
Queen Victoria Rotunda, Buninyong Botanic Gardens



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



Queen Victoria Rotunda
opening ceremony 1901-
1983 Buninyong
Conservation Study

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

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	

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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