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NorthConnex gives local schools, native bushland a makeover

North Rocks Public School and Cherrybrook Public School students will return from the school holidays to improved grounds after 80 NorthConnex staff volunteered this week to carry out maintenance.

Member for Berowra Julian Leeser said the NorthConnex team enjoyed helping out at the local schools which involved painting doors and handball court lines, as well as gardening maintenance.

"North Rocks and Cherrybrook Public Schools are educating the next generation of engineers and project managers," he said.

"We want these young students to have every opportunity to learn about science and technology in the best possible environment. Our volunteers were only too happy to pick up a paint brush or trowel and help out during the school holidays to make a difference to these school communities."

“Our community is currently experiencing a lot of positive change, with projects such as NorthConnex occurring right on our doorstep," Cherrybrook Public School Principal Jason Miezis said.

“The NorthConnex Community Day has had an immediately positive impact. The 30 plus volunteers did an excellent job painting doors, handrails and ground markings.

“The school looks fantastic and our 840 students will return from holidays benefitting from the generosity provided by NorthConnex.”

NorthConnex contractor Lendlease Bouygues Joint Venture Project Director Tim Orpen said a team of Hornsby Quarry workers also partnered with Hornsby Shire Council and five local residents to carry out weeding along Quarry Road.

“Even smaller jobs like pulling out weeds will help keeping our neighbouring native bushland in good condition.”

For more information about NorthConnex and date with the project’s progress, visit www.northconnex.com.au

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