

HERITAGE SHED RESTORATION

Restoring the market you know and love



Photo: The newly restored C Shed ready to welcome A and B traders

The restoration of the market's iconic heritage sheds has reached halfway with the recent completion of Stage 2 - Shed C and D.

The project has now moved to Stage 3 and the restoration of Shed A and B with fruit and vegetable traders temporarily relocated to C and D sheds.

The market remains open for business throughout shed restoration works and if you can't find your favourite trader, pop in to the Visitor Hub at the end of String Bean Alley and ask for directions.

As part of a major \$30 million restoration, all 12 of the market's heritage sheds will be restored on-site by mid 2022, subject to any future COVID-19 impacts. The works are authorised under Heritage Victoria Permit Number P318866.

Thanks for your patience as we undertake these important restoration works.

Stage 3: Sheds A and B

The heritage shed restoration project has now moved to Stage 3 with works across Sheds A and B with fruit and vegetable traders relocated to the newly restored sheds C and D.

Works to A and B sheds include:

- repair and strengthening of metal elements such as trusses
- repair of timber elements
- repair of verandahs
- painting
- new insulated roofing to improve the temperature under the sheds so it's cooler in summer
- upgrade of services including power and lighting

The works area will be fenced off for the duration of Stage 3, with safe passage through the upper market.

Please take care and be mindful of changed conditions around the area.







Stage 3 Restoration Works Sheds A and B

What's happening: Stage 3



Work area

Stage 3 includes Sheds A and B (see map below), with works occurring Monday to Saturday. For the duration of Stage 3 restoration works, temporary fencing around A and B sheds which extends into the surrounding laneways will ensure the safety of traders and customers.



Noise

Traders and customers in close proximity to the works areas may experience some inconvenience. Works are expected to generate noise and dust. Work is being undertaken with COVID-19 health and safety measures in place and in accordance with WorkSafe and EPA guidelines.



Pedestrian access

The work area will be fenced off for the duration of Stage 3, with pedestrian access through the centre walkway. The upper walkway will be temporarily closed for the duration. Pedestrian access to A shed laneway and the toilets and ATMs will be maintained. There may be times when access to the centreway may be temporarily closed. Signage on temporary fencing will assist pedestrian wayfinding and safe access around the work site.

Stage 3 - Sheds A and B



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