

Commonwealth Games Village

Hot – Dip Galvanized steel in use

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| <u>Environment:</u> | Residential |
| <u>Project:</u> | Commonwealth Games Village |
| <u>Tonnes:</u> | 400 Tonnes |
| <u>City:</u> | Melbourne (Parkville) |
| <u>State/Country:</u> | Victoria, Australia |
| <u>Date Galvanized:</u> | 2006 |



The Commonwealth Games took place in Melbourne in 2006. The housing village was built in Parkville approximately 10kms from the city. The development housed 4500 athletes and 1500 officials during the games period. There were approximately 160 houses built in the village, in which each house included 2-3 tonne of galvanized steel.

The time frame for this project to be completed was February 2004 till December 2005. Australand the builder were under some very tight deadlines and pressure was building on our fabricator (Barra Steel) which then applied pressure to us. After meeting all required deadlines, both the fabricator and the builder were overwhelmed with I Gs management of the project.

In January 2006 the government took over for a period of 4 months in a lead up to the games to make sure everything was prepared, secured and ready to go. Australand were handed back the site in May 2006 were they are to complete all housing and develop a new estate called Parkville Gardens.

Industrial Galvanizers were pleased and honored to be a part of history.



These housing apartments are being developed to go on the market once the new estate has opened.



The internal design of the apartments is very modern and stylish.



These two identical style housing lots could accommodate for up to 24 athletes at any one time.

The analysis on this project was done in October 2006.
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