
Sebastopol Rock, Butcher Street extension, ST ARNAUD



SD 039 - Shire of Northern Grampians - Stage 2 Heritage Study, 2004

Location

Butcher Street ST ARNAUD, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Municipality

NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Level of significance

Recommended for Heritage Overlay

Heritage Listing

Northern Grampians Shire

Statement of Significance

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The Sebastopol Rock has significance as a natural rockform which is in the shape of a bell and is in the vicinity of several large 19th century gold mines. Remnants of an old mine shaft also remain nearby.

The Sebastopol Rock and surrounding area are **aesthetically, historically** and **socially** significant at a **LOCAL** level. The rock and the surrounding area demonstrate picturesque visual qualities which are recognised by the St. Arnaud community for recreational purposes. The rock and area are also associated with the gold mines that were established from the late 1850s until the early 1900s, including the Cornstock, Silver Mines, Lady Nelson, Sawpit, Walker, Zimmerina, Warwickshire and Queenslander.

The Sebastopol Rock and surrounding area are of **LOCAL** significance.

RECOMMENDED LEVEL OF SIGNIFICANCE: LOCAL

Heritage Study/Consultant	Northern Grampians - Shire of Northern Grampians - Stage 2 Heritage Study, Wendy Jacobs, Vicki Johnson, David Rowe, Phil Taylor, 2004;
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Physical Description 1

The Sebastopol Rock is situated behind the former Lady Nelson Mine on Sebastopol Hill. It is a large natural rock shaped like a bell. About the rock, the area is picturesque, with panoramic views, and several mines are nearby.

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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