



Media Release

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Parap Recreation Facility

The Parap Recreation Facility (formerly Parap Club Rooms at the netball courts) has been open for inspection by local sporting and community groups looking for a short-term new home.

Council has called for expressions of interest from sporting and community groups to utilise the Parap Recreation Facility and has conducted several inspection tours for groups.

In the short term the facilities are scheduled for a makeover to provide adequate accommodation for groups who often cannot find affordable space. At this stage only a 12 month lease is offered while a master plan of the area is conducted in conjunction with NTG and other stakeholders.

Darwin City Council CEO, Brendan Dowd hopes that the facility can be used by the community.

“Historically the site has been occupied by Darwin Netball Association under a ‘peppercorn’ lease. Since their relocation to Marrara Council has been looking at other groups to use the venue,” he said.

According to Mr Dowd, some \$21,350 has been allocated for the upgrade of the club room facilities at the Parap Recreation Facility.

Forms can be downloaded from: www.darwin.nt.gov.au or please contact Simone Drury (Community Recreation Coordinator) on 8930 0627 for a form to be posted out or email s.drury@darwin.nt.gov.au .

Expressions of interest close Tuesday 25 August.

No late applications will be accepted.