UPGRADED TRAEGEER PARK GRANDSTAND READY FOR AFL ACTION

The newly upgraded Traeger Park grandstand will be used for the first time tonight during the NAB AFL Challenge Match in Alice Springs.

Inspecting the new facility today, Sport and Recreation Minister, Delia Lawrie, said the $3.05 million spent by Government on the new grandstand was money well spent.

“Traeger Park is one of the most important pieces of sporting infrastructure in Alice Springs, and was in desperate need of a new grandstand to meet the increasing demands being placed upon it by a sports loving community,” said Ms Lawrie.

“We’ve spent just over $3 million to construct a new grandstand at the main oval, with the project also including new changerooms, umpires room, first aid room, spectator seating, a lift and a bridge, and a ramp connecting to the adjacent Mona’s Lounge.

“The Government has gone to great lengths to ensure the new grandstand would be ready to accommodate the NAB AFL Challenge Match, and I’m pleased to say most of the work is now complete with fans to put the new facility to good use tonight.”

Work still to be completed includes making the lift operational and finishing off the top floor.

Ms Lawrie said all work on the project was expected to be completed by next month.

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