
Avenue Of Honour (Berwick Boys Grammar School)

Location

Church Street,BERWICK, Casey City

Municipality

CASEY CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO155

Heritage Listing

Casey City

Statement of Significance

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What is significant?

The Berwick Boys Grammar School Avenue of Honour, located in Church Street, Berwick and planted in 1920 is Significant. elements which contribute to the significance of the place include:

- the 2 specimens of Pin Oak
- the 5 specimens of Algerian Oak

How is it significant?

The Berwick Grammar School Avenue of Honour is of local historic, social and aesthetic significance to the City of Casey.

Why is it significant?

Historically and socially, the Berwick Grammar School Avenue of Honour illustrates the significant impact that World War 1 had upon communities in Australia. It is also important for its associations with Berwick Grammar

School, which was once situated in the house opposite the Avenue. (AHC criteria A4, D2, G1 and H1)

Aesthetically, the now mature trees make an important contribution to the historic landscape character of this area. (AHC criterion E1)

Theme

8. Building community life

Heritage Study/Consultant	Casey - Casey Heritage Study, Context Pty Ltd, 2004; Select Review of Casey Heritage Places, Review of sites for proposed Heritage Anomalies Amendment, Context Pty. Ltd., 2018;
Hermes Number	62945
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

The Berwick Grammar School Avenue of Honour comprises a row of seven specimens of Oak (2 Pin Oaks and 5 Algerian Oaks) planted on the west side of Church Street between Brisbane Street and Palmerston Street, Berwick. The trees were originally planted as a row of 10 in 1920.

Physical Conditions

Good

Intactness

Moderate. It appears that two trees are missing from the avenue. If it can be assumed that the memorial was once planted approximately in the centre, then it would appear that two trees to the right of the memorial are missing.

Historical Australian Themes

Community & Culture; Commemorating

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