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SECTION 1: INTRODUCTION

1.1 INTRODUCTION

Bridget O'Donoghue Heritage Consultant was appointed by the City of Cape Town to complete a specialist heritage survey of sculptures, memorials and commemorative monuments within the City of Cape Town Metropolitan Area. This report contains the audit of the sculptures, memorials and commemorative monuments on certain city land and recommends maintenance and upkeep for individual sculptures, memorials and commemorative monuments. A list of sculptures, memorials and commemorative monuments within the City of Cape Town Metropolitan Area that are not included in this audit is listed under Section 1.5.

1.2 PROJECT BACKGROUND

The Heritage Development and Promotion, Arts and Culture Unit, Social Development Department, City of Cape Town requires a survey of sculptures, memorials and commemorative monuments within the City of Cape Town Metropolitan Area. This survey will provide the Unit with an updated survey and with recommendations for management intervention. This survey has made use of the existing data regarding memorials held within the City's heritage database. A survey of the Central City was completed some years ago by the South African Heritage Resources Agency¹.

1.3 STATUTORY FRAMEWORK

In terms of the National Heritage Resources Act, No 25 of 1999 (NHRA), public monuments and memorials have the following definition:

"public monuments and memorials" means all monuments and memorials -

(a) erected on land belonging to any branch of central, provincial or local government, or on any land belonging to any organisation funded by or established in terms of the legislation of such branch of government; or

¹ SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in three cities, 2003

(b) which were paid for by public subscription, government funds, or a public spirited or military organisation, and are on land belonging to any private individual (NHRA Schedule 2 (xxxviii).

The National Heritage Resources Act, No 25 of 1999 (NHRA) states that conservation worthy public monuments and memorials must be protected by the provincial heritage resources authority by their inclusion into a heritage register. It is not necessary for the Provincial Heritage Resources Authority (PHRA) to give notice in the Provincial Gazette of the heritage resource prior to its inclusion in the heritage register.

The NHRA lists broad criteria for the assessment of cultural significance. This is based on the following:

- Importance in the community or pattern in South African history;
- Possession of uncommon, rare or endangered aspects of South African's natural or cultural heritage
- Potential to yield information that will contribute to an understanding of South Africa's natural and cultural heritage;
- Importance in exhibiting particular aesthetic characteristics valued by a community or cultural group
- Importance in demonstrating a high degree of creative of technical achievement during a particular period
- Strong or special association with a particular community of cultural group for social, cultural or spiritual reasons
- Strong or special association with the life of work of a person, group or organisation of importance in the history of South Africa.

The South African Heritage Resources Agency (SAHRA) produced a draft policy for public monuments and memorials (November 2003) and an audit of the public monuments and memorials in the central areas of Cape Town, Bloemfontein and Pretoria. The audit was based on a project that aims to develop a policy for the management of the cultural landscape². The policy aims to provide guidelines for re ordering the monuments and memorials that are located in public spaces, locally, provincially and locally. The project attempts to establish a system of heritage resources management to clarify the meaning of the existing monuments and memorials to the democratic nation. The project's recommendations are to transform the cultural landscape to achieve the principles of representivity, non-racialism, non sexism and African renaissance.

The SAHRA draft policy for public monuments and memorials (November 2007) state in section 4.1: Management:

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² SAHRA: Monuments and Memorials November 2003 (Section 1.1)

"public monuments and memorials would be managed by the provincial heritage authority or the local authority depending on their grade i.e. Grade 2 managed by the PHRA and grade 3 managed by a local heritage authority. Monuments and memorials situated in a National Heritage Area or a National Heritage Site or an identified Grade 1 heritage resource will be managed as a Grade 1 heritage resource by SAHRA.

The draft policy states under Section 4.2, Responsibility for maintenance, states:

"Maintenance and repair of the monument or memorial and the place where it stands are the responsibility of the owner of the monument or the memorial and of the land owner respectively unless another agreement is in place. Overall responsibility lies with the heritage resources authority or local authority, which should establish record and keep up to date the information about ownership and responsibility." The heritage resources authority or local authority should have a management programme for all monuments and memorials, to include maintenance and repair etc or all which should conserve the cultural significance of the monument or memorial for education and tourism".

This project is therefore in line with the SAHRA draft policy as it identifies the public memorials and monuments that the City of Cape Town is required to manage.

1.4 **DEFINITIONS**

The purpose and nature of a public monument and memorials is not defined in the NHRA, but the dictionary³ assists to define the items as follows:

- A memorial is something, especially a structure, established to remind people a
 person or event, and/or it is serving to preserve the memory of the dead or a past
 event;
- A monument is a statue, building or other structure erected to commemorate a notable person or event and/or an obelisk, a statue, a building erected in commemoration of a person or event;
- To commemorate is to recall and show respect for something or someone in a ceremony and/or to honour or keep alive the memory;
- A **sculpture** is de as the art of making three-dimensional or relief forms by chiselling, carving, modelling, casting etc;
- **Cultural significance** is defined as "historical, architectural, aesthetic, environmental, social or technological/scientific value or significance" (NHRA 25 of 1999).

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³ Oxford Pocket English Dictionary, 2000

• A **plaque** is a commemorate tablet.

1.5 PROJECT LOCATION

The specialist heritage survey of sculptors, memorials and commemorative plaques takes place within the City of Cape Town Metropolitan Area and is specifically an audit of those objects that are on certain land which the City of Cape Town owns and maintains.

The sculptures, memorials and commemorative sculptures on state owned land that are not included in this audit include the following:

- Sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques on state land that is not managed by the City of Cape Town e.g. within Table Mountain National Park and on Transnet land e.g. the Victoria and Alfred Waterfront;
- Memorial benches (besides the one that was erected through the Sunday Times newspaper as part of their Centenary celebration in 2007);
- All items, such as tombstones, sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques and sculptures within dedicated cemeteries;
- Historic structures/artefacts;
- Plaques on buildings;
- Historic items that are not sculptures, memorials and commemorative sculptures e.g. historic lamp post, water features;
- Sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques on leased City owned land e.g.
- Sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques on private land eg within Church grounds;
- Milestones on road reserves;

This report has included a methodology as well as conclusions and recommendations regarding the nature, state and management needs for the City's memorials and monuments and statues.

1.6 TERMS OF REFERENCE (TOR)

The terms of reference for the audit:

- Identify and record the Sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques on city owned and managed land except the land identified under Section1.? The information required of each sculpture memorial and commemorative monument is as follows:
 - Name of object, Location: Erf number, GPS coordinates;

- Person or event being commemorated and subject depicted;
- Medium and materials used;
- Date produced;
- Artist and /or maker responsible;
- Brief description and history of the memorial, sculpture and commemorative monuments;
- o Brief statement of cultural significance;
- Condition of heritage resources with if necessary a vulnerability statement;
- Management intervention recommended Fair/Urgent work required;
- o Recommendations for maintenance work or management interventions;
- Record of transcription of inscriptions;
- Digital photographs of the sculpture, memorials and monuments including their inscriptions. Photographs should show overall views of the monument as well as details and context where appropriate;
- o Details of references used in the survey.
- Create a database of the identified sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques.

1.7 ASSUMPTIONS AND LIMITATIONS

1.7.1 Assumptions

It is assumed that the data and information received from the South African Heritage Resource Agency and the City of Cape Town's own heritage database is correct and reliable.

1.7.2 Limitations

The report is limited to recording and surveying sculptors, memorials and commemorative monuments that are on land which is maintained by the city of Cape Town. It excludes items as recorded under Section 1.

1.8 APPROACH TO STUDY

The approach will be based on the followings actions:

- Meeting with relevant City of Cape Town official to discuss project;
- Review of existing heritage surveys relating to the project;
- Site visits to all sculptures, memorials and commemorative sculptures;
- Meet with CCT official to present draft survey;
- Receive comment from client;
- Finalisation of heritage survey;
- Produce electronic database of heritage survey with digital pictures.

1.9 BACKGROUND TO MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS IN THE CITY OF CAPE TOWN

Sculptures, memorials and commemorative plaques within the City of Cape Town can be divided into the following a few categories, as follows:

- Erected under British rule (2nd half of the 19th century);
- After the Anglo Boer war (1st half of the 20th century);
- Re-enactment of the great trek (1938);
- Tercentenary celebrations of the arrival of the Dutch East India Company (1952);
- War memorials (in the first half of the 20th century)
- Post liberation memorials (first half of the 21st century)

1.10 SPECIALIST TEAM AND DETAILS

The specialist team for this project is Bridget O'Donoghue, heritage assessment consultant and Alexandra O'Donoghue, assistant. Bridget O'Donoghue has been responsible for the management and research of the study, collection and review of all documents prepared for Alexandra O'Donoghue has assisted on site visits and data collection and the study. recording.

1.11 **DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE**

This is to confirm that Bridget O'Donoghue is responsible for undertaking the study and preparing the Specialist Heritage Survey. Bridget O'Donoghue and Alexandra O'Donoghue are independent and has no vested or financial interest in the City of Cape Town, or the sculptures, monuments and memorials within it.

1.12 REPORT STRUCTURE

The report is divided into 6 Sections, namely

Section 1: Introduction

Section 2: District A: Table Bay Section 3: District B: Blaauwberg Section 4: District C: Northern District D: Tygerberg Section 5: Section 6: District E: Eastern

Section 7: District F: Mitchells Plain / Khayelitsha Section 8:

District G: Klipfontein / False Bay

Section 9: District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

Conclusion and Recommendations Section 10:

SECTION 2: DISTRICT A TABLE BAY

INTRODUCTION

Section 2 audits the monuments, memorials and sculptures located within District A City of Cape town on public land under management of the City of Cape Town (refer Appendix A Map of District A). Compared to the other 8 Districts within the city, District A has the most monuments, memorials and sculptures. This is due to the historic and oldest part of Cape Town situated within the district and therefore recipient to many of the memorials.

The Section is divided as follows:

- Section 2.A: monuments, memorials and sculptures located in the Company's Gardens
- Section 2.B: monuments, memorials and sculptures located in the central business district (CBD) of Cape Town
- Section 2.C: monuments, memorials and sculptures located in the suburbs of District A (Sea Point, Camps Bay, Pinelands, Langa)

2.A.1 COMPANY GARDENS PLAQUE

District A: Table Bay

COMPANY GARDENS PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the first gardeners of the Dutch East India Company who stated the fruit and vegetable garden in the Company's garden.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.1: Company Gardens Plaque on boulder, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, Tape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.550′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.125′

Medium/Material

Bronze plaque in concrete base set in sandstone boulder

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large bronze plague mounted on a boulder.

Inscription

/ The Dutch East India Company's Garden

On the 29th of April 1952 the Company's Gardener

Hendrik Boom prepared the first piece of ground to carry into effect the instruction of the Lords Seventeen to Jan Van Riebeek to plant a vegetable and fruit garden at the Cape. In 1661 the gardens already covered 21 Morgen. Under the Gardeners Hendrik Bernard Holdenland (1692 or 1693 – 1697) Jan De Hartogh (1689 – 1714) and especially Johan Andries Auge (1747 – 1783) the original vegetable and fruit garden developed into a world famous botanical garden with indigenous and exotic plants shrubs and trees. This garden is part of the old company's garden Historical Monuments Commission /

The plaque is inscribed in English and Afrikaans

Cultural significance

Commemorates the first three gardeners of the Company's Garden

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

2.A.2 SIR GEORGE GREY

District A: Table Bay

SIR GEORGE GREY

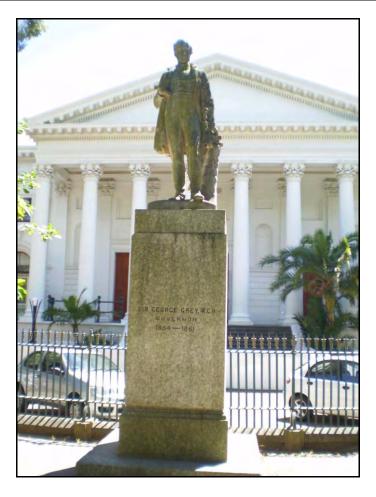
Heritage status

Provincial Heritage site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Commemorates the role of Sir George Grey in the Cape and his association with the South African Library

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.2: Sir George Grey, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, in front of the south African Library on the SA museum and SA library axis.

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.538′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.112′

Medium/Material

Marble statue on Cape granite pedestal

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Designer: Marshall W. Calder R.A (1813-1893)

Builder: unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Fully clothed figure standing, holding a book in his hand faces south towards the SA Museum. Sir George Grey was the Governor of the Cape between 1854 and 1861 and the great benefactor of the South African Library. In addition he secured the Cape Town harbour.

