# **HOUSE**



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### Location

234 Rosanna Road ROSANNA, Banyule City

# Municipality

**BANYULE CITY** 

# Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

# **Heritage Overlay Numbers**

**HO55** 

### **Heritage Listing**

**Banyule City** 

### Statement of Significance

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234 Rosanna Road is of considerable architectural significance. Externally largely intact, 234 Rosanna Road is one of a number of houses in the municipality designed by prominent architect Harold Desbrowe Annear in his early Arts and Crafts mode. The house is a notable example of this style, featuring many of his characteristic elements such as half-timbering and roughcast walls, weatherboarded plinth and horizontal groupings of casement windows with timber bracketed window hoods.

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Study/Consultant Heidelberg Conservation Study, Graeme Butler and Associates, 1985;

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#### **Historical Australian Themes**

234 Rosanna Road is one of a group of Arts and Crafts style houses designed by Harold Desbrowe Annear in Heidelberg and Ivanhoe.

### **Usage/Former Usage**

Residence (Original and current)

# **Physical Conditions**

Good

# **Physical Description 1**

Similar to Annear's Eyrie houses, 234 Rosanna Road features an irregular plan creating a picturesque composition. The half-timbering, trussed gables, bracketed timber window hoods and roughcast stucco are characteristic elements, and the gabled roof slopes extend to the south-east to create a verandah. Like the MacGeorge House, however, this building lacks the curvilinear ornament of the Eyrie houses. Internally, the house has panelled wainscoting, built-in mantels and furnishings, and extensive coloured leaded glass designs.

#### **Intactness**

Good

# **Physical Description 2**

Lot 2, St James Park Estate

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