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Location

Monbulk Road, Kallista VIC 3791

Municipality

YARRA RANGES SHIRE

Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO101

Heritage Listing

Yarra Ranges Shire

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 29, 2005

What is Significant?

The Emberson Memorial, Monbulk Road, built in 1923 by Charles Emberson in memory of his son William and 'other diggers' who died at Paschendale in 1917.

How is it Significant?

The Emberson memorial is of significance in demonstrating local loss of life during WWI.

Why is it Significant?

The Emberson Memorial is a rare example of a memorial which was originally erected in memory of a single person. The memorial is also important in demonstrating the loss of life in the community during World War I.
RNE Criterion A4

Heritage Study/Consultant Yarra Ranges - Shire of Yarra Ranges Heritage Study, Context Pty Ltd, 2000;

Hermes Number 115286

Property Number

Physical Description 1

The memorial was originally in the form of a gateway and a ramp with piers and metal handrails. The central pier bore a shield with the inscription 'in memory of my son'. All that remains of the memorial today is the concrete ramped walkway inlaid with a boomerang and map of Australia. The inscription 'other diggers' is almost indecipherable.

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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