Redcastle Cemetery



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Location

Redcastle Cemetery Road, REDCASTLE VIC 3523 - Property No 36A PP3445

Municipality

GREATER BENDIGO CITY

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO814

Heritage Listing

Greater Bendigo City

Statement of Significance

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What is significant?

The cemetery at Redcastle Cemetery Road is of significance. This includes the whole site including gravestones, grave fencing, introduced plants such as bulbs and the bushland setting.

How is it significant?

The cemetery at Redcastle is of local historical and aesthetic significance to the City of Greater Bendigo.

Why is it significant?

The Redcastle cemetery has historical significance for the record and the remains of local families it contains. *Criterion A*

The Redcastle Cemetery is of aesthetic significance as an example of a naturalistic cemetery in a bushland setting with nineteenth century decorative graves and fencing of cast iron. *Criterion D*

Heritage Greater Bendigo - Former Shires of McIvor and Strathfieldsaye Heritage Study,

Study/Consultant Context P/L, 2008;

Construction dates 1860,

Hermes Number 33061

Property Number

Physical Description 1

The Redcastle cemetery is set in an open forest setting with headstones set within cast metal fences. There is evidence of some planting with bulbs, but essentially the cemetery is naturalistic. Many of the headstones are quite decorative in their incised lettering, as are the grave fences which are of cast iron patterned with hoops, fleur de lys and other designs.

Integrity

Good

Historical Australian Themes

8.0 Building community life

8.6 Marking the phases of life

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