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Location

Moss Vale Park, Leongatha-Mirboo North Road, LEONGATHA VIC 3953 - Property No T11950

Municipality

SOUTH GIPPSLAND SHIRE

Level of significance

Regional

Heritage Listing

National Trust

Statement of Significance

Last updated on - June 30, 2004

Contribution to historic park
Outstanding size

Outstanding example of species

This tree, located next to the sound shell, is the best example of several very large Plane trees, both *P. x acerifolia* and *P. orientalis*, growing within the park. This old nursery site established by Francis Moss in 1888 on the banks of the Tarwin River comprised a portion of the original 1000 acres (404ha) purchased. By 1900 the nursery had become well established and in 1945 the Council acquired the main park plus 2 acres (0.8ha) of natural bush across the river. The Park was opened to the public in 1946.

Measurements: 26/03/1991

Spread (m): 32.3

Girth (m): 3.55

Height (m): 26.1

Estimated Age (yrs): 100

Condition: Good

Measurements: 04/2004

Spread (m): E-W 30; N-S 34

Girth (m): 4.4

Height (m): 31

Estimated Age (yrs): 113

Condition: Good

Access: Unrestricted

Classified: 11/04/1991

Other Names London Plane Moss,

Hermes Number 71451

Property Number

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