
Overnewton Gatehouse



1936 - Brimbank City Council
Post-contact Cultural
Heritage Study 1998



Site 017 - Overnewton
gatehouse.jpg

Location

Old Calder Highway, KEILOR VIC 3036 - Property No 17

Municipality

BRIMBANK CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1947

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO16

Heritage Listing

Brimbank City

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - April 1, 1998

A rendered bluestone gatehouse built in 1859, the crow-stepped gables showing Scottish influence. The gatehouse marked the entrance to the Overnewton estate of William Taylor, one of Victoria's leading pastoralists.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Brimbank - Brimbank City Council Post-contact Cultural Heritage Study, G. Vines, 2000;
Construction dates	1849,
Hermes Number	106271
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

Rendered bluestone gatehouse built c. 1859. A new community complex has been added affecting the context, and a reproduction dry stone wall abuts the gatehouse. Planting in the vicinity includes sugar gums, old pines with maritime pine (one Canary Island pine, dead).

Condition/Integrity

Good, although renovations have introduced modern elements and a modern drystone wall abuts in a distracting fashion.

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Historical Australian Themes

- 3 Developing local, regional and national economies
- 3.5 Developing primary production

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