Inscription

/ Sir George Grey. K.C.B.

Governor

1854-1861 /

Cultural significance

- Commemorates a prominent figure in South Africa. Governor of the cape between 1854-1861;
- Situated on axis of the SA Library which site was chosen when he was Governor. He laid the foundation stone in 1858;
- Sculptural composition of books in one hand and a pile of books on the plinth adjacent commemorates the major collection of book and manuscripts which he collected and donated to the SA library in 1861. This collection is 5000 volumes which includes 115 medieval and renaissance manuscripts, amongst them a copy of the four gospels in Latin dating AD 875 and 900, which is the oldest manuscript in South Africa;
- Sculpture has artistic qualities typical of a Victorian statue aesthetic.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition but dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean on a regular basis

References used

John Muir, Simon van de Stel Foundation, personal communication

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.A.3 JAPANESE LANTERN

District A: Table Bay

JAPANESE LANTERN

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage site (former national monument)

Motivation

Gift of appreciation from the Japanese Government

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.3: Japanese Lantern, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.544′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.097′

Medium/Material

Granite lantern on circular stone chip ground surface

Date produced/unveiled

August 1932

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Granite lantern situated in formal pergola setting. It replaced an existing lotus-like flower fountain. Background information: According to Crump & van Niekerk (1988) this gift was the first of two gifts from the Government of Japan. On the 11th August 1932 five hundred cherry trees were presented as a second gift. It is not clear what happened to these trees.

Inscription

Inscription in English: / This stone lantern was presented to Cape Town by the Government of Japan as a token of appreciation of the kindness shown to Japanese emigrants. Erected August 1932. /

Cultural significance

- Reflection of international relations in the 1930s.
- Gift to South Africa from the Japanese Government in 1932, reflecting the political attitude and hospitality shown to Japanese emigrants in the 1930s.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in three cities, 2003

2.A.4 TEMPERANCE MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

TEMPERANCE MEMORIAL

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Life and work of Howson Rutherford

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.4(a): Temperance Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, Tuynhuis - Victoria Street axis at the iron gates entrance from Queen Victoria street

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.585′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.005′

Medium/Material

Marble and granite

Date produced/unveiled

1861

Artist/maker responsible

Wells Brothers, South London

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Marble figure of young maiden with laurel wreath and carrying an amphora and bowl facing east on

water fountain base of polished pink granite. Water flows from small bronze lions heads from statue. Statue of stone, fountain in marble with small bronze lions head.

It was originally erected by Howson Rutherford's family in Adderley Street in front of the Commercial Exhibition Building. It was relocated to the Company's Gardens in 1897 as traffic in Adderley Street greatly increased and fountain was an obstruction.

Inscription

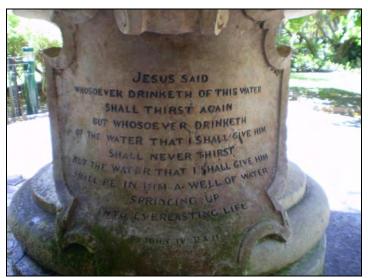
There are two inscriptions on the fountain, both in English.

/This fountain was erected by his family as a memorial of Howson Edward Rutherford esq. who was for the greater portion of his active and benevolent life a resident of this colony and for five years at the close of it a member of the legislative council. /



Photograph 2.A.4(b): Temperance Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

/ Jesus said whosoever drinketh of this water shall thirst again But whosoever drinketh of the water that I shall give him shall never thirst But the water that I shall give him shall be in him as a well of water springing up into everlasting life /



Photograph 2.A.4(b): Temperance Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemoration of Howson Edward Rutherford, a public figure in Cape Town who served the last five years of his life as a member of the legislative council;
- Commemoration of a social movement (the Temperance movement) unlike the political figures/movement generally commemorated;
- Interesting scale to statue being les than life size;

Condition of monument/statue

Actual fountain is not in working order, the whole monument is dirty and some of the inscriptions are illegible

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair fountain, and replace black into the engravings of the words

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.A.5 SLAVE BELL

District A: Table Bay

SLAVE BELL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorate the association of the Company's Gardens with slavery

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.5: Slave Bell, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company's Gardens, next to the bird avery, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.669′ **Latitude:** E 018° 24.991′

Medium/Material

Brick, plaster and metal

Date produced/unveiled

Built in 1911/12

Artist/maker responsible

C and G Meads of London

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plastered and painted bell tower with steel bell suspended by steel rod in centre.

The Company's Gardens is powerfully associated with slavery- the Slave lodge was adjacent and many slaves worked in the agricultural garden. There are no physical remnants of this important history, so the presence of a 'slave bell' immediately acquires implicit meaning – however bells were rare in Cape Town – when there was a fire, one was run, such as this bell which originally hung at the

Old Town House. It is considered that authentic history is used in the interests of pastiche history⁴. The bell tower has limited heritage value.

Inscription

none

Cultural significance

- Association to slavery
- Historic value of the bell

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

John Muir, Simon van der Stel Foundation, personal communication

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

⁴ City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002, pg 53

2.A.6 **AIDS MEMORIAL**

District A: Table Bay

AIDS MEMORIAL

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage site (former National Monument)⁵

Motivation

AIDS awareness

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.6(a): AIDS memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Rose garden, Company Gardens, Cape Town

Longitude: S 33° 55.669' **Latitude:** E 018° 24.991′

Medium/Material

Marble base and metal AIDS emblem

Date produced/unveiled

Considered 2002⁶

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

⁵ SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003, pg 83

⁶ SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003 pg 82.

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Small marble rectangle situated close to the ground with a metal red AIDS emblem attached. Orientated west located in central rose garden.

It is a memorial to the AIDS pandemic which is already claiming the lives of millions of people worldwide.

Inscription

None



Photograph 2.A.6(b): Context of AIDS memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Memorial to the AIDS pandemic which has claimed the lives of many South Africans;
- Uniqueness of memorial as it is for an illness currently in South Africa;
- Reflection of the global aids campaign for awareness of the illness.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.A.7 CECIL JOHN RHODES STATUE

District A: Table Bay

CECIL JOHN RHODES (1853-1902)

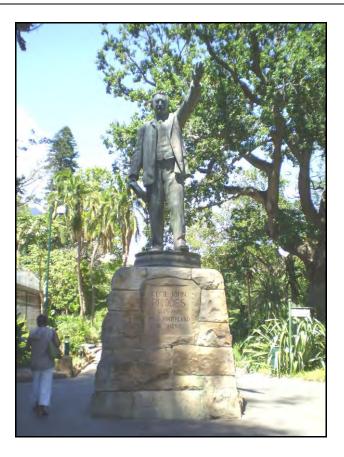
Heritage status

Provincial Heritage site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Commemoration of the role of Rhodes as an important statesman in South Africa

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.7(a): Cecil John Rhodes memorial, 2008 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, SA Museum-South African Library axis, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.609' Latitude: E 018. 25.039' Medium/Material

Granite base and a bronze statue

Date produced/unveiled

1908

Artist/maker responsible

Sculptor: Henry Pegrem ARA (1862-1937)

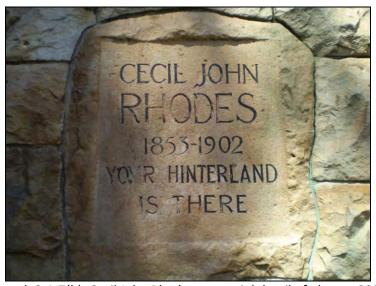
Designer: Sir Herbert Baker Builder: Henry Pegrem A.R.A.

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

A full figure statue facing north standing with the left hand raised up high pointing north. The architects involved in deciding where to place the statue were Herbert Baker and Masey. The statue was disliked from the moment it arrived in the Cape'. The statue was erected in 1908 just preceding the formation of the Union of South Africa when there was a substantial amount of tension between the British and South African factions after the Anglo Boer war. Location in the Company's Garden on a secondary axis is very difference in the original concept of providing a visual landmark at the top of Adderley street. There were argument relating to the scale of the statue at the top of Adderley street and the Rhodes statue would be too overwhelming in the position. Its proposed location was rejected as, Masey wrote to Baker "the statue would dwarf and destroy the proportion of the Cathedral and indeed everything else in its vicinity. I am sorry to write to you so strongly but I am convinced it would be such a fatal mistake to place it where it is now proposed that i prefer that we should disassociate ourselves entirely from any responsibility in connection with the proceedings" later in the same letter he refer to a distance to the sculptures texture which he finds 'rather smooth and greasy like a penny"8. Ironically a statue of a similar scale, General J.C. Smuts, was placed in the location in the 1970s. The design of the pedestal was by Herbert Baker. The non orthogonal and rough hewn design and choice of sandstone material symbolic of Rhodes as part of the natural environment and his links with the mining industry which was his most significant power base. Similar stonework was used for Rhodes House at the top of St George's Mall and his burial place in the Matopos has strong stone imagery. There is a strong directional quality of the statue with the left hand arm raised and the hand pointed north towards Africa. This can be contrasted to the Jan van Riebeek statue which faces south and asserts a different sense of occupation.

Inscription

/Cecil John Rhodes/1855-1902/Your hinterland is there/



Photograph 2.A.7(b): Cecil John Rhodes memorial detail of plaque, 2008 O'Donoghue

⁷ Crump & van Niekerk (1988) in SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

⁸ Crump & van Niekerk (1988) in SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003 pg 40

Cultural significance

- Commemoration of a significant figure in the history of South Africa, Cecil John Rhodes, Premier of the Cape from 1888-1902.
- Strong imperialist statement of the statue characterised by the inscription, i.e. YOUR HINTERLAND IS THERE.
- Base designed by baker and Masey
- Association with other Rhodes statues and burial place

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition besides dirty base

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean base periodically

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.A.8 MAJOR-GENERAL SIR HENRY TIMSON LUKIN

District A: Table Bay

MAJOR-GENERAL SIR HENRY TIMSON LUKIN

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage Site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Commemorate the military role of Major General Sir Henry Timson Lukin

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.8: Major General Sir Henry Timson Lukin, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, Delville Wood Memorial axis, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.672' **Latitude:** E 018. 24.939'

Medium/Material

Granite base with a bronze sculptor

Date produced/unveiled

1932

Artist/maker responsible

Architect: Kendall & Mansergh

Sculptor: Anton van Wouw (1862-1945

Builder: Anton Van Wouw

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Full figure statue leaning on a cane, wearing military uniform, boots and peaked cap. Statue

positioned on a inscribed sandstone column

Inscription

Inscriptions (in English and Afrikaans):

/Major-general Sir Henry Timson Lukin/EKCB CMG DSO/Commander/Legion of Honour/Order of the Nile//Born 24th May 1860/Died 16th December 1925 He served his King and country and was beloved by his fellow men/

Cultural significance

- Significance in terms of artistic, historical, contextual and associational values;
- Commemoration of the military role of Major General Sir Henry Timson Lukin, who served in various South African wars and was Commandant General of the Cape Colony forces in 1912. He commanded the South Africans at Dellville Wood (15th of July 1916). He was captured and held for 5 days before relief arrived;
- One of five Deville Wood memorials situated on the Company's Garden Delville Wood Memorial axis, a prominent position within the city. The series of memorial highlights the importance of Delville Wood in military history in South Africa and the magnitude of loss, suffering and bravery associated with the battle;
- Part of a complex of memorials designed by Herbert Baker, Kendall and Cleland at the time of the building of the National Gallery;
- Artistic and sculptural value as being the work of one of South Africa's foremost sculptors, Anton van Wouw and located and designed by Kendall (Architect Kendall and Mansergh)

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition but base is dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean base periodically

References used

John Muir, Simon van der Stel Foundation, personal communication

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.A.9 DELVILLE WOOD MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

DELVILLE WOOD MEMORIAL

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage Site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Commemorates the service of the South Africans who fought at Delville wood France; Commemorates the servicemen who died in the World War One and World War Two

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.9: Delville Wood Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, Deville Wood Memorial axis, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.686' **Latitude:** E 018. 24.958'

Medium/Material

Stone base and Bronze statue's

Date produced/unveiled

1930

Unveiled 3 November 1930

Artist/maker responsible

Tempietto: Herbert Baker Sculpture: Alfred Turner

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Memorial complex consisting of a classical temple, circular, 8 columns, surmounted by horse and two nude male figures, symbolising English and Afrikaans who fought in the Great War.

