# FORMER PARWAN SOUTH STATE SCHOOL & MECHANICS INSTITUTE

#### Location

CORNER OF PARWAN SOUTH ROAD AND NEROWIE ROAD PARWAN, MOORABOOL SHIRE

## Municipality

MOORABOOL SHIRE

#### Level of significance

Heritage Inventory Site

## Heritage Inventory (HI) Number

H7722-0081

### **Heritage Listing**

Victorian Heritage Inventory

### Statement of Significance

Last updated on - May 17, 2022

#### What is significant?

This site is is significant as it is connected to the early development and growth of the Parwan region, and rural Victoria education in the early 20th century. The site is listed on the Moorabool Shire Council Heritage Overlay and is recognised as having local historical and social significance for its association with the provision of education for the local community, and its use as a community centre and meeting place.

How is it significant?

Why is it significant?

Interpretation of Site

• The site is significant because it has the potential to contain artefacts or deposits that are associated with the early European settlement and development of the Parwan region in the late 19th century and the early 20th century. • The site may provide information on the past rural education system in the Parwan area. • The site is significant because an archaeological investigation may reveal further unknown details about the site. • The site is not only associated with Aboriginal Places. The site is significant because subsurface archaeological features, deposits or remains may be present. The potential subsurface deposits may reveal information relating to the early 20th century development of the Parwan area.

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Property Number

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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