

Item Details

Name
House
SHR/LEP/S170
LEP #
Address
4 Wallace Street BLACKTOWN NSW 2148
Local Govt Area
Blacktown
Local Aboriginal Land Council
Unknown

Item Type	Group/Collection	Category
Built	Residential buildings (private)	Cottage

All Addresses

Addresses								
Records Retrieved: 1								
Street No	Street Name	Suburb/Town/Postcode	Local Govt. Area	LALC	Parish	County	Electorate	Address Type
4	Wallace Street	BLACKTOWN/NSW/2148	Blacktown	Unknown			Unknown	Primary Address

Significance

Statement Of Significance

4 Wallace Street is of high historic significance to Blacktown as a representative example of the Victorian era of development around Blacktown relating to the establishment of the railway station at Blacktown.

Criteria a)

Historical Significance

4 Wallace Street is highly significant to Blacktown as a remaining example of the Victorian development of Blacktown in response to the arrival of the railway line.

Criteria b)

Historical Association Significance

The cottage may be associated with the first Station Master at Blacktown Railway Station.

Criteria c)

Aesthetic/Technical Significance

The cottage is a highly intact example of a typical late Victorian brick cottage.

Criteria e)

Research Potential

The cottage provides the opportunity to further research the early development of urbanisation around Blacktown.

Criteria f)

Rarity

The cottage is a rare example of Victorian residential development in Blacktown.

Integrity/Intactness

Highly intact exteriors andExterior

Owners

Records Retrieved: 0		
Organisation	Stakeholder Category	Date Ownership Updated
No Results Found		

Description

DesignerBuilder/Maker

Physical DescriptionUpdated

A single storey face brick house with gable ended roof and front and side verandah supported by timber posts. Decorative wrought iron fretwork is attached to the verandah posts.

The original cottage is similar to 5 Sarsfield Street and consists of a typical late Victorian cottage form of four rooms around a central hall, and a steep pitched gable roof, and rear service wing.

4 Wallace Street has a second rear service wing and linking verandah (enclosed) creating a courtyard ot the rear.

The cottage retains its original front verandah that wraps around the north side of the cottage, and may originally have had steel fillegry balustrades. Fencing includes posts made from railway rails.

Roofing has been replaced with galvanised roofing and the brick verandah was replaced in 2015 to its original brick form with a new timber infill. Timber posts and verandah structure has been retained.

The cottage is face brick with sandstone sills and provides an indication the likely former patterning and style of 5 Sarsfield Street.

Interiors remain intact with original fireplace insert coal grates remaining in some rooms. Ceilings are timber boarded.

Physical ConditionUpdated 10/08/2015

Good

Modifications And Dates

Frontage Verandah reconstruction 2015. Re-roofing 2012-13

Further Comments

Current Use

Former Use

Listings

Listings

			Records Retrieved: 2		
Heritage Listing	Listing Title	Listing Number	Gazette Date	Gazzette Number	Gazzette Page
Local Environmental Plan	Amend No 143		4/12/2002 12:00:00 AM	72	2262
Local Environmental Plan	Blacktown Local Environmental Plan 2015	l18	7/7/2015 12:00:00 AM	430	

Procedures/Exemptions

Records Retrieved: 0					
Section of Act	Description	Title	Comments	Action Date	Outcome
No Results Found					

History

Historical Notes or Provenance

Updated

The cottage predates the Blacktown subdivision in 1893 and relates to the Victorian era development of Blacktown. This included the arrival of the railway in 1862, and the cottage is possibly related to the original railway station. It is possible that the house was the residence of the first Station Master.

Historic Themes

Records Retrieved: 4		
National Theme	State Theme	Local Theme
4. Settlement	Towns, suburbs and villages	Unknown
4. Settlement	Towns, suburbs and villages	Transport and Urbanisation
4. Settlement	Towns, suburbs and villages	Subdivision and urban growth
3. Economy	Transport	Unknown

Recommended Management

Management Summary

Management

Records Retrieved: 0		
Management Category	Management Name	Date Updated
No Results Found		

Report/Study

Heritage Studies

Records Retrieved: 3

Report/Study Name	Report/Study Code	Report/Study Type	Report/Study Year	Organisation	Author
In House Heritage Items Review			2009		Margaret Fallon
Blacktown Heritage Study			1995		(not stated)
Blacktown Heritage Study			1988		Jonathan Falk Planning Consultants in association with Rodney Jensen and Assoc.s

Reference & Internet Links

References

Records Retrieved: 0

Type	Author	Year	Title	Link
No Results Found				

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