A great number of South Africans (2400) lost their lives in the historic battle of Delville Wood, which took place on 15 July 1916 near the village of Longueval in France during the First World War. It is a replica of the South African Delville wood memorial in France which was unveiled by the widow of Louis Botha in 1926. This memorial depicts brotherhood. According to Crump and van Niekerk (1988) this is a replica of the group surmounting the SA National Delville Wood Memorial erected at Delville Wood. Another cast of the bronze is to be found on the lower terraces in front of the Union Buildings, Pretoria. Herbert bakers design for Government Avenue was for the placement of the Louis Botha memorial (which presently in positioned in front of the main entrance to Parliament, Plein street on the Roeland Street axis

Inscription

Inscriptions cover the First World War. Later additional inscriptions cover the World War Two and other wars in which South Africans fought. Inscriptions (in English and Afrikaans): /This memorial commemorates the South Africans who died in the Great Wars 1914-1918, 1939-1945/

Cultural significance

- One of a series of the same memorial (others situated in Delville Wood, near village of Longueval in France and lower Terrace Union Buildings, Pretoria);
- The main component of five Deville Wood memorials situated on the Delville Wood Memorial axis, Company Gardens, a prominent position within the city.
- Situated within the Delville Wood Memorial Garden designed by prominent Architects Herbert Baker, Kendall and Cleland at the time of the building of the National Gallery;
- The series of memorial highlights the importance of Delville Wood in military history in South Africa and the magnitude of loss, suffering and bravery associated with the battle;
- Symbolic of the overall theme of reconciliation between former opposing nations and the sense of compassion and dismay conveyed of a tragic event in history;
- Reflection of the divisions created amongst white South Africans on the state's military support for Britain in the World War One;
- Symbolic value established by two male figures clasping hands over a charging horse are representative of the British and Afrikaaner joining hands to fight together in the War;
- Typical of pre 1994 war memorials which Reflected the perception that only white South Africans were affected by the wars even though 85 000 black and coloured soldiers volunteered for the World war One and only allowed to serve in a non combative role;
- Site of rituals surrounding the memorials in terms of placing wreaths for servicemen who lost their lives during conflict.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition overall, but it does need to be weeded and cleaned

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean and weed periodically

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.A.10 ARTILLERYMEN'S MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

ARTILLERYMEN'S MEMORIAL

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage Site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Memorial to the soldiers who died for their country

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.10(a): Artillerymen's Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company Gardens, Delville Wood Memorial axis

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.699' **Latitude:** E 018. 24.977'

Medium/Material

Canon on an inscribed granite stone base with bronze? plaques

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

A genuine cannon (Howitzer) facing east towards the National Gallery; Later inscriptions made to memory of all artillery men

Inscription

Inscriptions in English & Afrikaans, and roll of honour with names of the dead.

/Erected to the memory of the officers, N.C.O.'s and men of the SA Artillery who fell in the Great War 1914-1918/

/This memorial was further dedicated on the 26th April 1970 by the S.A.H.A. Association and the Gunners Association, Western Province Branch, to the memory of all artillery men who laid down their lives for their country/

Above the roll of Honour:

/"Their name liveth for evermore"

Hunne namen leven voor eeuwig"/

Roll of Honour with the names of the dead



Photograph 2.A.10(b): Artillerymen's Memorial detail of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- The memorial honours the great number of soldiers of the South African Heavy Artillery who lost their lives in the World War One;
- It forms part of the Delville Wood Memorial Complex in the Company's Gardens and is one of six World War One memorials in the central city;
- Situated within the memorial garden designed by prominent architects Herbert Baker, Kendall and Cleland at the time of the building of the National Gallery;
- Conception as a World War One memorial with further dedicated to the memory of all artillerymen who laid down their lives for the country.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition except for the plaque which is inscribed with all the names is cracked.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace or fix plaque

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002

2.A.11 GENERAL JAN CHRISTIAN SMUTS MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

FIELD MARSHALL GENERAL JAN CHRISTIAN SMUTS (1870 - 1950)

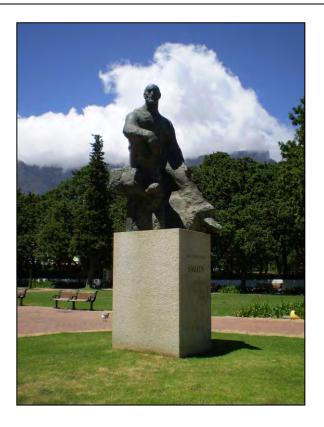
Heritage status

Provincial Heritage Site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Commemoration of Jan Christian Smuts as prominent statesman

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.11: General Jan Christian Smuts Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Company's Gardens, on axis of the National Gallery and Queen Victoria street at junction of Government Avenue

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.708' **Latitude:** E 018. 24.990'

Medium/Material

Single cube of granite as a base with bronze sculpture

Date produced/unveiled

Unveiled on the 29th of May 1964 by Dr Louise Smuts (granddaughter)

Artist/maker responsible

Sculptor: Sydney Harpley (British)

Architect: Norman Eaton (South African)

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Abstract representation of full figure statue seated informally on a rock facing west towards Government Avenue.

Originally conceived to be placed on top of Adderley Street but was refused on town planning considerations. At the time of its unveiling, controversy surrounded the memorial mostly due to the abstract representation, not based on a specific theme, aspect or event in Smut's life.

Inscription

/Jan Christian Smuts/

Cultural significance

- Commemoration of Jan Smuts, an important figure in South African political history. Widely regarded as one of the few international statesmen, with Nelson Mandela, from South Africa;
- One of two JC Smuts statues within the central city each providing a different representation (realistic representation in Adderley street sculpture and abstract representation in this one in the Company's Garden). The privately commission and funded sculpture i Adderley street was as a result of the dislike to of the abstract from and was intended to replace it;
- Artistic sophistication represents a shift from realistic to more abstract forms of memorialisation. The formal language of the sculpture and its cubic base partly illustrates the modernist idiom with the need to emphasise the essence and the requirement of minimal adornment;
- Pedestal by eminent South African Architect, Norman Eaton;
- Result of one of the fist national competitions for public sculpture.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

John Muir, Simon van der Stel Foundation, personal communication

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002

2.A.12 NUMINOUS BEAST

District A: Table Bay

NUMINOUS BEAST

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Iziko public sculpture competition winner

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.12: Numinous Beast, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Right in front of the National Gallery, Company's Garden, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.732′ **Latitude:** E 018°25.019′

Medium/Material

Granite base and steel statue

Date produced/unveiled

1978

Artist/maker responsible

Bruce Arnott

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Bronze sculpture of an abstract animal positioned on a cube of granite

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- On axis of the Iziko National Gallery and Delville Wood Memorial Garden, positioned in foreground to Iziko National Gallery
- Public sculpture of merit (competition winner)
- Work of a renown South African Sculptor

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002 Iziko South African National Gallery, Suvashni Casoojee Librarian: Art Collections

2.A.12 STAINLESS STEEL 7000 x 5000 x 2350

District A : Table Bay

STAINLESS STEEL 7000 x 5000 x 2350

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Iziko public sculpture competition winner

Abstract formalist work that can also be walked through

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.12: Stainless Steel 7000 x 5000 x 2350, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

On grassed area outside the Iziko National Gallery, Company Gardens, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.741′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.019′

Medium/Material

Stainless steel

Date produced/unveiled

1982

Artist/maker responsible

Ian Redelinghuys

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Sculpture made of stainless steel, a combination of a variety of abstract forms that can be walked and crawled through

Result of a public sculpture competition and commission

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Public sculpture of merit (competition winner)
- Interactive with the public
- positioned in foreground to Iziko National Gallery

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

Note: Maintenance of sculpture by Iziko National Gallery

References used

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002 Iziko South African National Gallery, Suvashni Casoojee Librarian: Art Collections The Afroz 1983 Sculpture Exhibition pamphlet, South African National Gallery library

2.A.13 MAN RUNNING FROM LION

District A: Table Bay

MAN RUNNING FROM LION

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Humorous play on Toys, Curios

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.13: Man Running from Lion, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

In front of National Gallery, Company Gardens, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.740′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.008′

Medium/Material

Metal and coloured plastics

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Mark O'Donovan

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Result of a public sculpture competition and commission

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Public sculpture of merit (competition winner)
- Positioned in foreground to Iziko National Gallery

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Note: Maintenance of sculpture by Iziko National Gallery

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002

Iziko South African National Gallery, Suvashni Casoojee Librarian: Art Collections

2.A.14 SOAP BOXES

District A: Table Bay

SOAP BOXES

Heritage status

None

Motivation

The first of four innovative projects selected by Iziko for the Public Arts Commission
The boxes are public platforms for anybody to use. A camera records the boxes and people/objects
around them and transmits it live into the Gallery where it is shown on a monitor.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.14(a):Soap Boxes, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Situated on the lawn In front of Iziko National Gallery, Company Gardens, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.721′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.019′

Medium/Material

Bronzed cardboard boxes

Date produced/unveiled

2005

Artist/maker responsible

Rosenclaire (Rose Shakinovsky and Claire Gavronsky)

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

This sculpture is a result of a public sculpture competition and commission by the National Lotteries Board, Institute of Landscape Architect

The boxes invite members of the public to express their thoughts and feelings. The sculpture stands could be used for debates, silent protests and picketing, exhibiting works of art, performances, poetry readings and children's workshops. Soap boxes is a democratic strategy for dissolving the walls of the gallery and making art assessable. In the process the sculpture provokes questions about the notions of art as defines by the museum and asks what value art might have for the public. The cardboard box, as a demographic signifier circulating in the economy between the affluent and the marginal, gains its value as it is recycled. As such the boxes have local and global significance referring to both the local and international economies and international art practices. The third component of Soap boxes was designed to be the planting of three Ginkgo Biloba trees. This tree as a survivor of the atomic bomb dropped by the Americans on Hiroshima on 6 August 1945 has become a symbol of hope and peace.

Inscription



Photograph 2.A.14(b):Soap Boxes, 2009 O'Donoghue

/Soap boxes

Rosenclaire 2004/5

Rosemarie Shakinovsky & Claire Gavronsky Bronze, surveillance camera, plasma screen

ginko biloba trees <u>Cast by bronze Age</u>

Jan Otto du Plessis Andre Stead

Supervisor

Eugene Abrahams <u>Fetting</u>
Wax Workers Jeremiah Kala
Garth Nelsenberg Solly Mbilini
Jessica Van Gee Robert Mkhizi
Siya Wabhala Jean Tiran

<u>Dipping</u> Googman Mlotshwa

Ashley James <u>Patinadon</u>
Lungisa Kala Gert Kershoff
Siya Hewe Steelwork
Casting Raden Reed
Arthur Reisenberg Rian Leisegang

William Maseti Andile Cwayi Richman Quen.. Sponsored by

National Lotteries Board

Phillips

Institute of Landscape Architects/

Cultural significance

- Public sculpture of merit (competition winner)
- Positioned in foreground to Iziko National Gallery

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Note: Maintenance of sculpture by Iziko National Gallery

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002 Bedford, Emma: Art and the Public Performance of Democracy: Soap Boxes by Rosenclaire, ARTE Iziko South African National Gallery, Suvashni Casoojee Librarian: Art Collections

2.A.15 FOSSILISED TREE

District A: Table Bay

FOSSILISED TREE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Exhibit of a natural fossilised object

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.A.15:, Fossilised Tree, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Outside National Museum, Company Gardens, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.717′ **Latitude:** E 018° 24.929′

Medium/Material

Wood

Date produced/unveiled

? Missing plaque

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Fossilised tree which is missing its plaque

Inscription

Missing plaque

Cultural significance

• Historic natural object

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition besides the missing plaque

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaque

References used

City of Cape Town: Company's Gardens Policy Framework and Action Plan 2002

2.B.1 THE KNOT

District A : Table Bay

THE KNOT

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Public Sculpture

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B.1: The Knot, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

On a public square adjacent to the City of Cape Town Civic Centre building, Herzog Boulevard Avenue Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.232′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.662′

Medium/Material

Painted steel

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Eduardo Villa commissioned in 1981 by the City of Cape Town

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

The sculpture is 6.75m high and consists of a convoluted stele tubular form which has four strong horizontal arms, which are cantilevered off the central know of interweaving tubular forms. The knot is Villa's largest work.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

Artistic merit by one of South Africa's most esteemed, prolific and well known sculptors;

Condition of monument/statue

Not good condition: rusting base of the sculpture and faded paintwork

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair rust and repaint the repaired section;

Repaint sculpture in the original colour;

Remove small surrounding fence as this disrupts the direct relationship between the work, viewing public and the environment.

