



Victorian Heritage Database Report

## Forest Park Homestead and Stables (Upwey South Primary School)

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**Location:**

91 Morris Road (Riley Road), Upwey VIC 3158 - Property No 54633

**Heritage Status / Level of Significance:**

Included in Heritage Overlay

**Heritage Inventory (HI) Number:**

Listing Authority: HI

**Heritage Overlay Number: HO29**

**Statement of Significance:**

One of the region's oldest and most elaborate houses. In excellent condition and its oldest section has minimal alterations. Stables, coachhouse and garden gazebo also in excellent condition. (Tansley, 1978)

**Description**

A large 10 roomed Victorian brick and weatherboard residence with a wide verandah on two sides, and a multiple gable corrugated iron roof. The large brick section of the house is original (bricks are tuck-pointed). The weatherboard service wing at the rear added at later date. (Tansley, 1978)

Garden contains a pine gazebo and old coachhouse and stables. The stables are constructed of adzed timber slabs covered with later weatherboard and coachhouse of weatherboard with interior of pine lining-board. (Tansley, 1978)

Excellent

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| Heritage Study / Consultant | Yarra Ranges - Shire of Yarra Ranges Heritage Study, Context Pty Ltd, 2000 |
| Construction Date Range     | 1873 - 1874                                                                |
| Architect / Designer        |                                                                            |
| Municipality                | YARRA RANGES SHIRE                                                         |
| Other names                 |                                                                            |
| Hermes number               | 115324                                                                     |
| Property number             | 54633                                                                      |

*This place/object may also be State heritage listed. Check the Victorian Heritage Database. For further details, contact the local Council or go to Planning Schemes Online*