

What's happening behind the blue mesh?

If you've been wondering what's happening behind the blue mesh in the P1 and P3 car parks, Toolman Ted recently went behind the scenes to find out.

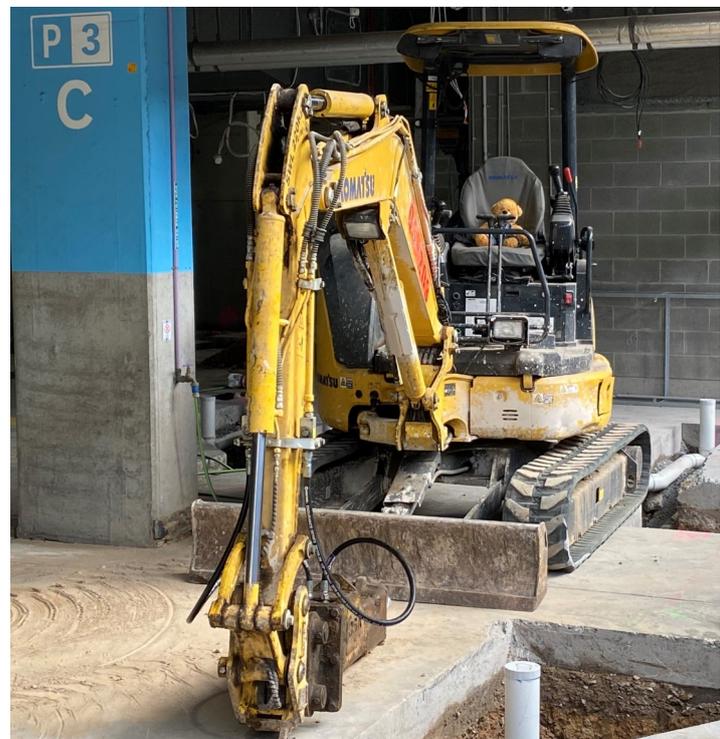
A hive of activity was underway when Toolman Ted visited the site, including excavating, jackhammering and concrete pouring. The works will transform part of the P3 car park into a new kitchen, a temporary distribution centre, and an upgraded mortuary. The distribution centre will move to this area next month. Construction on the kitchen and mortuary is expected to be finished in early 2021.

Staff accommodation is being built for our human resources and engineering teams within the P1 car park. These teams are also expected to move to their new homes next month.

These changes are necessary to enable the main construction of the new hospital buildings. Detailed design is underway for permanent work spaces for the engineering team and distribution centre in the new buildings, which are expected to be complete in 2023 as part of Stage 1 of the redevelopment.

Further construction scheduled to begin in the coming weeks will see car parks P1 and P3 reconfigured and connected, making it easier for visitors, patients and staff to navigate parking at the hospital. The work is expected to be completed early in the new year.

Main works on the Liverpool Health and Academic Precinct are expected to start next year once the development application is approved. The project is scheduled to be complete in 2026.



Have your say on art for hospital redevelopment

Art will play an important role in the Liverpool Health and Academic Precinct.

Studies have shown the arts have a positive effect on our physical and mental wellbeing. To help us decide the kinds of art that should be included in the redevelopment, we're seeking your input to help shape the projects' Arts and Culture Strategy. Whether you are a staff member, a patient, a visitor or a member of the community, we welcome your feedback so we can create a hospital environment that aids recovery and provides welcoming and safe spaces for everyone.

To complete the short survey, go to <https://bit.ly/LHAPartssurvey> by 12 August 2020.

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Bird's eye view of progress

Back in March, the vacant Ron Dunbier building was demolished as part of early works on the \$740 million Liverpool Health and Academic Precinct.

Demolition of the former nurses' accommodation has enabled works to begin on construction of a new road and multi-storey car park.

The new road, expected to be complete in early 2021, will provide access to the new car park and drop off area.

A contract to build the new \$50 million car park will be awarded shortly, with construction expected to start later this year. The new car park will provide an extra 500 parking spaces across campus.



Ron Dunbier building (above), the cleared site (below), and construction on site last month (opposite left).



Speaking your language

We are committed to providing regular project updates to our community, which includes the latest project flyer in various languages.

Our project flyer is now available in Arabic, Chinese (simplified) and Vietnamese via our website: <http://www.lhap.health.nsw.gov.au/news/project-flyer>

It has information on new facilities and services included in the hospital upgrade, as well as how the community will benefit from the project.

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