NARBETHONG INTERNMENT CAMP

Location

FERNSHAW ROAD FERNSHAW, YARRA RANGES SHIRE

Municipality

YARRA RANGES SHIRE

Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H8022-0100

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Inventory

Interpretation of Site	Site used for domestic and industrial purposes. Camp for workers (war labour) and the area logged for fire wood. Since abandonment, site not in use. Now bushland.
Archaeological Significance	Medium archaeological significance based on rarity of the site and the potential that the integrity of the site is intact due to the lack of use/development of the area.
Historical Significance	local significance for association with WWII
Hermes Number	10617
Property Number	

History

Used during the second world war for those termed "enemy aliens". Persons here logged the local bush land for fire wood. (detailed history attached to site card).

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.

For further details about Heritage Overlay places, contact the relevant local council or go to Planning Schemes Online <u>http://planningschemes.dpcd.vic.gov.au/</u>