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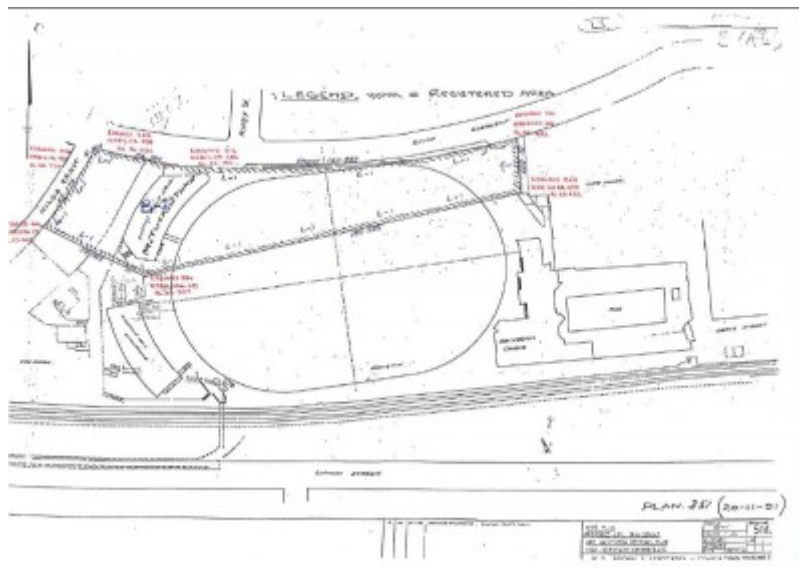
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crescent hawthorn side view



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Location

34 LINDA CRESCENT HAWTHORN, Boroondara City

Municipality

BOROONDARA CITY

Level of significance

Registered

Victorian Heritage Register (VHR) Number

H0890

Heritage Overlay Numbers

HO83

VHR Registration

September 30, 1992

Heritage Listing

Victorian Heritage Register

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - July 2, 1999

What is significant?

Completed in 1938, the Glenferrie Oval Grandstand was built more than a decade after the Hawthorn Football Club was admitted to the Victorian Football League (now the Australian Football League) in 1924 with Footscray and North Melbourne Football Clubs, and was the flagship for this relatively new league club. The grandstand was designed in the Moderne style by Stuart Calder in association with Marsh and Michaelson and constructed in red brick.

How is it significant?

The Glenferrie Oval Grandstand is of historic and architectural significance to the State of Victoria.

Why is it significant?

The Glenferrie Oval Grandstand is historically important to the history of Victoria and the State's development of leisure activities through its social and cultural associations with Australian Rules Football, the favoured spectator sport for many Victorians for much of its history. The grandstand is also historically important through its association with the growth of the Victorian Football League (now the Australian Football League).

The design of the grandstand in the Moderne style is unique and demonstrates the middle class values of the club, in contrast to the working class origins of most of the league clubs. The Glenferrie Grandstand is historically important in illustrating the status sought by the Hawthorn Club in the league through its Moderne design, most other league clubs favouring a traditional nineteenth century design for their grandstands. The Glenferrie Oval Grandstand is important in its ability to exhibit good design and the principal characteristics of the Moderne style applied to a sporting facility.

Construction dates 1938,
Architect/Designer Marsh & Michaelson,
Heritage Act Categories Registered place,
Other Names MICHAEL TUCK STAND,
Hermes Number 1550
Property Number

History

Associated People: Stuart Calder;

Extent of Registration

AMENDMENT OF REGISTER OF HISTORIC BUILDINGS

Historic Building No. 890.

Glenferrie Oval Grandstand (now known as the Michael Tuck Grandstand), Linda Crescent, Hawthorn.

To the extent of:

1. The building known as the Michael Tuck Grandstand and entry pavilion as shown in the Marsh and Michaelson original drawings of 1938 held by the Director, Historic Buildings Council, being the building marked B-1 on Plan 6004088 endorsed by the Chairperson, Historic Buildings Council and held by the Director, Historic Buildings Council.
2. The land marked L-1 on Plan 6004088 and being a portion of the land described in the Register Book Certificate of Title Volume 3028 Folio 552.

[*Victoria Government Gazette* No. G38 30 September 1992 p.2922]

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