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GRV announces \$1.8 million redevelopment for Warrnambool

Refurbished hospitality and judges facilities are just some of the improvements to be made under a \$1.8 million redevelopment of the Warrnambool Greyhound Racing Club.

Greyhound Racing Victoria has announced the three-stage project that will see significant improvements made to the Warrnambool facility.

The project will see major works to the facility that include:

- A new, compliant electrical switchboard relocated away from the judges tower.
- A new fit out of existing male and female amenities.
- A new front bar, food servery counters and associated works.
- Refurbishment of the existing kitchen back of house toilet into a store room.
- Refurbishment of the existing Bold Tease bar area beside the Stan Lake pavilion including: ceilings, floor covering, lighting and air conditioning.
- Refurbishment of the existing Wannan Room including ceilings, floor coverings, lighting and air conditioning.
- A new judges tower with access from the new stair well.
- A new façade extension above existing Wannan rooms north wall with covered roof canopy over existing alfresco area.
- Upgrade of fire services to the existing site and building.

GRV has commenced discussions around switchboard designs and is expecting to begin works in the coming months.

Greyhound Racing Victoria CEO Alan Clayton said the works would see the Warrnambool club continue to grow and thrive.

“There have been plenty of challenges for the Warrnambool Greyhound Racing Club in recent times after the passing of manager Matt Ansell,” Mr Clayton said.

“But after a hugely successful Warrnambool Cup and Classic last week that drew 1800 people, plus the recent appointment of Craig Monigatti as club manager, the future is bright for the Warrnambool club.

“It is in the best interests of Victorian greyhound racing to have a strong, prosperous and accountable Warrnambool greyhound racing club and this development will go a long way to ensuring that is the case for many years to come.”

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