
Yan Yean Reservoir Park And Water Catchment



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Location

YAN YEAN VIC 3755 - Property No L10263

Municipality

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Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 4, 2004

Yan Yean Reservoir and its surrounds are of State Significance for:

Historical features associated with early water supply schemes, including the original dam wall, bluestone aqueduct and outlet tower. There is also one heritage listed building, Bears Castle, plus an early masonry section in the reservoir caretaker's cottage, now the visitor centre.

The biological value of the catchment which includes two designated Botanical Reference Areas and their surrounding management zones, plus several plant species designated rare in Victoria and a population of the Eastern Grey Kangaroo.

It is of Local Significance for:

Recreational value as a public open space within a short distance of Melbourne, having fine mature trees and outstanding views in to the closed catchment on the flanks of the Sherwin Range.

File Note: Classification reviewed, 05/03/2011 - Regional.

Hermes Number 70501

Property Number

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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