References used

Berman, Crump, Meneghelli, Nel, Sack, Skawran, Von Maltitz, *Villa at 90,* Jonathan Ball Publishers 2005

2.B.2 ABSTRACT

District A: Table Bay

ABSTRACT

Heritage status

none

Motivation

A commission awarded by the City of Cape Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B.2(a): Abstract, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.B.2(b):Detail of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

On elevated podium between the Civic centre City of Cape town and ArtScape

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.233′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.749′

Medium/Material

Polished metal

Date produced/unveiled

1981

Artist/maker responsible

Johan van Heerden

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Three large metal swirls of different sizes and proportions

The sculpture is typical of a period where many artists believed that form is the context of the work

Inscription

/ Johan van Heerden 1981 /

Cultural significance

Public Sculpture

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition however the plaque is wearing badly

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace and maintain plaque

References used

Linda du Plessis, personal communication

2.B.3 CISSIE GOOL MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

CISSIE ZAINUNNISSA GOOL (6 November 1897 – 4 July 1963)

Heritage status

None

Motivation

To commemorate the life and achievements of Cissie Gool

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B.3(a): Cissie Gool Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.B.3(b): Cissie Gool Memorial plaque detail, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Longmarket Pedestrian Mall, between Buitenkant and Plein Streets, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.588' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.472'

Medium/Material

Concrete, inscribed painted plaster

Date produced/unveiled

2006

Artist/maker responsible

Ruth Sack

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

17 Bollards of different sizes that represent the 17 laws which Cissie Gool was able to passed as a result of her actions as the first black women to be elected onto the local government. Each Bollard has a different text relating to the legislation that was passed.

Cissie Gool was known as the Jewel of district six, not only was the first black women to be elected into government, but she was also a founder and leader of the National Liberation League and the Non-European Front in the 1930s, and was active in the fledgling passive resistance movement. In 1962 Gool became the first black woman to be called to the Cape Bar.

Inscription

/ Cissie Zainunnissa Gool November 6 1897 — July 4 1963

In August 1938 Cissie Gool was elected to the Cape Town City Council, the first black woman in the country to serve in local government. Known as the "Jewel of District Six" she represented the people of that constituency in the council until 1951. The daughter of city councillor and political leader Dr Abdullah Abdurahman, she was a founder and leader of the National Liberation League and the Non-European Front in the 1930s, and was active in the fledgling passive resistance movement. In 1962 Gool became the first black woman to be called to the Cape Bar./

Cultural significance

- Memorial to the first black woman that broke many barriers in her political and professional work:
 - First black woman to serve in local government (representing the marginalised community in District Six);
 - Founder and leader of the National Liberation League and the Non-European Front in the 1930s;
 - Active in the fledgling passive resistance movement to the discriminatory rule of the government of the time;
 - o First black woman to be called to the Cape Bar.

Condition of monument/statue

The plaster and paint is peeling from a few of the bollards.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Check that plaster and paint is not peeling at regular intervals so that the maintenance does not get out of hand.

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

2.B.4 ABDULLAH IBRAHIM MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

ABDULLAH IBRAHIM MEMORIAL

Heritage Status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the jazz anthem Mannenberg

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B.4: Abdullah Ibrahim Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

21 Bloem Street, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33.55.516' Latitude: E 018. 24.931'

Medium/Material

Stainless Steel

Date produced/unveiled

2006

Artist/maker responsible

Mark O'Donovan and Francois Venter

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

The music memorial is to commemorate the jazz anthem Mannenberg which became a symbol of hope and resistance during the apartheid struggle. In June 1974, just after the forced removals of the non white people of District six, Abdullah Ibrahim, with Robbie Jansen, Basil Coetzee, Monty Weber, Morris Goldberg and Paul Michaels came up with Mannenberg, a song that combined Cape jazz with African marabi to produce a piece of music which became an anthem of hope and resistance for many South Africans. Named after a Cape Flats Suburb Mannenberg, began an

anthem for the freedom struggle in the dying days of Apartheid.

Inscription

/ Mannenberg by Abdullah Ibrahim October 9 1934 —

In June 1974, Abdullah Ibrahim, with Robbie Jansen, Basil Coetzee, Monty Weber, Morris Goldberg and Paul Michaels, was recording here at the old UCA recording studio under the watchful eye of producer Rashid Vally. In a moment of inspiration, Mannenberg was born. "There was magic in the studio that day," says saxophonist Jansen. Recorded against a backdrop of forced removals as the apartheid government finalised its destruction of District Six and evicted coloured families from homes throughout the city, the title track fused Cape jazz with African marabi to produce a melody that became a beloved anthem of hope and resistance for many South Africans./

Cultural significance

- Commemorates a popular jazz music 'Mannenberg' that was composed aftera series of 'forced removal event' (black and coloured people were forcibly removed from their homes by the Apartheid Government);
- Commemorates the musicians who composed the song;
- Commemorates music that is typically played and composed by the Cape Coloured community;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition could be vulnerable as it is directly on the street (at present good condition).

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

2.B.5 RACE CLASSIFICATION BOARD

District A: Table Bay

RACE CLASSIFICATION BOARD

Heritage Status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the building (current High Court Annex) where the formal hearings of the Populations Registration Acts were held

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 5 (a) Race Classification Board Memorial, left hand side bench, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.B 5.(b)(left) Race Classification Board memorial, right hand side bench, 2009 O'Donoghue

Photograph 2.B 5 (c)(right) Race Classification Board memorial, right hand side bench, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

High Court Annex, Queen Victoria Street, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.551' **Latitude:** E 018.25.043'

Medium/Material

Wood, concrete, paint, varnish

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Roderick Sauls

Roderick Sauls was born in District Six, Cape Town, his most enduring and intimate subject. He grew up on the Cape Flats

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

The memorial is benches which are labelled to remind people of the humiliation which took place under former legislation when people were classified into specific races. This legislation resulted in the separation of the races, for example accommodation, leisure activities and public transport. The monument is situated outside the current High Court Annex which was the place where the formal hearings of the Populations Registration Acts were held.

ALTHOUGH segregation had been part of the South African social and political landscape since European colonisers arrived in the 17th century, it was only in 1950, with the introduction of the Population Registration Act, that the state attempted to classify the entire population into fixed groups based on the false notion of race. In South Africa, race classification determined people's voting rights, where they could reside, where they could buy or sell property, their social status, the jobs for which they could apply, the amount of their pension and the quality of their children's education.

When it was first passed in 1950, the Population Registration Act defined racial groups relatively loosely. A coloured person was defined as "a person who is not a white person nor generally accepted as a member of aboriginal race or tribe of Africa". However, the Act was revised at least six times to tighten loopholes. "Race" was no longer judged only on appearance, but also according to line of descent. Amendments to the Act sub-divided coloured South Africans into further different categories such as Cape Coloured, Cape Malay, Griqua, Chinese and "other coloured".

After the Population Registration Act became law, the classification of whites and coloureds in Cape Town was carried out by the Electoral Officer. Later, in January 1958, a Population Registration Office was opened.

Race Classification Board 1959 — 1991

In the 1960s, a room in what is now the High Court Annex was the scene of formal hearings of the most bizarre and humiliating kind as ordinary people came before an appeal panel to argue about what "race" they should be labelled. Between 1950 and 1991, apartheid's Population Registration Act classified every South African as belonging to one of at least seven "races" and accordingly granted or denied them citizenship rights on a sliding scale from "White" (full rights) to "Bantu" (with the fewest). The classification was subjective, and families were split apart when paler or darker skinned children or parents — or those with curlier hair, or different features — were placed in separate categories.

Inscription

/ Race Classification Board 1959 — 1991

In the 1960s, a room in what is now the High Court Annex was the scene of formal hearings of the most bizarre and humiliating kind as ordinary people came before an appeal panel to argue about what "race" they should be labelled. Between 1950 and 1991, apartheid's Population Registration Act classified every South African as belonging to one of at least seven "races" and accordingly granted or denied them citizenship rights on a sliding scale from "White" (full rights) to "Bantu" (with the fewest). The classification was subjective, and families were split apart when paler or darker skinned children or parents — or those with curlier hair, or different features — were placed in separate categories./

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the people who suffered as a result of the previous legislation enacted by the Apartheid Government which separated white people from black and coloured people.
- Commemorates the building in which the formal hearing of the Populations Registration Acts were held;

Condition of monument/statue

Wooden benches and wooden plaque need to be sanded and varnished

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Regular maintenance as the wooden memorial is prone to bad weathering due to being exposed to the harsh elements.

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

2.B.6 THE PURPLE MARCH

District A: Table Bay

THE PURPLE MARCH

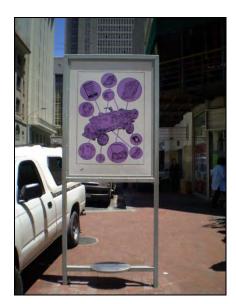
Heritage Status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the event "Purple March" on 2nd of September 1989

Digital Photographs





Photographs 2.B 6.(a) (left) and 2.B 6.(b) (right), The Purple March Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Corner of Burg and Church Streets, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.407' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.178'

Medium/Material

Metal support poles and printed image on plastic

Date produced/unveiled

2006

Artist/maker responsible

Conrad Botes

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

This monument is of a sign post style which commemorated the event on 2nd of September 1989 where anti-apartheid demonstrators were marching towards parliament but were stopped by police. The protesters were sprayed with purple dye to make them easier to identify, however a protester got on top of the vehicle which was spraying the protesters and turned the die onto the police and the National party Headquarters. The Purple march was one of the last march's/protests which was banned by the government, eleven days later 30, 000 people marched into the city without police intervention.

Inscription

/"The Purple Shall Govern"

On September 2 1989 anti-apartheid protesters marching on Parliament were stopped by police near this spot. They mounted an impromptu sit-in and police retaliated with tear gas, batons and a new weapon: a water cannon laced with purple dye to stain demonstrators and make them easier to identify and detain. As protesters scattered, one climbed onto the armoured vehicle with the cannon and turned the purple jet on police. Purple dye stained most of the surrounding buildings, including the National Party headquarters and the white-washed walls of the historic Old Townhouse. The next day graffiti all over the city proclaimed "The Purple Shall Govern". This was one of the last protest marches outlawed by the apartheid government. Eleven days later, 30 000 people marched through the city without police intervention./

Cultural significance

• Commemorates an event of popular resistance to the Apartheid Government that occurred in the central city in which citizens of all races took part;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

2.B.7 MEMORIAL TO THE MEMBERS OF THE RIFLE BRIGADE

District A: Table Bay

MEMORIAL TO THE MEMBERS OF THE RIFLE BRIGADE

Heritage Status

None

Motivation

Memorial to the members of the rifle brigade

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 7 Memorial to the Members of the Rifle Brigade, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Wale Street, Corner of Queen Victoria Street, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.462' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.147'

Medium/Material

Face brick base, painted metal sub base, missing upper portion (unknown material)

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

At present there is no memorial at all, only a metal and brick base

Inscription

None at present

Cultural significance

Commemorates the service of the members of the rifle Brigade

Condition of monument/statue

Very bad condition at present, no plaque or memorial

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replacement of memorial in a secure manner so that it is not removed.

References used

None

2.B.8 BARTHOLOMEU DIAS

District A: Table Bay

BARTHOLOMEU DIAS (statue)

Heritage Status

None

Motivation

Commemorates Bartholomeu Dias, a Portuguese explorer who landed at the Cape in 1488

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 8 (a).Bartholomeu Dias Memorial, 2008 O'Donoghue

Location

Vehicular traffic island at intersection of Heerengracht and Coen Steytler, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.052' Latitude: E 018. 25.632'

Medium/Material

Rustenberg granite pedestal with bronze statue

Date produced/unveiled

1960

Artist/maker responsible

Designer: Fernandes de Sa Sculptor: Professor Barato Feyo

Builder: Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Fully clothed statue facing south west striding forward with arms held out behind him. With a map in his right hand Dias is portrayed as a traveller. The posture suggests transition as opposed to the statue of Jan van Riebeek which suggests a strong degree of permanence and commitment to place.

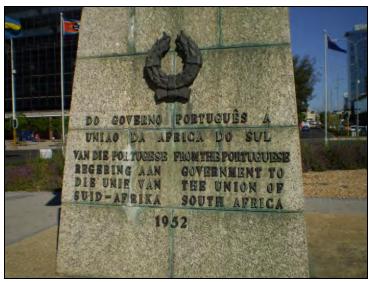
Inscription

Missing Plaque

Plaque had inscriptions in English, Afrikaans and Portuguese

/Bartholmeu Dias/1947/

/from Portuguese Government to the Union of South Africa 1952/



Photograph 2.B 8 (b).Bartholomeu Dias Memorial, 2008 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Artistic, historical, associational and contextual significance;
- Located on the original shoreline; the location suggests a modernist attitude to the use of space, conceived during the period to be a gate to Africa, a monumental approach to the city from the sea which reflects in the design of the foreshore. This gate way idea has since been abandoned (Crump & van Niekerk 1988)
- Important figure in the early colonial history of South Africa and the voyages of discovery, especially those associated with the early Portuguese travellers;
- One of the few statues in South Africa representative of the early contact period, namely the Dutch period;
- High artist merit and technical achievement;
- Associations with 1952 tercentery celebration of the arrival of the Dutch in 1652;gift from
 the Portuguese government conceived and constructed in Portugal by a Portuguesa sculptor
 and indicative of the strong relationship between South Africa and Portugal during the mid
 20th century;

Original Context

First unveiled in the Company Garden in front of SA National Gallery in 1960 as the present site was awaiting completion..

