Sandringham Drill Hall

Location

Picnic Point, Sandringham, BAYSIDE CITY

Municipality

BAYSIDE CITY

Level of significance

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Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Construction dates 1940,

Hermes Number 126208

Property Number

Physical Description 1

Second World War timber drill hall

Historical Australian Themes

Providing administrative structures and authorities - defence

Usage/Former Usage

Demolished

Veterans Description for Public

The Sandringham Drill Hall was located on Picnic Point. The hall dates from the Second World War, when the prime concerns of construction were economy and speed. Accordingly, drill halls of this period returned to designs similar to the First World War but were built of weatherboards with corrugated asbestos cement roofs. The one exception is HMAS Londsdale which is of unique design in brick with tall west facing windows (the building is empty). The only remaining timber example is used as a scout hall in Red Cliffs near Mildura.

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