



ANZAC MEMORIAL CENTENARY PROJECT

Community Update – October / November 2017



View from top of the Anzac Memorial towards Liverpool Street showing completion of the precast structure and formation of the new oculus and cascade walkway.

Remembrance Day 2017

Saturday 11 November is Remembrance Day and marks the end of the First World War. Originally known as Armistice Day, Remembrance Day commemorates the signing of the peace agreement at 11am on 11 November 1918. Services are held nationally and one minutes silence is observed at 11am to remember those who died or suffered for Australia's cause in all wars and armed conflicts. The State's official Remembrance Day Service is held at the Cenotaph in Martin Place at 10:15am and all are welcome to join the event.

The Anzac Memorial will be open. Senior Curator and Historian Brad Manera will conduct a small Service of Remembrance on the Memorial's Northern Forecourt at 10:50am.

Memorial temporary closure for restoration works

The Anzac Memorial will close 13 November 2017 in the interest of visitor comfort and safety during important construction and heritage conservation works.

These works are expected to be completed in March 2018 and the Memorial will then re-open. We apologise for any inconvenience. Please follow our [Facebook](#) page and revisit our website www.anzacmemorial.nsw.gov.au for updates on the closure dates and re-opening.

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Construction of the new underground Hall of Service and oculus.

Construction Update

The Centenary Project pre-cast concrete beam installation is now complete. The beams provide the support for the new underground Hall of Service, interpretation and education facilities. The formation of the open oculus is now in progress. The oculus is an architectural reference to the Well of Contemplation in the existing Hall of Memory. It will be centred above the Hall of Service and provides a view out to the Memorial's exterior.

This month the walkway through the cascading water feature will be poured, providing the Memorial with a new accessible entrance from Liverpool Street. A stairway connecting the existing building to the new underground Hall and facilities is also now under construction.

We thank the community for your continued patience during these works.

About the Project

As Australia marks the 100th anniversary of the First World War the NSW Government, together with the Trustees of the Anzac Memorial Building, are enhancing the Anzac Memorial. The project will realise the vision of the original architect, Bruce Dellit, and introduce new spaces for the community, allowing the Memorial to tell the stories of NSW's involvement in all military and peace-keeping missions and honour those who have served. Built has been appointed to deliver the construction of the Centenary Project on behalf of Infrastructure NSW and the Memorial's Trustees. For further information visit: www.anzacmemorial.nsw.gov.au/anzac-memorial-centenary-project

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