Condition of statue

Statue is on good condition, however the plaque is missing

The rear of the bronze statue requires cleaning

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replacement of plaque

Regular cleaning of plaque and of the stone base

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.9 BARTHOLOMEU DIAS VOYAGE ROTARY CLUB MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

BARTHOLOMEU DIAS VOYAGE ROTARY CLUB MEMORIAL

Heritage Status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the 1988 re-enactment voyage Bartholomeu Dias voyage around the Cape in 1488 Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 9(a): Bartholomeu Dias Voyage Rotary Club Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.B(b) (left) and Photograph 2.B.9(c) (right): Bartholomeu Dias Voyage Rotary Club Memorial, details of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Edge of Heerengracht central traffic island, Cape Town opposite traffic circle at Heerengracht and Coen Steyler intersection (opposite Bartholomeu Dias memorial on traffic circle)

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.068' Latitude: E 018. 25.658'

Medium/Material

Bronze plaque fixed to a tapered pedestal of rough Rustenburg granite carbon setts, set into concrete. Relief of caravel and rotary international emblem.

Date produced/unveiled

1988 (uncertain)

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Memorial faces north towards statue of Dias. Plaque is rectangular with an inscription and a relief of a boat. 1988 re-enactment of Bartholomeu's Dias voyage around the Cape in 1488 on a caravelle 500 years ago. Prominent location within the central city on an island on the Heerengracht axis. Location of the statue is adjacent to the plaque but separated by a road. Paid for the Rotary clubs of Portugal.

Inscription

Inscription on plaque:

/A tribute to the Portuguese navigator who rounded the Cape in 1488 aboard a caravel, a replica of which is housed in the museum at Mossel Bay. Sponsored and commissioned by Rotary Cubs in Portugal and Rotary Club of Cape Town./ Inscription on statue: /Bartolomeu Dias 1487/

Cultural significance

Association with monument to Batholomeu Dias situated opposite the road;

Associations with 1988 re-enactment of Batholomeu Dias voyage around the Cape in a caravelle 500 years ago in 1488.

Condition of monument/statue

Fair

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Cleaning

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Regular cleaning of plaque and of the stone base

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.10 JAN VAN RIEBEECK

District A: Table Bay

JAN VAN RIEBEECK

Heritage Status

General protection as it is older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorates Jan van Riebeek the first Dutch Governor of the Cape

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 10(a): Jan van Riebeek Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Heerengracht central island opposite traffic island at Hans Strijdom intersection, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.182' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.556'

Medium/Material

Granite base and bronze statue

Date produced/unveiled

Commissioned in 1895

Unveiled on 18 May 1899, by Thomas Ball, Mayor of Cape Town

Artist/maker responsible

Designed by Detmar Jellings Blow and sculptured by John Tweed, student of Rodin For source material, Tweed painted a portrait of van Riebeek in 1895 from the original by Dirk Craey painted in 1650

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Full figure statue of a man wearing period clothes and hat, with sword and cane in right hand looking towards the city (land) from the sea. The position is conceived to be earlier shoreline where the Dutch ship was anchored. The statue was briefly relocated for 1952 for the van Riebeek Festival to its present position and it was placed on high column. The statue is a portrayal of van Riebeek as a heraldic figure which bears the stamp of political authority and with a sense of arrival and permanence which reflects the attitude of the early Dutch settlers. Jan van Riebeek's arrival in the

cape is regarded as the 'true' arrival of white settlers at the cape and the conquest of 'Africa' (ref) The location suggests a modernist attitude to the use of space, conceived during the period to be a gate to Africa, a monumental approach to the city from the sea which reflects in the design of the foreshore. This gate way idea has since been abandoned (Crump & van Niekerk 1988).

Inscription

/This statue was presented to the City of Cape Town by Cecil John Rhodes and unveiled by the then Mayor, Mr Thomas Ball, on 18th May 1899/



Photograph 2.B 10(b): Jan van Riebeek Memorial detail of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Personal gift from Cecil John Rhodes (Cape Premier) to the citizens of Cape Town in 1899. It
 was meant to win the support of Afrikaans speaking citizens as the gift was during the same
 year as the Anglo Boer War broke out and is therefore significant in terms of the Anglo Boer
 relations at the time;
- According to Crump (1988) the memorial has come to symbolise the true arrival of the white man in the Cape. Van Riebeek became the symbol of the written rules and laws. Jan van Riebeek has an icon status in terms of white South African history. He is the single most used image in terms of pre 1994 representation of the South African identity. This icon status was reinforced when the statue was placed on a high column during the van Riebeek tercentery celebration festival in 1952 in addition to the annual van Riebeek day celebrations on 6th April, which traditional occurred pre 1994 around this statue and that of van Riebeek's wife adjacent. Wreath laying on the statue on this day still occurs;
- Similar to the statue of Paul Kruger formally positioned in Church square Pretoria, this status is equally well known and reproduced in many forms;
- Located on the spot where van Riebeek's ship landed;
- Significant context as the statue related to the adjacent statue of van Riebeek's wife Maria de la Quellerie which was positioned in 1952;
- The site became a site of protest to colonial power on key symbolic dates.

Condition of monument/statue

There is a sticker on the plaque, graffiti on the statue and the stone base is dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Removal of sticker on the plaque, graffiti on the statue and clean base Maintain schedule for cleaning sculpture

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.11 MARIA DE LA QUELLERIE

District A: Table Bay

MARIA DE LA QUELLERIE

Heritage Status

General protection as it is older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorates Maria de la Quellerie

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 11: Maria de la Quellerie Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Heerengracht central island opposite traffic island at Hans Strijdom intersection, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.222' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.557

Medium/Material

Granite Base and bronze statue

Date unveiled

Unveiled in 1952 by HRH Prince Benhard of Netherlands

Paid for by

Commissioned and paid for by the Nederlandse van Riebeek Commitee de heeren Zeventien

Artist/maker responsible

Dirk Wolbers (designer)

Sculptor unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Statue of a female fully clothed figure carrying a basket on a quartzitic sandstone column. Typical example of early to mid 20th century notion of sculpture and memorialisation with an emphasis on the historic figure rather than a more abstract or theme orientated notions of history.

Inscription

/ Maria Dela Queillerie

Dit standbeeld van Jan van Riebeecks huisvrouw werd vervaardigde door de Nederlandse beeldhouwer Dirk Wolbers in opdrachte van het Nederlandse van Riebeeck-comite de Haren Zeventien en outhuld door.

Z.K.H. Prins Bernhards der Nederlanden al seen geschenk van het Nederlandse volk aan Zuid-Africa ter gelegenheid van de van Riebeeck-herdenking 1952. /

Cultural significance

- Commemorates tercentenary of Jan van Riebeek's landing in the Cape;
- Gift from the Netherlands on tercentenary celebrations;
- Depiction of the important role of women in the early colonial history of the Cape.
- The portrayal of a woman holding a basket of vegetables is related to her keen interest in gardening. The promotion of vegetable growing to improve the food situation and prevent disease was regarded as her prime role in the establishment of a survival community during the 17th century;
- One of the few statutes pre 1994 commemorating women in history;
- Originally erected in Company gardens in 1952 as part of the van Riebeek festival and relocated to the present location in 1968 to stand adjacent to Jan van Riebeek's statue; pairing of the statues was used as a means to reinforce family values reflecting Calvinistic attitudes during the festival. The relocation indicates a shift in ideology from being an independent woman as originally conceived with her maiden name to being van Riebeek's wife.
- Association with the annual van Riebeek day celebrations on the 6 April which traditionally
 occurred around the statues of Maria de la Quellerie and Jan van Riebeek. Wreath laying at
 the base of statues may still be occurring;
- Considered to have some artistic merit, the sculpture was taken from a portrait of Maria by Dirk Craey which hand in the Rijks museum;
- Location on the Heerengragt axis reflects the modernist attitudes to the use of the space perceived during this period to be the 'Gateway to Africa' a monumental approach to the city from the sea.

Condition of monument/statue

Overall it is in a fairly good condition, but there is a sticker on the plaque, cobwebs on the base, the dirt on sandstones and peeling paint on the metal surrounding the base.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean stones and plaque regularly; Fix, or remove the metal railing;

The green City of Cape Town waste bin should be removed from the immediate surroundings of the monument as it is a negative visual impact to the context.

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.12 THE OLDUVAI

District A: Table Bay

THE OLDUVAI

Heritage Status

none

Motivation

Sculpture is inspired by the 5,000km long Rift Valley and the Great Lakes of East Africa: one of the most important prehistoric sites in the world. It attests to human endeavour, global commerce, travel and Africa's centrality in human evolution.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 12 (a): Olduvai Sculpture, 2008 O'Donoghue

Location

Adjacent to the eastern facade of the Cape Town Convention Centre (CTCC), intersection of Heerengracht and Coen Steytler Avenue Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.052' **Latitude:** E 018. 682'

Medium/Material

Painted steel

Date produced/unveiled

Unveiled in December 2008 by Mayor Helen Zille

Artist/maker responsible

Gavin Young

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Over scaled red human figure with indentations of Africa's rift valley and great lakes areas on the figure's chest area. There is a plaque which describes the statue, about 15 metres to the right, attached to the exterior wall of the CTCC. The sculpture was paid for by the CTCC.

Inscription

No plaque at present on the moment, but there are plans are in place for a plaque to be fitted to the base of the statue in 2009. However there is a plaque on the side of the convention building (to the right of the statue):

/ The large figurative sculptor outside Convention Tower is inspired by the 5,000km long Rift Valley and the Great Lakes of East Africa: One of the most important prehistoric sites in the world

Entitled Olduvai, the sculptor attests to human endeavour, global commerce, travel and Africa's centrality in human evolution Standing 8m tall, Olduvai is slightly curved resembling the aerofoil shape of a leaf caught in the wind. Like Convention Tower, Olduvai is iconic, contemporary, enigmatic and audacious./



Photograph 2.B 12 (b): Olduvai Sculpture, 2008 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the link between the Cape and the rest of Africa;
- Sculpture by a renown South African sculptor Gavin Younge;
- · Placement in a significant context adjacent to Heerengragt Boulevard;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

CTCC information, Personal communication

2.B.13 EX CADET SHIP GENERAL BOTHA

District A: Table Bay

EX CADET SHIP GENERAL BOTHA

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Honouring the servicemen who died in the World War One and Two and Korean War

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 13(a): Ex Cadet Ship General Botha Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue







Photographs 2.B 13(a),(b) and(c) (left to right): Details of Plaque on Ex Cadet Ship General Botha Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Central island of Hertzog Boulevard adjacent to Heerengracht

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.149' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.654'

Medium/Material

Bronze plaques and granite structure

Date produced/unveiled

1924

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Cenotaph (granite structure with three bronze tablet)s. Rolls of honour are located either side of central tablet to commemorate the Ex-Cadets of General Botha during the Second World War. Victorian styled iron railing for wreath laying. Paved foreground.

