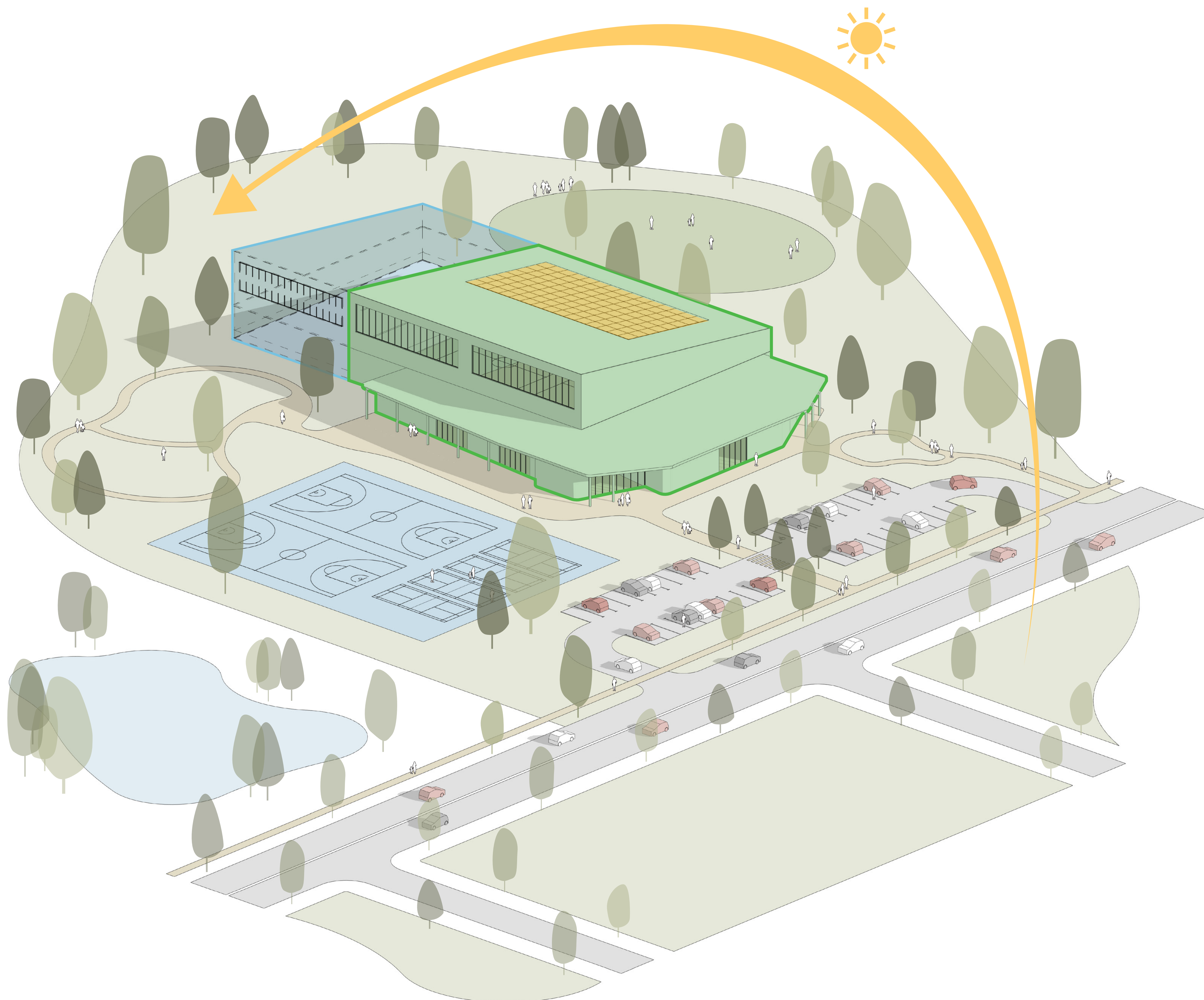




# Benalla Indoor Recreation Centre Redevelopment



## Indoor Recreation Centre

An indoor recreation centre is a venue to cater for a variety of sports and recreational activities. The aim is to cater to a wide cross-section of community interests, from traditional ball sports to activities for preschoolers, school holiday programs, and adult fitness and programs to promote seniors living actively.



## Engaged Communities

Indoor recreation centres are also community hubs – providing a place for the community to meet, socialise, learn, and engage with others through sport, community activities, hobby meets and social events. It also has the potential to provide a place of refuge in an emergency.



## Accessible & Inclusive Communities

All new community facilities must be universally accessible and inclusive for the whole community, regardless of physical ability, appearance, gender, or cultural background, so that the whole community feels welcomed.



## Environmental Sustainability for our Future

A new community landmark provides an opportunity to set a new benchmark for environmentally sustainable design – to reduce energy consumption, reduce running costs and improve efficiency for now and our future generations.



## A Healthy & Active Community

Being active and healthy has compound benefits for the whole community. Active lifestyles are not just for the young but for the whole community – whether that activity is purely recreational, something enjoyed as a solo pursuit, or a competitive team event. Indoor recreation centres provide a hub to bring diverse interests and activities together, providing companionship and health benefits.



## Flexible & Adaptive for a Changing Community

Any new community infrastructure must be able to adapt to changing demands and new trends, and even be able to grow with the community. What is considered important in today's community, might be very different in several decades, and infrastructure should be able to be flexible, and adaptable, to meet those demands.