TEMPLESTOWE MEMORIAL HALL



22561 Templestowe Memorial Hall - Anderson Street, Templestowe

Location

11-13 Anderson Street TEMPLESTOWE, Manningham City

Municipality

MANNINGHAM CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO₅

Heritage Listing

Manningham City

Statement of Significance

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What is Significant?

The Templestowe Memorial Hall of 1922, incorporating the former Templestowe Mechanics' Hall of 1882 at the rear, and adjacent mature trees at 11-13 Anderson Street, Templestowe.

How is it Significant?

The Templestowe Memorial Hall, Templestowe Mechanics' Hall and trees are of historic, social and aesthetic significance to Manningham City.

Why is it Significant?

Of historic significance because it demonstrates the process of growth of the Templestowe community and the important role Mechanics' Institutes played in the 19th century. It also has associations with the local builder, E.P. Sheahan. (RNE criteria A.4 and H.1)

Of aesthetic significance as a good and intact representative example of an inter-War public building. The setting is enhanced by the mature trees at the rear and side of the building. (RNE criterion E.1)

Of social significance as a past and present focus of community sentiment as a Mechanics' Institute and then as a memorial hall. (RNE criterion G.1)

Heritage

Manningham - Manningham Heritage Study Review, Context Pty Ltd, 2006;

Study/Consultant

Manningham - Doncaster & Doncaster & Heritage Study Additional Historical

Research, Carlotta Kellaway, 1994;

Other Names

Templestowe Mechanics' Institute Hall,

Hermes Number

22561

Property Number

Historical Australian Themes

Local Themes

6.06 - Community halls

Physical Description 1

The Templestowe Memorial Hall, constructed in 1922, is a red brick, double-fronted, gableroofed hall. The side elevations have four bays. The arched porch with its projecting roof creates a 'memorial arch' on the front facade of the building. Windows are double hung sash with a single pane below and four panes above.

The 1882 hall, a simple gabled weatherboard building, has been incorporated at the rear. It is not known how much of the original fabric of that building survives.

There are some later brick additions at the rear. There are a number of mature trees including Oaks at the rear and side of the Hall, which contribute to its setting.

Physical Conditions

Condition Good

Integrity

Integrity Minor Modifications

Physical Description 2 Key elements

Building Tree(s)

Physical Description 3

Extent

The extent of HO5 should be reduced to exclude the RSL clubroooms at the rear facing Anderson Street.

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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