should be removed. A community member noted that traffic and acoustic issues are a key concern.

Following the site and building tour, the panel walked around Rosemead and William Streets to observe the intersection configuration and the nearby residences

Site inspection closed at 2.05pm



SITE INSPECTION MAP

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ATTACHMENT A

1 Rosemead Rd, Hornsby



Source: Sixmaps



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SITE INSPECTION PHOTOS

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ATTACHMENT B













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Location 3













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Location 5











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Location 7







