STONE PINE AT WINDY HILLS FARM, FORMER



Stone Pine

Location

30 Buchanan Road BEACONSFIELD UPPER, Cardinia Shire

Municipality

CARDINIA SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO27

Heritage Listing

Cardinia Shire

Statement of Significance

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The pine is significant locally for the rarity of the type and maturity, judged within the district, and its symbolism of an earlier garden connected with a simple weekender used by the journalist, Luke, and hence supporting one of the common early house types in the Upper Beaconsfield area. The pine also has secondary associations with Buchanan who was well known in Gippsland over a long period.

Regional Significance

Heritage Study/Consultant	Cardinia - Cardinia Shire Heritage Study 1996, Graeme Butler & Associates, 1996;
Construction dates	1918,
Other Names	30 Buchanan Rd, Upper Beaconsfield,
Hermes Number	30131
Property Number	

Physical Description 1

The stone pine is located at the top of a rise next to what was a modest weatherboard gabled weekender which has since been greatly extended. This type of tree is rare within the Shire, particularly at that maturity.

The more common Monterey pines are grouped around the house, with a bunya bunya in the drive. Other mature planting includes: lillypilly, fig, mulberry, large pink hawthorn and an Irish strawberry.

Physical Conditions

The stone pine is in poor to fair condition and the house greatly altered; mature cypress have been removed. A new house has been built lower down the hill.

Physical Description 2

Associations - Luke, Edmund T; Buchanan, Alex

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