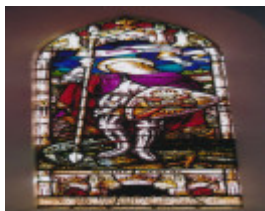

Stained Glass Window at Winchelsea St. Thomas' Anglican Church



Winchelsea St Thomas St
George

Location

25 Barwon Terrace, Winchelsea, SURF COAST SHIRE

Municipality

SURF COAST SHIRE

Level of significance

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Heritage Listing

Vic. War Heritage Inventory

Heritage Study/Consultant	Vic War Heritage Inventory - Stained Glass Memorial Windows Study, Bronwyn Hughes, 2013;
Architect/Designer	Montgomery, William,
Hermes Number	197020
Property Number	

Memorial Window References & Acknowledgements

1/922, 1/936, 1/941, 1/947, Montgomery letterbooks, NGA Research Collection, Canberra ACT. Folio 152
Montgomery ledger, William Montgomery Collection, State Library of Victoria.

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Memorial Window Subject

St. George

Memorial Window Text

Saint George

Memorial Window Inscription

1914 The World War 1919 To the memory of the men who enlisted from this parish

Memorial Window Description & History

St. George, Patron Saint of England, was a popular choice of subject for windows after the First World War. His heroic figure symbolised Australia's connections with Britain - 'home' to most Australians - and the chivalrous and brave attributes of the fighting man. Negotiations between the church and stained glass artist William Montgomery (1850-1927) for a soldiers' memorial began in September 1919, and Montgomery sent several designs for the perusal of the vicar, the Reverend HT Fowler and vestry. *St. George* was selected at a cost of 42 guineas.

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