Inscription

/ Sacred to the memory of the ex-cadets of the South African training ship "General Botha" who gave their lives in the second world war 1939 – 1945 /

Cultural significance

- Memorial to a particular grouping who died during service in World War Two;
- Prominent location in city, Hertzog Boulevard

Condition of monument/statue

Not in good condition, plaques are very dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean plaques at regular intervals

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.14 THE CENOTAPH WAR MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

THE CENOTAPH (war memorial)

Heritage status

General Protection as it is older than 60 years

Motivation

 $\label{thm:commemorate} \textbf{Commemorate the soldiers who died in World War\ One\ ,\ World\ War\ Two\ and\ the\ Korean\ War\ Ard Commemorate and the formula of the World\ War\ One\ ,\ World\ War\ Two\ and\ the\ Korean\ War\ Ard Commemorate\ Ard$

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 14(a): The Cenotaph War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



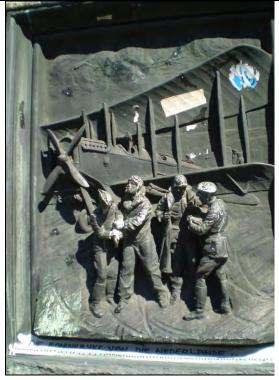


Photograph 2.B 14b (left) and 2.B 14c (right): The Cenotaph War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



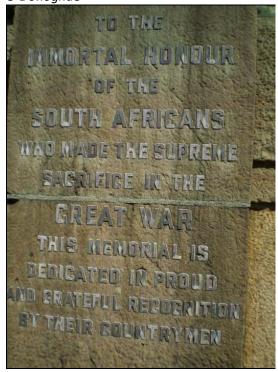


Photograph 2.B 14(d) (left) detail of defacement of lettering and 2.B 14(e) (right) detail of plaque: The Cenotaph War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue





Photograph 2.B 14(f) (left) detail of plaque and 2.B 149g) (right) detail of plaque: The Cenotaph War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue





Photograph 2.B 14(h) (left) and 2.B 14(i) (right) detail of plaque: The Cenotaph War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Adderley Street adjacent to the intersection of Riebeek Street, Cape Town

Original position

Street widening in 1959 necessitated moving (by 8 meters) and re-orientating the memorial

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.237' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.484'

Medium/Material

Sandstone base and columns with bronze statues and plaques

Date produced/unveiled

3 August 1924, then again on the 8 November 1959 after Adderley Street was widened and additional inscriptions to commemorate World War Two and the Korean War were fixed

Artist/maker responsible

Designer: Vernon March Sculptor unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Sculpture is of the typical style of the period immediately after World War One (WW1). Winged victory holding loft a laurel wreath, the traditional victors crown and trading underfoot a serpent of evil, atop a globe which represents the earth. The sculpture is located on a central column and is accompanied by 2 figures of South African soldiers. The one soldier is depicted in a uniform worn by the British Expeditionary Forces in east Africa during WW1. The other figure is depicted carrying field equipment and wearing a shrapnel helmet in the uniform worn by the South African soldiers in Flanders (Belgium). There are four base relief panels on the base of the central pedestal. These depict scene of Denville Wood, the South African Field artillery in east Africa and the South African Air Force. The sculpture is contained within an iron railing.

It was originally erected to honour all the soldiers who gave their lives for the country during World War One. The monument was re-unveiled after the additional commemoration plaques to commemorate the lives of the South Africans given in both the Korean and Second World War.

Inscription

Original inscriptions cover the WW1. Later inscriptions cover the WW2 and the Korean war. Inscriptions are in English and Afrikaans.

Various inscriptions in English and Afrikaans:

/To the immortal honour of the South Africans who made the supreme sacrifice in the Great War.

This memorial is proud and grateful recognition by their countrymen/

/Sea and Air/

/Their name liveth for evermore/

/1914-1918/

/The Second world war

/1939-1945/

/The Korean war/

/1950-1953/

Further inscriptions relating to the relocation by 25 foot and reorientation to accommodate road widening in 1959.

Cultural significance

- Cape Town's main war memorial.
- Location of the annual wreath laying ceremony and processions that occur on Armistice Day,

11 November;

- Memorial situated on route taken by soldier s from the railway station to the harbour;
- Situated in prominent potion on main city axis
- Commemorates the south Africa involvement with WW1, WW2 and the Korean war;
- Association with the WW! As a major event in the militia history of South Africa and commemorates the war with the magnitude of loss, suffering and bravery that occurred;
- Identifies the ideology that South African involvement with the WW1 affected only the lives of white South Africans although 85 000 black and Coloured South African volunteered for WW1 (and only allowed to service in a non combative basis.
- Some artistic merits in terms of the statute; the four base reliefs are considered particularly note worthy;
- Location on a major axis within the city structure reflects the modernist attitude to the city design;

Condition of monument/statue

Not in a good condition, stones are dirty, there is lots of litter in the memorials immediate surroundings, stickers, painting and graffiti are all over the monument. Steel frame needs to be de rusted and repainted and repaired. Certain letters are missing from the plaques. The belt of one of the sculpture of the soldier (on the western side) is broken.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean granite base and sculptures

Remove litter, painting and graffiti

Repair and repaint steel frame

Repair plaques

Replace the belt of the soldier

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

Personal research done by L. A. Crook. Col. 2007

2.B.15 SCOTT MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

SCOTT MEMORIAL

Heritage Status

General protection as memorial older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorates Robert Falcon who with four companions from the Terra Nova perished March 1912 in returning from the South Pole

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 15(a): Scott Memorial, 2008 O'Donoghue

Location

Heerengracht road reserve (northern) at intersection with Hans Stijdom Avenue, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.196′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.506′

Medium/Material

Granite pedestal with bronze sculptor

Date produced/unveiled

Original on 15 May 1916 and replica in 1950s

Artist/maker responsible

Sculptor: Joseph M Solomon Pedestal carved by: Benjamin Smith

Replica: Ivan Mitford-Barberton

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Depiction of Robert Falcon Scott's ship, the Terra Nova, on top of a granite pedestal with Roman lettering.

Inscription

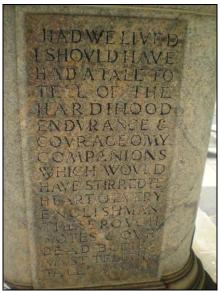
Three inscriptions including the dedication of the memorial, an extract from Scott's diary and an explanation that the statue is a replica. Two inscriptions (in English only):

/In memory of Robert Falcon who with four companions from the Terra Nova perished March 1912 in returning from the South Pole/

/Had we lived I should have had a tale to tell of the hardihood, endurance and courage of my companions which would have stirred the heart of every Englishmen. These rough notes and over dead bodies must tell the tale/

One inscription in English and Afrikaans

/ Replica of the memorial unveiled near this spot on the 15th of May 1916. The original made of elands river stones was irreparably damaged in June 1948/



Photograph 2.B 15(b): Scott Memorial detail of plaque, 2008 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemoration of the polar expedition of Robert Falcon Scott to the South Pole, one of the earliest polar expeditions. Scott and his companions lost their lives on their return in March 1912;
- Linkages with the maritime role of Cape Town
- Linkages with Scott and his ship Terra Nova who visited Cape Town in 1901 and 1910;
- Located on the site of the original pier of cape Town;
- Replication by Ivan Mitford-Barberton of the original with was irreparably damaged in 1948;
- Artist merit in terms of scale and conception (human scale allows for close human contact and appreciation);
- Contrast to the stereotyped memorials to colonial exploration as it commemorates modern exploration;

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition; granite is dirty and the writing inscribed in the granite is wearing away

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean granite and ensure black paint is placed into the inscribed places where it has worn away

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.16.a PIER PLACE SCULPTURE (MAN 1)

District A: Table Bay

MAN 1 (PIER PLACE)

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Upgrade the public Open space with the contribution of sculpture

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 16(a): Pier Place Sculpture (Man 1), 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Pier Place Heerengragt, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.100′ Latitude: E 018° 25.622′ Medium/Material

Bronze sculpture on wood and steel bench

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Life size sculpture of a man seated holding a book

Pier Place is located on the reclaimed Foreshore area of Cape Town. Today its proximity and historical connection with the sea is hardly noticeable due to high rise buildings and highways. The

old Cape Town Jetty was located near Pier Place. The development of the Cape Town International Convention Centre and subsequent pedestrian upgrades has breathed new life into this area. Materials and design concept reflect a theme that was initiated with the upgrading of the Boulevard Islands directly east of the square. To the southwest, the square flows into Jetty Square. The concept was to create a vibrant public space, using sculptures, trees and paving patterns to entice the pedestrian to linger here. The concept aims to reflect the current urban environment that surrounds it, while paying tribute to the historical and natural virtues of the place. In time more restaurants will open onto the square and it will add to the pedestrianisation of the City.

Inscription

/Wed. July 4 07/

Cultural significance

- Represents the average citizens
- Placed in a position that is very accessible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Recommend CCT green bins must be relocate a minimum distance of 10m radius of statues

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.16.b PIER PLACE SCULPTURE (MAN 2)

District A: Table Bay

MAN 2 (PIER PLACE SQUARE)

Heritage status

none

motivation

Upgrade the public Open space with the contribution of sculpture

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 16(b): Pier Place Sculpture (Man 2), 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Pier Place, Heerengragt Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.096′ Latitude: E 018°25.580′ Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Life size sculpture of a man walking, wearing a cloth hat (beanie). There is a tire tread mark at the base of the statue

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historical connection with the sea is hardly noticeable due to high rise buildings and highways. The old Cape Town Jetty was located near Pier Place. The development of the Cape Town International Convention Centre and subsequent pedestrian upgrades has breathed new life into this area. Materials and design concept reflect a theme that was initiated with the upgrading of the Boulevard Islands directly east of the square. To the southwest, the square flows into Jetty Square. The concept was to create a vibrant public space, using sculptures, trees and paving patterns to entice the pedestrian to linger here. The concept aims to reflect the current urban environment that surrounds it, while paying tribute to the historical and natural virtues of the place. In time more restaurants will open onto the square and it will add to the pedestrianisation of the City.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Represents the average Capetonian citizen \
- Placed in a position that is very accessible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Recommend CCT green bins must be relocate a minimum distance of 10m radius of statues

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.16.c PIER PLACE SCULPTURE (MAN 3)

District A: Table Bay

MAN 3 (PIER PLACE)

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Upgrade the public Open space with the contribution of sculpture

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 16(c): Pier Place Sculpture (Man 3), 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Pier Place Heerengragt, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.096′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.582′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Life size sculpture of a man wearing a business suite talking on a cell phone

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old Cape Town Jetty was located near Pier Place. The development of the Cape Town International Convention Centre and subsequent pedestrian upgrades has breathed new life into this area. Materials and design concept reflect a theme that was initiated with the upgrading of the Boulevard Islands directly east of the square. To the southwest, the square flows into Jetty Square. The concept was to create a vibrant public space, using sculptures, trees and paving patterns to entice the pedestrian to linger here. The concept aims to reflect the current urban environment that surrounds it, while paying tribute to the historical and natural virtues of the place. In time more restaurants will open onto the square and it will add to the pedestrianisation of the City.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Represents the average Capetonian citizen
- Placed in a position that is very accessible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Recommend CCT green bins must be relocate a minimum distance of 10m radius of statues

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.16.d PIER PLACE SCULPTURE (Woman 1)

District A: Table Bay

WOMEN 1 (PIER PLACE)

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Upgrade the public Open space with the contribution of sculpture

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 16(d): Young Woman, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Pier Place Heerengragt, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.089′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25. 574′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Life size sculpture of clothed women standing with her arms resting on her hips

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old Cape Town Jetty was located near Pier Place. The development of the Cape Town International Convention Centre and subsequent pedestrian upgrades has breathed new life into this area. Materials and design concept reflect a theme that was initiated with the upgrading of the Boulevard Islands directly east of the square. To the southwest, the square flows into Jetty Square. The concept was to create a vibrant public space, using sculptures, trees and paving patterns to entice the pedestrian to linger here. The concept aims to reflect the current urban environment that surrounds it, while paying tribute to the historical and natural virtues of the place. In time more restaurants will open onto the square and it will add to the pedestrianisation of the City.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Represents the average Capetonian citizen
- Placed in a position that is very accessible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Recommend CCT green bins must be relocate a minimum distance of 10m radius of statues

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.16.e PIER PLACE SCULPTURE (CHILD AND SCOOTER)

District A: Table Bay

CHILD AND SCOOTER (PIER PLACE)

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Upgrade the public Open space with the contribution of sculpture

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 16(e): Child and Scooter, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Pier Place Heerengragt, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.087′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.555′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Life size sculpture of child crouching playing with a scooter 3 metres behind him/her

Pier Place is located on the reclaimed Foreshore area of Cape Town. Today its proximity and historical connection with the sea is hardly noticeable due to high rise buildings and highways. The old Cape Town Jetty was located near Pier Place. The development of the Cape Town International Convention Centre and subsequent pedestrian upgrades has breathed new life into this area. Materials and design concept reflect a theme that was initiated with the upgrading of the Boulevard

Islands directly east of the square. To the southwest, the square flows into Jetty Square. The concept was to create a vibrant public space, using sculptures, trees and paving patterns to entice the pedestrian to linger here. The concept aims to reflect the current urban environment that surrounds it, while paying tribute to the historical and natural virtues of the place. In time more restaurants will open onto the square and it will add to the pedestrianisation of the City.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Represents the average Capetonian citizen (a child playing with a toy scooter)
- Placed in a position that is very accessible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Recommend CCT green bins must be relocate a minimum distance of 10m radius of statues

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.16.f PIER PLACE SCULPTURE (OLD WOMAN)

