

Victorian Heritage Database Report

Old Navarre Cemetery, Rear of 46-50 High Street, NAVARRE



Location:

Rear of 46-50 High Street NAVARRE, NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE

Heritage Status / Level of Significance:

Recommended for Heritage Overlay

Statement of Significance:

The Navarre Old Cemetery, rear of 46-50 High street, Navarre, has significance as an important place of commemoration and as a cultural landscape to the local area. Characterised by a rural grassed setting with few early graves and grave surrounds, and mature exotic trees.

The Navarre Old Cemetery is historically and aesthetically significant at a LOCAL level. The Cemetery is associated with the development of the settlement of the Navarre district in the second half of the 19th century. The Cemetery demonstrates important visual qualities. These qualities include the rural setting with an open grassed setting, surviving graves and mature exotic trees.

The Navarre Old Cemetery is socially significant at a LOCAL level. It is recognised and valued by the Navarre community and the surrounding district for cultural, spiritual and commemorative reasons.

Overall, the Navarre Old Cemetery is of LOCAL significance.

Description

The Navarre Old Cemetery is situated behind the Navarre Hall set in a small fenced area in an open paddock. The area is fenced with an agricultural wire and metal dropper fence with large round timber posts at the corners. The cemetery contains a small number of marked graves with headstones and grave fences. There is a pair of cypress trees marking one grave and a large bush sheltering a small group of other graves.

Heritage Study / Consultant	Northern Grampians - Shire of Northern Grampians - Stage 2 Heritage Study, Wendy Jacobs, Vicki Johnson, David Rowe, Phil Taylor, 2004
Construction Date Range	
Architect / Designer	
Municipality	NORTHERN GRAMPIANS SHIRE
Other names	
Hermes number	108238
Property number	

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