

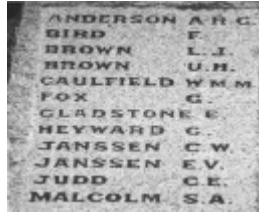
Mentone Memorial Gates



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Location

Mentone Parade MENTONE, KINGSTON CITY

Municipality

KINGSTON CITY

Level of significance

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Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 1, 2001

The WWI War Memorial in the Keith Styles Reserve, Mentone Parade, Mentone is of social, historical and architectural significance at a local level. It is of social significance as an expression of gratitude from the local community for the sacrifice of servicemen during WWII. It is historically significant as part of a wave of memorials constructed to honour Australian servicemen after the WWI. It is also of some architectural significance for its simple robust design.

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Property Number

Physical Conditions

Excellent

Integrity

Substantially Intact

Veterans Description for Public

The Memorial Gates in the Keith Styles Reserve, on Mentone Parade, commemorate the First World War. Built c.1920, the gates are formed from coarsely hewn granite blocks arranged in a semi circle. A formal cast iron fence, incorporating decorative rosette element extends from the memorial gates along the street frontage. The pediment bears the inscription: *'To the glorious memory of the men of Mentone who gave their lives for our freedom 1914-1919. The trumpet sounded and they entered into their rest.'* Above the inscription is the coat of arms of Australia with wreaths. The two columns are etched with honor rolls listing the men from Mentone who lost their lives during the war.

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