#### **Item Details**

Name

"Kenilworth", dwelling and trees

SHR/LEP/S170

LEP #CR-2

**Address** 

6-9 Tallowood Place CRANEBROOK NSW 2749

**Local Govt Area** 

Penrith

**Local Aboriginal Land Council** 

Unknown

Item TypeGroup/CollectionCategoryBuiltResidential buildings (private)House



### **All Addresses**

#### **Addresses**

**Records Retrieved: 1** 

Stre et No	Street Name	Suburb/Town/Postc ode	Local Govt. Area	LALC	Parish	County	Electorate	Address Type
6-9	Tallowood Place	CRANEBROOK/NSW /2749	Penrith	Unknown			Unknown	Primary Address

## **Significance**

## **Statement Of Significance**

Completed in 1869 for Forsthye the house is unique in the area for its historic association as a rural retreat, architectural style, and date of construction. The house is a good example of its type set within grounds with stands of mature trees and lawn which provide context for the house and which collectively demonstrate rural settlement in the area in the mid nineteenth century as a place of retreat for the city's middle classes. The item therefore provides diversity in the range of extant historic structures and provides insight into a little understood aspect of the area's historical development.

#### Criteria a)

#### **Historical Significance**

The item demonstrates rural settlement in the area in the mid nineteenth century as a place of retreat for the city's middle classes. The item therefore provides diversity in the range of extant historic structures and provides insight into a little understood aspect of the area's historical development.

#### Criteria c)

#### Aesthetic/Technical Significance

The house is a good example of its type set within grounds with stands of mature trees and lawn which provide context for the house.

### Criteria f)

## Rarity

The house is unique in the area for its historic association as a rural retreat, architectural style, and date of construction.

### **Owners**

#### **Records Retrieved: 0**

Organisation	Stakeholder Category	Date Ownership
	No Results Found	Updated

## **Description**

Designer

Builder/Maker

Physical Description Updated

The item is a weatherboard house sited on a rise above Boundary Road. The house is a picturesque mid-Victorian Gothic style building with a gabled roof and front and side verandahs. The roof has a centrally located gable dormer that echoes the entry verandah gable below and has two prominent brick chimneys at either end. The symmetrical front elevation is notable for its row of french doors and associated timber shutters, centred dormer and decorative timber bargeboards. The centrally located door is flanked with side lights and a fan light. The garden setting retains a number of mature trees such as hoop pine and camphor laurel. The house is now set within a recent (c.1990s) housing subdivision at the end of a cul de sac. While the house is not particularly visible from neighbouring public roads, a sense of front garden setting has been maintained.

Physical Condition Updated 03/01/2005

## **Modifications And Dates**

## **Further Comments**

The character of the house has been detracted from by the introduction of a new tiled roof, new verandah columns and recent residential subdivision.

**Current Use** 

**Former Use** 

## Listings

# Listings

			Records Retrieved: 4		
Heritage Listing	Listing Title	Listing Number	Gazette Date	Gazzette Number	Gazzette Page
Local Environmental Plan	Kenilworth	CR-2	12/20/1991 12:00:00 AM		
Local Environmental Plan	Penrith Local Environmental Plan 2010	36	9/22/2010 12:00:00 AM		
Heritage study		2260036	11/1/2007 12:00:00 AM		
Heritage study	Kenilworth	CR-2	4/1/1987 12:00:00 AM		

# **Procedures/Exemptions**

**Records Retrieved: 0** 

Sectio n of Act	Description	Title	Comments	Action Date	Outcome		
	No Results Found						

# History

## **Historical Notes or Provenance**

**Updated** 

The house was built in the 1860s for Mr. Forsythe, a rope manufacturer of Sydney as a country retreat.

## **Historic Themes**

**Records Retrieved: 3** 

National Theme	State Theme	Local Theme	
8. Culture	Leisure	Tourism and recreation	
8. Culture	Creative endeavour	Rural settlement	
4. Settlement	Accommodation	Rural settlement	

# **Recommended Management**

# **Management Summary**

# Management

Records Retrieved: 0

Management Category	Management Name	Date Updated		
No Results Found				

# Report/Study

## **Heritage Studies**

## **Records Retrieved: 0**

Report/Study Name	Report/Study Code	Report/Study Type	Report/Stud y Year	Organisation	Author	
	No Results Found					

# **Reference & Internet Links**

## References

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Written	Parr, L,		Cranebrook Primary School, 1883-1983	
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