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# Queen Victoria Rotunda, Buninyong Botanic Gardens



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Buninyong Botanic Gardens,  
Cnr. Scott and Inglis Streets,  
Buninyong - 1983 Buninyong  
Conservation Study



Queen Victoria Rotunda  
opening ceremony 1901-  
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## Location

201-209 SCOTT STREET, AND 705 INGLIS STREET, BUNINYONG, BALLARAT CITY

## Municipality

BALLARAT CITY

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area contributory

## Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H1826

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO158

## Heritage Listing

Ballarat City

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## Statement of Significance

Last updated on - March 9, 2024

**What is significant?**

**How is it significant?**

**Why is it significant?**

The Buninyong Botanic Gardens is included on the Victorian Heritage Register (H1826) as a place of State significance. Please refer to the VHR citation for the statement of significance. The local SoS is:

*The Queen Victoria Rotunda is a particularly fine example of a lattice structure garden building. The Pavilion has been recently restored which serves to increase its significance. From its opening, to celebrate Queen Victoria's Jubilee, the pavilion has been a focus in the Buninyong Botanic Gardens catering for picnic parties and later used as a kiosk selling local market garden produce to the public.*

Heritage Study/Consultant	Ballarat - Buninyong Conservation Study, Colman Sutherland Conservation Consultants, 1983;
Construction dates	1901,
Architect/Designer	Smith, E & B,
Hermes Number	123913
Property Number	

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## Physical Description 1

The hexagonal plan Rotunda is constructed of timber lattice cladding with a corrugated galvanised iron roof. Two entrances provide access to the structure, and the principal entrance is defined by the sign. A finial completes the structure. The Rotunda is in good repair and remains substantially intact. It is considered to be a fine example of a lattice Garden Pavilion.

## Intactness

The Queen Victoria Rotunda is substantially intact, and the structure remains in a good state of repair.

*This place/object may be included in the Victorian Heritage Register pursuant to the Heritage Act 2017. Check the Victorian Heritage Database, selecting 'Heritage Victoria' as the place source.*

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