

City of Greater Geraldton Municipal Inventory of Heritage Places Place Record

Area: Greenough Place Number: 104 Category: 2

 Assessment Date:
 30/09/1997
 Last Revision Date:
 12/04/2005

 HCWA Number:
 13136
 Asset ID:
 MCH126570

PLACE DETAILS

Name: Georgina State School (Fmr)

Other Names: Georgina State School

Type of Place: School

Address: Cnr Kennedy & Georgina Roads

Suburb: Georgina

LOCATION

Map Geraldton **GPS** 6802412.00 **GPS** 279698.000

Reference: S.E. Northing: 0000 Easting: 000



Photo Description:

12/04/2005 Martin Large brick extension to north

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SITE DETAILS

Lot No.: Part Lot 148 of VL 5041

Reserv No.: Assess No.: 64176

Dia/Plan: Vol/Fol:

USE OF PLACE

Original Use: School

Current Use: Residence

Ownership:

Public Access: No Occupied: Occupied

DESCRIPTION

Walls: Limestone/Brick/CGI Roof: Corrugated Iron

Condition: Good Integrity:

Original fabric:

Modifications: Re-roofed with aluminium tiles

Located on the north west corner of the intersection of Kennedy and Georgina Roads, this simple stone building has a corrugated iron gable roof. The place has brick quoining to the windows and brick buttresses. A metal awning is attached over the twin windows to the east elevation with three air vents to the gable end. There is a corbelled brick chimney to the south and a carport attached to the west side. A large brick extension has been added to the north elevation while a fibro and corrugated iron clad extension is located to the south facade, both to facilitate the use of the place as a residence.

HISTORY

Construction Date: 1912 Source:

Architect: Not available **Builder:** Not available

In 1912, 4 acres of land owned by Mr George Hamersley was resumed for the Georgina School. The school was built to service the educational needs of local children. Since its closure, the building has been extended and adapted for use as a residence by Mrs Criddle who has lived in the former school since c1980.

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HISTORIC THEMES

HCWA: 402 Education and science

100 Demographic settlement and mobility

AHC: 6.5 Educating people in remote places

8.14 Living in the country and rural settlements

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

The former Georgina State School has considerable historic and social significance for its association with education in the Greenough district for many years. Although altered, the original structure is characteristic of rural schools, it being small in scale and simple in style. The significance of the former school is enhanced by its close proximity to the former Georgina Methodist Chapel.

MANAGEMENT CATEGORY

Management Category: 2

Level of Significance: CONSIDERABLE SIGNIFICANCE: Very important

to the heritage of the locality.

Management Conservation of the place is highly

Recommendation: recommended. Any proposed change should

not unduly impact on the heritage values of the

place and should retain significant fabric

wherever feasible.

OTHER LISTINGS

No other listings

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Bibliography:

HCWA Database No. 13136.

OTHER PHOTOS

No other photos

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