
Point Nepean Universal Carriers

Location

MORNINGTON PENINSULA NATIONAL PARK and BUTLER'S TRACK and OCEAN BEACH ROAD PORTSEA,
MORNINGTON PENINSULA SHIRE

Municipality

MORNINGTON PENINSULA SHIRE

Level of significance

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Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7821-0132

Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

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The site contains three individual universal or 'Bren Gun' carriers of WW II heritage that have been used as targets within the firing range by the Army. The vehicles retain some heritage significance due to their obvious connection to the training range and are also part of Australia's Second World War heritage.

Hermes Number 125652

Property Number

Historical Australian Themes

High given the site's heritage significance to Australia's military history.

Physical Conditions

Poor

Usage/Former Usage

The area was used by the Officer Cadet School which operated between 1951 and 1986. However, it was used also used as a firing range as far back as World War II.

Veterans Description for Public

The Point Nepean Universal Carriers are three individual universal or 'Bren Gun' carriers from the Second World War that have been used as targets within the firing range by the Army. The vehicles are in one of the ranges used by the Officer Cadet School which operated between 1951 and 1986. However, it was used as a firing range as far back as the Second World War.

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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