

Transport Access Program

Denistone Station Upgrade

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The Transport Access Program will deliver a better experience for Denistone customers, with an upgraded station accessible to all, including those with a disability or limited mobility, parents and carers with prams and customers with luggage.

What have we achieved in July?

The Denistone team successfully completed remediation works on the concourse and station buildings and installed new utilities outlets for station power and communication supply along the platform.

- We started works on the foundations for the new boarding zone canopies.
- We installed a track crossing for station drainage and power supply.
- We installed new power connection routes in both platforms to upgrade power.



Building the under-track crossing for power and drainage



Work at Denistone Station in July

Upcoming works:

- Continue remediation works on the concourse and station buildings, including removal of lead paint and steel.
- Continue construction of lift shafts above platform level and the installation of scaffolds around both lifts.
- Install new utilities outlets for station power and communication supply along Gordon Crescent side entrance, platform and garden beds.
- Construct a concrete slab for the new electricity transformer.
- Investigate and relocate services.
- Resurface and regrade the platforms.
- Upgrade stormwater pipes to connect to new canopies on the lift shaft and platforms.
- Construct new toilet facilities and begin works on the waiting room on Platforms 3 and 4.

Our work schedule

Our work hours are between **7am** and **6pm Monday to Friday** and **8am** to **1pm** on **Saturdays**.

We understand that our work may be noisy at times. We will do everything to lessen the disturbance, including turning off vehicles and equipment when not in use and using non-tonal reversing beepers.

Temporary changes may be in place during our work hours to safely detour people around the work zone. Thank you for your continued patience and for using caution around the areas of work.

A Blast from the Past

Denistone Station has a rich transport history. Originally opened in the late 1930s with two side platforms, the station was converted to its current configuration of two island platforms during the 1970s and 1980s to accommodate additional train lines between West Ryde and Epping.

Transport for NSW and Haslin Constructions, who are completing the Denistone Station Upgrade, are working hard to celebrate the station's heritage. This includes the restoration of the station's art deco design and the waiting rooms on both platforms.

The project team had the opportunity to have a chat with Mr John Woodland, Denistone resident and rail enthusiast. Mr Woodland has lived in the area for 70 years and has documented the changes to the station over that time. John supplied the photograph below.



Denistone Station under construction. This picture shows the future proofing of the platforms to allow for new lines to be constructed. It also shows the plants and trees on the platform which was common for stations at the time.

C. 1935. Photo origin unknown.



Photo of the road over rail bridge looking south towards West Ryde. This photo also shows the art deco style awning to be restored as part of the Denistone Station Upgrade. C. 1950s courtesy of by Mr John Woodland.

Contact us

If you have any queries or would like more information on the Denistone Station Upgrade project, please contact our project team:



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