
PIN OAK TREE AT ELTHAM HIGH SCHOOL, view from ELY STREET (OPP. FALKINER ST)



Pin Oak Tree at Eltham High School Ely St Colour - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study 1992



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Location

30-60 WITHERS WAY ELTHAM, NILLUMBIK SHIRE

Municipality

NILLUMBIK SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO169

Heritage Listing

Nillumbik Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 1, 1992

REVISED STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE, CONTEXT, 2010

What is significant?

The 1932 mature Pin Oak tree at Eltham high school and the surrounding site to a radius of 15m.

How is it significant?

The Pin Oak tree is historically and aesthetically significant to the Shire of Nillumbik.

Why is it significant?

The tree is historically significant because it was planted in 1932 by Miss Sedunary (a schoolteacher) and is illustrative of the early landscaping of the school grounds (Criteria H & A). The tree is aesthetically significant because it is of substantial size and age, in good condition and has high landscape value (Criterion E).

BICK STUDY, 1992

This tree is of substantial size and age, of high landscape value and illustrates early landscaping of the School grounds.

BASIS OF SIGNIFICANCE:

HORTICULTURE

LANDSCAPE

STREETSCAPE

HISTORY

DEGREE OF SIGNIFICANCE:

LOCAL SIGNIFICANCE

EXTENT OF SIGNIFICANCE:

ENTIRE TREE AND SITE TO A RADIUS OF 15 METRES

Heritage Study/Consultant Nillumbik - Shire of Eltham Heritage Study, David Bick, 1992;

Construction dates 1932,

Other Names Quercus palustris,

Hermes Number 55773

Property Number

Historical Australian Themes

PUBLIC PLANTING

Physical Description 1

Tall spreading tree, form typical of this species and appears to be in good condition. Located in school grounds it makes a valuable contribution to the existing landscape.

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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