

	Priority	Features	Reasoning
		Requested Improvements	Justifications, constraints and pre-requisites
1	6	Accessible paths to connect all facilities	Accessible paths would allow for mobility challenged people to both participate in and to view the netball, as well as enjoy the park generally.
2	3	Basketball courts - provide additional multi-use to make three	Ultimately as the new hard courts are developed there should be three multi-use courts to cater for basketball. In the interim an additional basketball court can be provided through the installation of reversible goals and updated line marking on one of the existing hard surface courts
3	2	Bicycle learn to ride and safety track	A bicycle learn to ride track would complement the existing facilities and possibly assist in removing the numbers of young children using the netball courts for this function. This is another facility not currently available in Forbes
4	5	Disabled parking spaces adjacent to netball complex	Dedicated disabled parking spaces adjacent to the netball courts would enhance opportunity for mobility challenged people.
5		Fire and Rescure training area - retain	This area is used by Fire and Rescue for training. By retaining the area as undeveloped it will also provide additional lawn area for events
6		Improve turf on grass courts	The current grass court area suffers from subsidence resulting in poor drainage. Filling and levelling would address most of this issue but subsurface drainage and better quality turf are also needed
7		Improve on-court drainage	Drainage between courts 1,2,3/4,5,6 doesn't work and presents a hazard to users. This should be addressed as a priority unless a court redevelopment is imminent
8		Install height adjustable rings on all netball courts	This will provide greater flexibility of court use on gala days
9		Lawn areas for passive recreation and to cater for event marquees	Some areas of the park need to be left undeveloped for use as break out areas or for temporary structures for events
10	1	Netball courts - new hard surface courts	The older hard surface courts are rapidly deteriorating and in recent times courts have been deemed unsafe for play by umpires. Replacement of the degraded courts is required to allow continuation of the current program of events
11	3	New building to consolidate netball canteen, club house and storage - addition of storage for basketball	Netball currently has two buildings to cater for storage, canteen and club house functions. It would be prudent to reserve sufficient footprint for a new building that consolidates the above uses. As with most sports there is increasing expectation as to the quality of facilities.
12	1	Pedestrian safety barriers on Bedgerabong Rd & Grenfell St frontages	Pedestrian barrier fencing along both road frontages would improve safety for both park users and motorists.
13		Pedestrian refuges on Bedgerabong Rd and Grenfell Street	Would be one option for improving pedestrian safety
14		Portable tiered seating as needed for larger events	The use of portable tiered seating increases opportunity for spectators and provides flexibility of seating configuration
15		Possible extension of 40kmh speed limit	Would be one option for improving pedestrian safety
16	7	Power upgrade to existing outlets and provision for additional outlets (bollards) to cater for events	Power outlets at strategic locations around the park would provide opportunity for functions to capitalise on the facilities and proximity to the CBD
17	9	Pump track to complement skate park	A pump track would ideally complement the existing facilities at the park and would provide a facility not currently available in Forbes.
18		Rear to kerb angle parking on Grenfell Street	Marked and signed parking would result in the maximum number of cars being catered for
19		Shade tree planting	Further development will promote heavier and more constant use. A programme of shade tree planting will improve amenity and functionality
20	4	Sheltered BBQ and tables adjacent to Ninja Park and pump track	The Ninja Park and skate park attract significant numbers of families to the park. Sheltered BBQ facilities would enable people to stay longer and to make better use of the facilities
21		Shelters at key viewing points around the netball courts	The provision of shelters would provide improved amenity and functionality. Netball generally operates at a time of year when weather conditions are unstable.
22	8	Skate park - redevelop and extend including shade structures	Users have highlighted shortcomings in the design of some sections of the existing skate park. They have also requested extensions to provide both more challenges to experienced skaters and opportunity for those starting out.
23		Water bottle fillers/bubblers around site	Multiple water bottle fillers would benefit all park users

#### Caveats

- All improvements are subject to approval by Council
- All improvements must comply with legislation
- All improvements are subject to funding availability notwithstanding stakeholders preferred priorities
- The Master Plan is subject to review over time to ensure relevance. The review process will involve stakeholder consultation and approval of any changes by Council
- All new facilities and infrastructure are indicative only with detailed design to determine final appearance and dimensions