

Transport Access Program

Thornleigh Station Upgrade

The Thornleigh Station Upgrade is part of the Transport Access Program, a NSW Government initiative to provide a station that is accessible to people with a disability, limited mobility, parents/carers with prams, and customers with luggage.

Temporary footpath closure of Benowie Walkway – September to April 2022

From **September to April 2022**, a temporary footpath closure of the Benowie Walkway between Railway Parade and the station will take place. The closure of the footpath is required to allow for construction of the new lifts to take place as part of the Thornleigh Station Upgrade. During this period, access to and from Thornleigh Station will be along Pennant Hills Road and via the footpath on Wells Street.

Changes to parking during this time

Two car parking spaces on Railway Parade will be temporarily unavailable from **Monday 9 August for approximately two weeks**. This is to ensure construction plant can enter the work site safely. For the safety of commuters and pedestrians, traffic control measures will be installed around the two car parking spaces and while deliveries are made.

New safety measures at Thornleigh Station

To increase the safety for commuters travelling to and from the station, we have implemented new safety measures. These safety measures include:

- New convex mirror along the footpath between the station footbridge and Wells Street to improve visibility for pedestrians
- Trimming of trees along the footpath between the station footbridge and Wells Street to improve the line of sight for pedestrians

- Ground decal 'LOOK' stickers at the junction of Pennant Hills Road and Railway Parade and junction of Benowie Walkway and Wells Street.

Work hours

This work will be carried out between Monday to Friday between 7am and 6pm. If weekend work or night work is required to take place, we will notify the community in advance.

COVID working hours and safe practices

The NSW Government has introduced extended operating hours for construction sites to support the industry during the evolving COVID-19 situation, with sites now able to operate on weekends and public holidays. The standard construction hours at this station is 7am-6pm Monday to Sunday, including public holidays. In line with the NSW Government, the Thornleigh Station Upgrade is committed to follow the advice of the NSW Government abiding to all safe COVID-19 safe practices.

What to expect

To reduce the potential for dust migrating, shade cloth mesh will be added to temporary fencing. Noise reduction measures like noise blankets, turning equipment off when not in use and placing equipment as further away as possible from properties.

Equipment used throughout this activity include: excavator, piling machine, vacuum truck, road saw, tipper truck, concrete truck and pumps, dump truck, handheld breaker, chainsaw, chipper, lighting towers, various hand and power tools.

Deliveries of plant and materials via the rail access gate on Railway Parade between the station entrance and Bellevue Street. Deliveries will be made under traffic and pedestrian control measures.

Contact us

If you have any queries about the upcoming work at Thornleigh Station please contact the project information line of 1800 684 490 or projects@transport.nsw.gov.au

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