

Item Details

**Name**  
Brick cottage  
**SHR/LEP/S170**  
LEP #298  
**Address**  
38 Gidley Street ST MARYS NSW 2760  
**Local Govt Area**  
Penrith  
**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
38	Gidley Street	ST MARYS/NSW/2760	Penrith	Unknown			Unknown	Primary Address

Significance

Statement Of Significance

One of a group of three original identical cottages in Gidley Street. A rare example of an extant historic residence in St. Marys which demonstrates development in the late nineteenth century.

Criteria a)

Historical Significance

The cottage demonstrates a phase in the residential development in the village of St. Marys.

Criteria c)

Aesthetic/Technical Significance

The cottage is a good example of its style which retains key characteristics such as roof and plan form and detailing.

Criteria g)

Representative

The cottage is part of a group which represents a fair percentage of the extant historic structures in St. Marys which collectively demonstrate the pattern of a village settlement. Collectively these structures imbue the area with high historic and aesthetic values.

Integrity/Intactness

High

## Owners

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

## Description

Designer	Builder/Maker
Willaim Sykes (attributed)	

Physical Description	Updated
No. 38 Gildey Street is a quaint late nineteenth century brick Gothick Revival cottage which is one of a pair of extant buildings of like design. The cottage has cement rendered external walls lined as ashlar masonry with vermiculated quoins, and moulded label moulds and window sills. The roof is half hipped with a gabled projecting wing sheeted in corrugated metal. The strongly defined roof form includes a brick chimney with corbelled capital. The gable has a finely fretted decorated bargeboard. The front verandah has a bullnose profiled roof supported on timber posts. There is an attached rear service wing. The cottage is set within a narrow and deep allotment close to the street boundary. The house is located in Gidley Street which is located to the west of the main commercial precinct of Queen Street. The house is part of a discrete unit in the St. Marys township area which is enhanced by the hilly setting on the group with outlook west to the Blue Mountains.	

Physical Condition	Updated 03/06/2005
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### Modifications And Dates

### Further Comments

Both no. 38 and no 42 Gidley Street share stylistic traits that are also common with neighbouring Mimosa (ie. the rendered medallion and vermiculated quoins) which suggest all three buildings share the same architect (William Sykes).

Current Use
Residential

### Former Use

## Listings

Listings

			Records Retrieved: 3		
Heritage Listing	Listing Title	Listing Number	Gazette Date	Gazette Number	Gazette Page
Local Environmental Plan	Penrith Local Environmental Plan 2010	298	9/22/2010 12:00:00 AM		
Heritage study	Cottages	SM-10	4/1/1987 12:00:00 AM		
Heritage study		2260298	11/1/2007 12:00:00 AM		

Procedures/Exemptions

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

History

Historical Notes or Provenance

Updated

Historic Themes

Records Retrieved: 2		
National Theme	State Theme	Local Theme
4. Settlement	Towns, suburbs and villages	Rural villages
4. Settlement	Accommodation	Rural villages

Recommended Management

Management Summary

Management

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

Report/Study

Heritage Studies

Records Retrieved: 4

Report/Study Name	Report/Study Code	Report/Study Type	Report/Study Year	Organisation	Author
Penrith Heritage Study Review			2005		Paul Davies Pty Ltd
Penrith Heritage Study Review			2005		Pail Davies Pty Ltd
Penrith Heritage Study Review			2005		Paul Davies Pty. Ltd.
Penrith Heritage Study Review			2005		Paul Davies Pty. Ltd.

Reference & Internet Links

References

Records Retrieved: 4

Type	Author	Year	Title	Link
Written		1991	Penrith Local Environmental Plan 1991 (Environmental Heritage Conservation).	
Written		1991	Penrith Local Environmental Plan 1991 (Environmental Heritage Conservation).	
Written			National Trust Listing Proposal	
Written			National Trust Listing Proposal	

Data Source

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