District A: Table Bay

OLD WOMEN (PIER PLACE)

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Upgrade the public Open Space with the contribution of sculptures

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 16(f):Old Woman, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Pier Place Heerengragt, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.077′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25. 568′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Life size sculpture of old women holding a plastic shopping bag

Pier Place is located on the reclaimed Foreshore area of Cape Town. Today its proximity and historical connection with the sea is hardly noticeable due to high rise buildings and highways. The

old Cape Town Jetty was located near Pier Place. The development of the Cape Town International Convention Centre and subsequent pedestrian upgrades has breathed new life into this area. Materials and design concept reflect a theme that was initiated with the upgrading of the Boulevard Islands directly east of the square. To the southwest, the square flows into Jetty Square. The concept was to create a vibrant public space, using sculptures, trees and paving patterns to entice the pedestrian to linger here. The concept aims to reflect the current urban environment that surrounds it, while paying tribute to the historical and natural virtues of the place. In time more restaurants will open onto the square and it will add to the pedestrianisation of the City.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Represents the average Capetonian citizen (an older woman);
- Placed in a position that is very accessible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Recommend CCT green bins must be relocate a minimum distance of 10m radius of statues

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.17 SHARKS

District A: Table Bay

SHARKS

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Upgrade the public Open Space with the contribution of sculptures

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 17(a): Jetty Square Sharks Sculpture, 2007 van Niewenhuizen



Photograph 2.B 17(b): Jetty Square Sharks Sculpture, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Georges Mall, near Pier Place Square, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.080′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.519′

Medium/Material

Steel fish with concrete poles supporting them in the air

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Adam van Niewenhuizen (City of Cape Town project manager) and Ralph Borland (Artist)

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Jetty Square was identified by The Urban Design Branch of the City of Cape Town as an important pedestrian link in the Foreshore. The concept was to create a public square that would provide a moment of magic to the person walking past. The project team worked with sculptor Ralph Borland to create the interactive shark sculptures. Historically the Square used to be on the beach before the Foreshore was reclaimed. The shark sculptures remind us of nature that we changed. The sharks move in the wind and infrared sensors pick up when a person gets up close to release a wind-generated sound. The paving pattern resembles a water flow pattern and refers to the sea that was laid dry for our feet.

Inscription

Non

Cultural significance

- Placed in a position that is very visible to the pedestrian using a Public Open Space.
- Identifies the link between the city and the sea as it is positioned on reclaimed land;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Adam van Niewenhuizen Landscape Architect, (previous CCT employee and was CCT project manager)

2.B.18 COLONIAL MUTUAL BUILDING CLOCK

District A: Table Bay

COLONIAL MUTUAL BUILDING CLOCK

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorate the centenary of Colonial Mutual in South Africa

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 18(a): Colonial Mutual Building Clock (upper portion and clock) 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.B 18(b): Colonial Mutual Building Clock (lower portion and clock) 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Georges Mall between Pier Place and Hans Stijdom Avenue

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.144′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.473′

Medium/Material

Brick, concrete, sandstone blocks and steel

Date produced/unveiled

November 1983

Artist/maker responsible

Colonial Mutual

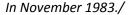
Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large operational clock tower on tower and wind vane at the top

Inscription

/ The Colonial Mutual Building

IN 1987 the Colonial Mutual erected its first building in Adderley Street, the most prominent feature being an ornamental clock tower with four large clock dials – the first of its kind in South Africa. An identical clock replaced the original, destroyed by fire in 1901, when the new building was completed in 1905. This building was demolished in 1958, the clock dials were saved and were presented in this reconstruction of the clock tower to the citizens of Cape Town by the Colonial Mutual to commemorate its centenary in South Africa.





Photograph 2.B 18(c): Colonial Mutual Building Clock, detail of plaque 2008 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the centenary of a business operation in South Africa (1858 –1958)
- Historical object that was placed on a former building;
- Replica of a clock which when erected was the first of its kind in South Africa.

Condition of monument/statue

Not in good condition, there are pieces missing and writing on the plaque

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Needs maintenance

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Monument needs to be cleaned, repaired and de-weeded

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.19 "MYTHLOGICAL LANDSCAPE"

A CELEBRATION OF DIVERSITY

District A: Table Bay

"MYTHLOGICAL LADSCAPE" A CELEBRATION OF DIVERSITY

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Result of a public competition

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 19: Celebration of Diversity, www.ava.co.za

Location

Thibault Square

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.173′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.419′

Medium/Material

Core-ten steel and bronze

Date produced/unveiled

1 June 1994

Artist/maker responsible

John Skotness

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Made from Core-Ten steel and bronze. The theme is an attempt to invert the Tower of Babel myth. In the bible story, difference became the catalyst for 'diaspora' and isolation. Here on the 'tower', mythological creatures start the process of finding one another. The figures are tentative and curious. The ideas invested in the creation of the work were rooted in the issues of newly democratic country.

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Work by an eminent South African Artist, Cecil Skotness
- Artistic merit

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean the base periodically

References used

www.ava.co.za

2.B.20 AFRICA

District A: Table Bay

AFRICA

Heriatge status:

none

motivation

Competition held by the Association of Arts in conjunction with the City of Cape Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 20: Celebration of Diversity, www.ava.co.za

Location

St Georges Mall at the Waterkant Street intersection

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.263′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.387′

Medium/Material

Bronze with various yellow heads

Date produced/unveiled

26 May 2000

Artist/maker responsible

Brett Murray

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Three metre tall bronze cast statue of a traditional "African" sculpture adorned with Bart Simpson heads

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

 Reference to the globalisation of the world where images from north America have influence on the artistic and cultural context in Africa?

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repaint yellow portion of sculptures

Clean base of graffiti

References used

www.ava.co.za

2.B.21 FLOOR PLAQUE (ST. GEORGE'S MALL)

District A: Table Bay

FLOOR PLAQUE (ST. GEORGE'S MALL)

Heritage status:

none

Motivation

Commemorates the Fourth phase Pedestrian network of St Georges Mall and Shortmarket Mall

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 21: St George's Mall Floor Plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Georges Mall, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.462′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.251′

Medium/Material

Bronze plaque

Date produced/unveiled

26th of November 1991

Unveiled by the Mayor Frank van der Velde

Artist/maker responsible

unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Square plaque which is inscribed and set at an angle so that it looks like a diamond shape

Inscription

/Fourth phase Pedestrian network St Georges Mall and Shortmarket Mall opened by his worship the mayor of Cape Town Alderman Frank van der Velde 26 November 1991/

Cultural significance

• Commemorates the St George's Pedestrian Mall

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, plaque is wearing but that can only be expected as it is situated on the ground

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

2.B.22 COME TO PASS

District A: Table Bay

COME TO PASS

Heritage status:

none

Motivation

Competition held by the Association of Arts in conjunction with the City of Cape Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 22: Come to Pass, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Mall at the Short Market Street intersection

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.079′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.256′

Medium/Material

Bronze, paving, stainless steel and glass

Date produced/unveiled

30th of January 2004

Artist/maker responsible

Fritha Langerman and Katherine Bull

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Come to Pass takes the form of a compass and clock - referring to time and space and is composed of 2 sets of 6 units (glass and bronze discs that echo each other formally) which intersect to form a cross and correspond to a further 24 glass units (cats eyes) encircling the cross. The cast bronze discs identify 6 distinct occupations that have been instrumental in the colonial evolution of the Cape

cityscape (explorer, settler, merchant, preacher, soldier, and architect) and make up one axis of the cross. Each occupation has a particular spatial relationship to the crossroad of Shortmarket Street and St George's Mall. The other axis of the cross, composed of 6 stainless steel rings framing the glass composite portraits, is constructed from the information gathered from the women interviewed. Each stainless steel ring is engraved with a fictitious name and date composed from 4 of the 24 woman interviewed. The 24 women's names and occupations are recorded separately on the 24 cats eyes encircling the cross.

The sculpture is concerned with the construction of history through different models: the official record - the archive; the oral record - the anecdotal; and history as an invention - a fiction. Come to Pass is self-reflexive as a memorial and record of both the past and present. The structure of the city and its popular history largely reflects and valorises the exploits of men, whereas women have been elided from the city's history and the evolution of its design. In response to this, and as part of the symbolic collection of 'oral testimony', the sculptor includes both composite portraits and the names and occupations of 24 women interviewed at the site intersection on 26 September 2003. This both memorialises the incidental and non-heroic (people who happen to be in town at a particular site, time and day) and foregrounds the role of the artists in the construction of history.

Inscription

See above, inscriptions are an integral part of the sculpture

Cultural significance

- Modern sculpture within the central city;
- Artistic merit;
- Uniqueness value as it is position on the floor surface and it therefore very accessible to all pedestrians.

Condition of monument/statue

Not in a good condition, tar and some glass is cracking

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair glass and tar

References used

www.ava.co.za

2.B.23 BISHOP ROBERT GRAY MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

BISHOP ROBERT GRAY MEMORIAL

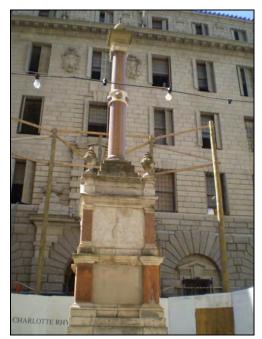
Heritage status

General protection, older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorate Bishop Robert Grey

Digital Photograph





Photograph 2.B 23a (left) and b(right) Bishop Robert Grey Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Georges Mall, close to the intersection of Wale street and adjacent to St George's Cathedral

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.450′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.167′

Medium/Material

Stone and marble

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown unveiled date

Altered and dismantled and reassembled in 1992 at the time of the pedestrianisation of St George's Mall

Artist/maker responsible

Designer: William Butterworth (Stone carved in England and brought to the Cape in 1876)

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Tall square based monument with pillars and a plaque surrounded by a granite decorative wreath Initially erected 7 meters high in front of the Anglican Cathedral that preceded St George's Cathedral. Street widening of Wale street required the relocation of the memorial

Inscription

/ Erected by Public subscription in memory of Robert Gray D.D. First Bishop of Cape Town and Metropolitan. Consecrated St Peters Day A.D. 1847

Deceased Sept 1 A. D. 1872/

Cultural significance

- Memorial to the fist Anglican archbishop of cape Town
- One of the few memorial to a religious leader (other one Canon Lightfoot);
- Memorial of a church leader who influenced the spiritual life of the Church. He established
 the Anglican Church as a strong force within the Community of churches in the late 19th
 century by establishing a number of new Churches and administration a and education
 foundations, including urban mission work;
- Artistic and sculptural merit as it is the work of a major late Victorian Architect, William
 Butterfield Being entirely constructed from stone, carved in England and brought to the cape
 for erection;
- Visual spatial and thematic linkages to St George's Cathedral

Condition of monument/statue

Not in a good condition, missing pieces of granite

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Lots of maintenance needed to the memorial and the missing granite pieces need to be replaced.

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.24 GENERAL JAN CHRISTIAN SMUTS MEMORIAL

District A : Table Bay

GENERAL JAN CHRISTIAN SMUTS

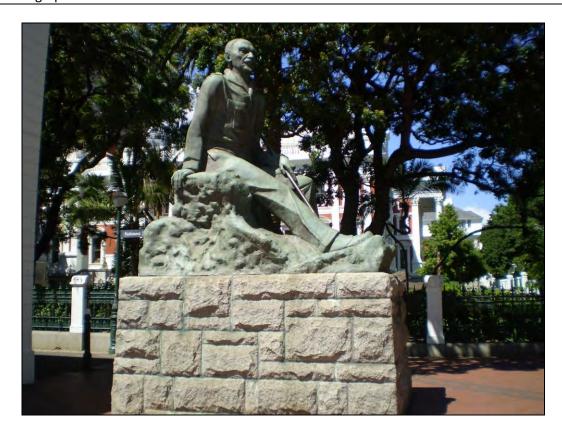
Heritage status

Provincial Heritage site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Commemorate the Life of General JC Smuts in a realistic manner different to the sculpture by Norman Eaton and Sydney Harpley

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 24: Jan Christian Smuts Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Adderley Street; southern end adjav]cent to entry of Slave Lodge, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.504′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.210′

Medium/Material

Granite stone base and bronze statue

Date produced/unveiled

1973

Artist/maker responsible

Ivan Mitford-Barberton

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Full figure statue, seated on a rock, wearing military uniform and holding long walking stick or baton.

