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# Boot Room



21952 Boot room new kiosk

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## Location

7 Ewing Blyth Drive, BARWON HEADS VIC 3227 - Property No 311625

## Municipality

GREATER GEELONG CITY

## Level of significance

Incl in HO area indiv sig

## Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO1649

HO1664

## Heritage Listing

Greater Geelong City

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## Statement of Significance

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### STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The Boot room at the Barwon Heads Jetties I the Barwon Heads Park 7-71 Ewing Blyth Drive is **aesthetically** significant at the **LOCAL** level. It demonstrates original qualities of the Late Victorian Vernacular style which

includes the gable roof form, horizontal weatherboard wall cladding, fixed timber framed nine-light window on the western gable, and decorative moulded timber windows architrave. Other intact qualities include the beaded timber door with the timber frame and the exposed timber rafters under the eaves.

The Boot Room at the Barwon Heads Jetties in the Barwon Heads Park, 7-71 Ewing Blyth Drive is **historically** significant at a **REGIONAL** level. It is associated with the revolution of maritime activities on the township of Barwon Heads since the 1890's.

Overall, the Boot Room at the Barwon Heads Jetties at 7-71 Ewing Blyth Drive in the Barwon Heads Park is of **LOCAL** significance.

## REFERENCES

See Record Sheet for the Barwon Heads Jetties and Co-operative Sheds, Barwon Heads Park Trust Minute Books, 1889-1918 and Geelong Advertiser, 4 February, 1889.

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Telephone interview by David Rowe with Mr Len Stephens, former member of the Barwon Heads Fishermens' Co-operative, 26 July, 1999.

Barwon Heads Park Trust Minute Books, 1923-49, in the collection of the Barwon Coast Committee of Management Inc.

Heritage Study/Consultant	Greater Geelong - Greater Geelong Outer Areas Heritage Study Volumes 1, 2 & 4, Authentic Heritage Services Pty Ltd, 2000;
Heritage Act Categories	Registered place,
Hermes Number	21952
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## Physical Description 1

### DESCRIPTION

The small, single storey horizontal weatherboard Boot Room at the Barwon Heads Jetties in Barwon Heads Park is characterized by a gable roof form clad in recent galvanized corrugated iron. A fixed, early timber frames nine-light window is situated on the western gable end, and has a decorative moulded timber architrave. An early beaded timber door with timber frame is located on the north facade. Exposed timber rafters are a feature of the eaves. More recent additions include the rolled canvas awnings above the door and signage bracketed to the north facade.

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