# **National Rhododendron Gardens**

#### Location

24 The Georgian Road Olinda, YARRA RANGES SHIRE

## Municipality

YARRA RANGES SHIRE

#### Level of significance

Included in Heritage Overlay

### **Heritage Overlay Numbers**

**HO78** 

#### **Heritage Listing**

Yarra Ranges Shire

#### Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 29, 2005

What is significant?

The National Rhododendron Gardens in Falls Road, Olinda.

How is it significant?

The National Rhododendron Gardens, Falls Road, Olinda ... is of historic and aesthetic significance.

Why is it significant?

Of historical significance for its associations with the Australian Rhododendron Society. It illustrates the continuing attraction of the Olinda area as a place for the creation of gardens during the 1920s and 1930s.

RNE criterion A.4.

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

Hermes Number 115631

**Property Number** 

# **Physical Description 1**

A 43-hectare attractively landscaped garden planted with large number of rhododendrons, azaleas, camellias, and impressive mountain ash trees. The garden also features a lake, fern gullies, and areas of lawn All building are relatively recent and of no architectural significance.

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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