

Heritage Citation



Wally Tate Park

Key details

Addresses	At 95 Warrigal Road, Runcorn, Queensland 4113
Type of place	Farm, Park
Period	Interwar 1919-1939
Lot plan	L38_SP190117; L36_SP190117; L86_RP847249; L71_RP209336; L2_SP130744; L40_RP889945; L111_SP223251; L112_SP223251
Key dates	Local Heritage Place Since — 1 January 2004 Date of Citation — July 2011
People/associations	Jacob family (Association)
Criterion for listing	(A) Historical; (H) Historical association

This was the site of the old Jacob's farmhouse. Charles and Emma Jacob began farming the site c1926 and purchased the farm outright in 1938. The land became known locally as Jacob's Paddock and remained with the family until 1966, after Charles Jacob had died. In 1975, Brisbane City Council bought the farm to create a large, 118 acre park. It was named Wally Tate Park to honour a local resident who worked at the Kuraby Railway Station for 35 years; and who founded the Kuraby Cricket Club that leased part of the park from 1993 to 1998. The park retains the original farm orchard plus other trees planted by the Jacob family.

Statement of significance

Relevant assessment criteria

This is a place of local heritage significance and meets one or more of the local heritage criteria under the Heritage planning scheme policy of the *Brisbane City Plan 2014*. It is significant because:

Historical

CRITERION A

The place is important in demonstrating the evolution or pattern of the city's or local area's history

as the former site of Jacobs' farmhouse which provides a link with Kuraby's rural industry in the early decades of the twentieth century.

Historical association

CRITERION H

The place has a special association with the life or work of a particular person, group or organization of importance in the city's or local area's history

for its association with the Jacob family who were localfarmers who made a significant contribution to the Kuraby community.

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