

Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club Redevelopment

Randwick City Council is redeveloping the Maroubra Surf Life Saving Club to deliver a modern, fit-for-purpose facility that supports volunteer lifesaving, training, youth development and community connection for generations to come.



Materials palette



Clay bricks



Fibre cement



Stainless steel netting



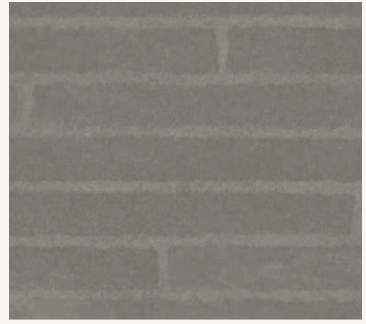
Australian FSC hardwood decking



Polished concrete floors



Corrugated marine grade roofing



Brick paver



Windswept scrubby native planting as found on Malabar Headland

A surf club for the future

Enhanced lifesaving operations

- larger, more accessible storage for rescue equipment
- direct beach access from a new outdoor stairwell
- elevated viewing deck with clear sightlines to the water
- purpose-built training rooms

Honouring club legacies

- a modern design that respects the club's rich history
- entryway and stairwell to feature a display of plaques, trophies, and historic surf craft

Upgraded member facilities

- gym and modern amenities
- social space
- flexible function and meeting rooms
- outdoor terrace for social and training events

Improved amenities

- member showers and an outdoor public shower
- landscaped seating areas
- barista window for beachgoers
- weather-protected decks for year-round use

Leading in sustainability

- natural ventilation and passive cooling and heating
- solar panels, solar hot water and rainwater harvesting
- sustainable materials designed for coastal conditions
- planting local native coastal vegetation

Benefits for the whole community

- stronger volunteer lifesaving services
- inclusive, accessible public and event spaces
- sustainable design for a better future
- a club that reflects Maroubra's identity and coastal lifestyle

Funding and construction timing

The total project is estimated to cost \$15M and is jointly funded by the state and federal governments and Randwick City Council.

Subject to consultation, design refinements and future budget allocations, it is expected that construction could commence in 2027-28.

Key design elements

- 1 Separation between social spaces and operational spaces to minimise clashes between people and bulky surf craft.
- 2 Recessed openings at ground level to intuitively signal entry and exit points, and provide shelter from the elements.
- 3 Flexible, increased and consolidated storage space with multiple points of access, and re-configurable as needs change.
- 4 Generous roof overhangs and stacker doors at first floor level to allow function and training to flow seamlessly onto the terrace, expanding internal capacity when needed.
- 5 Landscape elements that define space, protect from wind and sun, create zones to muster, train, washdown gear, as well as a place to gather and socialise after events, inviting family and friends to join in.
- 6 Activated building edges including members BBQ, kitchenette and supporter shop, barista window, deep overhangs and bench seat planters to provide amenity, shelter and encourage social interaction.
- 7 Flexible outdoor training and club social space, with strong connection to the ground plane, passing promenade traffic and line of sight to flagged area.
- 8 Separate and dual access points to club amenities and board lockers to minimise foyer congestion, slip hazards and cleaning.