Inscription

/JC Smuts 1870- 1950/

Cultural significance

- Prominent location at the critical junction of Wale and Adderley Street, adjacent to the Slave Lodge and at the main entrance to the Company Gardens;
- Different representation of Smuts compared to the statue in Company Gardens;
- Work of a major South African sculptor, Mitford Barberton

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.25 GENERAL LOUIS BOTHA MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

GENERAL LOUIS BOTHA

Heritage status

General protection, older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorate the Life of General Louis Botha

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 25: General Louis Botha, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Stal Plein, Roeland Street axis, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.670' Latitude: E 018. 25.158'

Medium/Material

Granite base with bronze statue

Date produced/unveiled

2 February 1931

Artist/maker responsible

Sculptor: Romano R. Romanelli (1882-1958); Designer of pedestal: Kendall & Mansbergh; Foundry Builder: Fonria G Vignali, Florence

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Bronze equestrian statue of uniformed man on horse.

Initially erected on Stal Plein in front of the Sammy Marks building. Relocated during the 1980s as part of the Urban design of the reconfiguration of the square to develop underground parking garage.

Inscription

Inscription in English and Afrikaans. /Louis Botha/Farmer Warrior Statesman/1862-1919./

Cultural significance

- Commemoration of a major figure in South African history, first Prime Minister of South Africa from 1910-1919;
- Commemoration of Botha's military role in fighting against the imperialist forces during the South African Boer war;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.26 ANGLO BOER WAR MEMORIAL

District A : Table Bay

ANGLO BOER WAR MEMORIAL

Heritage Status

Provincial Heritage Site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Honour those who fought in the Anglo Boer war fro Britain

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 26: Anglo Boer War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Grand Parade, SE corner, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.558' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.490'

Medium/Material

Course granite stone base and marble figure

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Sir William Goscombe John ARA, London

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Full figure statue of a British soldier and a seated woman facing south to City Hall. The seated female figure and the soldier are roughly dressed.

Inscription

Inscriptions (in English only)

/To the undying honour of those sons of the city who gave up their lives (1899-1902) for love of the Motherland and in defence of the Colony during the Anglo-Boer War this memorial is erected by the citizens of Cape Town/

/Never King had more loyal subjects/

/Gascombe John. A ? / London?/

Cultural significance

- Historical, artistic, associational and contextual significance;
- Commemoration of a particular group, the British residents of Cape Town who volunteered for service to Britain in defence of the British Colony in South Africa;
- Only memorial of victory over South Africa;
- The lack of recognition of the South Africans who were victims of the war;
- Some artistic significance and contextual significance being situated alongside Sculpture of king Edward VII;
- Expression of South Africa as British Colony as opposed to the Boer Republics to the north of the Cape;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Investigate the unreadable inscriptions and fix ⁹

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

unable to be viewed closely at present due to the upgrade on Grand Parade.

⁹ This information regarding the illegible lettering is obtained from the SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003, as the memorial is

2.B.27 KING EDWARD VII

District A: Table Bay

KING EDWARD VII (1860 - 1954)

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage Site (former National Monument)

Motivation

Reign of King Edward VII (early 1901 - 1954)

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 27: King Edward VII Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Grand Parade, Darling Street, on City Hall axis

Erf 4651 Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33. 55.490' **Latitude:** E 018. 25.456'

Medium/Material

Dressed granite pedestal and base with marble statue

Date produced/unveiled

1904 by unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Designer: Sir William Goscombe John ARA, London

Builder and sculptor: unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Full figure statue, wearing a ceremonial dress. The pedestal has a raised oval with coat of arms and brass plaque. The sculpture and its pedestal is positioned on a base granite steps.

Inscription

/Edward VII/

Cultural significance

- Depiction of King Edward VII, who succeeded Queen Victoria in 1900;
- Expression in the pre union era of Cape Town as a British Colony in contracts to the Boer Republics to the north;
- Typical of statues produced in England during this period for the colonies;
- Associational links with the statue of Queen Victoria situated in the parliamentary Precinct, Company Gardens;
- Merit in terms of artistic, historical, contextual and associational
- Reflects the celebration of the British colonial period in South Africa;
- Location in a very prominent public position

Condition of monument/statue

Maintenance needed – cleaning on and around the memorial, removal of sigangel

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

- Refuse bins need to be removed from the immediate surrounding area of the statue as they
 constitute a negative visual impact to the viewing of the statue;
- Four signs on the statues steps need to be removed;
- Steps are required for removal of weeds;

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.28 JAN HENDRIK HOFMEYER

District A: Table Bay

JAN HENDRIK HOFMEYER (1845-1909)

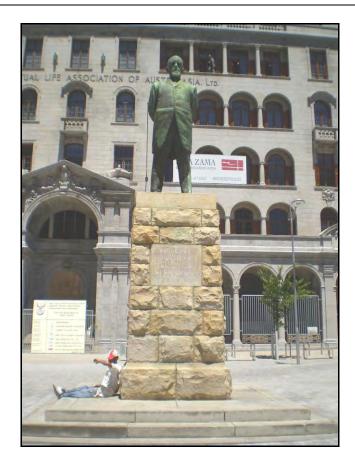
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Political and cultural role of JH Hofmeyer in the Cape

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 28(a): Jan Hendrick Hofmeyr, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Church Square, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: \$ 33° 55.507′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.283′

Medium/Material

Granite pedestal with bronze sculpture

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Sculpted by Anton Van Wouw

Builder unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Fully clothed full figure wearing a tailcoat standing with his arms resting behind his back. The sculpture formally had reading glasses which have been removed. JH Hofmeyer was the political leader of the Cape Dutch who dominated the Afrikaans Bond. He represented the Cape at the colonial Conference in 1887 and 1894. After the Jameson road he parted from Rhodes and thereafter worked outside parliament. His nephew Jan Hendrik Hofmeyer (1894 – 1948 was a deputy premier to Smuts and advocated a liberal policy towards black Soyth Africans. JH Hofmeyer has associations with General Botha who was determined to reconcile the Boer and the English and general smuts with his international stance;

Inscription

/ JAN HENDRIK HOFMEYER ["ONZE JAN"] 4 JULIE 1845 – 16 OKTOBER 1909 IS HET ONS ERNST /



Photograph 2.B 28(b): Jan Hendrick Hofmeyr detail of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemoration of the life of JH Hofmeyer ("Onze Jan") who was well known for his contribution to Afrikaans culture in the Cape;
- Commemorates the role of the Afrikaans Bond as a powerful force in the politics of the Cape at the end of the 20th century;
- Artistic and sculptural merit as being the work of one of South Africa's foremost sculptors,
 Anton van Wouw.
- Rarity value being one of the few sculptures that had reading glasses anywhere in the world;

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, mortar is missing between the granite pieces at the base of the statue. Cleaning of sculpture required

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace mortar on pedestal

Replace reading glasses to face of sculpture

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.29 THE CAPE TOWN MEMORIAL TO THE ENSLAVED

District A: Table Bay

SLAVE MEMORIAL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemoration of the contribution of slaves to Cape Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 29: The Cape Town Memorial to the Enslaved, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Church Square, corner Spin and Parliament Streets Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: \$ 33° 55.512′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.275′

Medium/Material

Concrete cubes clad in inscribed granite

Date produced and unveiled

Unveiled on the 24th of September 2008 by Mayor Helen Zille

Artist/maker responsible

Wilma Cruise and Gavin Young

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

THE CAPE TOWN MEMORIAL TO THE ENSLAVED

THE MEMORIAL COMPRISES ELEVEN GRANITE BLOCKS. TWO ARE PLACED ON A RAISED PLINTH ON THE SOUTH WEST CORNER OF CHURCH SQUARE CLOSE TO THE IZIKO SLAVE LODGE. A FURTHER NINE ARE GROUPED IN A TIGHT GRID CLOSE TO THE SLAVE TREE PLAQUE. EACH BLOCK IS 80 CENTIMITRES SQUARE. THREE ARE 80 CENTIMETRES HIGH, FOUR ARE 60 CENTIMETRES HIGH, AND FOUR ARE 40 CENTIMETRES HIGH. THEIR COMMON FOOT PRINT' REPRESENTS OUR COMMON HUMANITY; THEIR DIFFERENT HEIGHTS REPRESENT GROWTH, AND THE IMPORTANCE WE ATTACH TO THE YOUTH OF SOUTH AFRICA; THEY TOO NEED TO BE ABLE TO READ THE TEXTS ENGRAVED ON THE SURFACE OF THE BLOCKS.

PLAIN BLACK GRANITE IS USED THROUGHOUT. THE TWO BLOCKS ON THE RAISED PLINTH ARE BOTH 80 CENTIMETRES HIGH. THEIR SIDES ARE ENGRAVED WITH THE NAMES OF THE ENSLAVED. IN THIS TASK WE HAVE BEEN GUIDED BY THE COMPREHENSIVE RESEARCH OF MANY HISTORIANS AND ACTIVISTS. THEIR RESEARCH HAS REVEALED THESE FORGOTTEN NAMES — BY ENGRAVING THEM ON THE SIDES OF THESE TWO BLOCKS, WE HOPE TO REMEMBER THEM FOR WHAT THEY SUFFERED, AND FOR WHAT THEY CONTRIBUTED TO THE BUILDING OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN NATION.

THE OTHER NINE BLOCKS ARE ENGRAVED WITH WORDS FROM THE SLAVE PERIOD IN SOUTH AFRICA. 1652 TO 1834-8. THE WORDS EMBRACE ELEMENTS OF RESISTANCE, REBELLION, SUFFERING ON THE SLAVE SHIPS AND ON THE 'MIDDLE PASSAGE', THE PROVENANCE OF SLAVES, RELIGION, SLAVE LIFE, MANUMISSION, PUNISHMENT, AND THE SLAVE LODGE. THE WORDS ARE ENGRAVED IN CONCENTRIC CIRCLES, WITH THE SLAVE TREE PLAQUE AS THE CENTRE, THE WORDS RUN UP THE SIDES OF THE BLOCKS, ACROSS THE TOPS IN SHALLOW ARCS, AND DOWN THE OTHER SIDES. ON OCCASION, THE WORDS ARE TRUNCATED — ALMOST AS IF THEY RUN UNDER THE SURFACE OF THE PAVING.

THUS THE MEMORIAL IS CHARACTERIZED BY SILENCE — SILENCE IN THE FACE OF THE ABOMINATION THAT WAS SLAVERY. THIS IS EVOKED BY THE REFLECTIVE SURFACE OF THE STONES AND THEIR SOLEMN ARRANGEMENT ON CHURCH SQUARE. THEIR WEIGHTY PRESENCE ELICITS THE MEMORY OF THE SLAVES THAT WERE SOLD, TORTURED AND SUFFERED AT CHURCH SQUARE.

CHURCH SQUARE IS ITSELF AN IMPORTANT MARKER OF SLAVE HISTORY, AND IS BOUNDED ON THREE SIDES BY OTHER IMPORTANT BUILDINGS: IZIKO SLAVE LODGE, THE GROOTE KERK WHERE VOC SLAVES WERE BAPTIZED, AND SPIN STREET, SITE OF THE SLAVE TREE AND A FORMER SILK FACTORY IN WHICH SLAVE CHILDREN KEPT AT THE LODGE WERE REQUIRED TO WORK.

Inscription

Many words and names are inscribed onto all of the granite blocks

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the contribution by the slaves in the making of Cape Town;
- Location of the monument is important as it is positioned within a precinct that the slaves were associated: Slave Lodge (corner Spin and Adderley Streets) and the slave tree (Spin Street) where the slaves were sold from.

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, but there is graffiti righting and marks on some of the memorial blocks

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean the memorial so that it is free from graffiti, righting and markings

References used

Cape Times, 30th of September 2008, pg 7

City of Cape Town, Basil Tommy (personal communication)

2.B.30 SLAVE TREE

District A: Table Bay

SLAVE TREE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemoration of the former "Old Slave Tree" which was positioned near this current tree. Slaves were sold at the4 'Old Slave Tree'

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B.30: Slave Tree, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Traffic Island on Spin Street near intersection to Parliament street, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.526′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.287′

Medium/Material

Tree planted in centre of brick surfaced traffic island

Plaque was of brass on stone

Turkish Oak

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Not applicable

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Turkish oak

Fragment of the original tree and description is lodged in the 'Mayor's Collection', City of Cape Town

Inscription

Plaque missing

(Inscription in English and Afrikaans)

/On this spot stood the old slave tree/

Cultural significance

- Historical, contextual and associational significance;
- Position of this tree marks of the near location of the original slave tree (not the exact site
 due to modern roadway placement but significant as it is in the context and relates to the
 Slave Lodge);
- Memorial to the contribution that slaves made in the creation of Cape Town;
- First memorial to slavery in Cape Town since 1994;
- Memorial to a highly significant time of the Cape.

Condition of monument/statue

Tree is on good condition but plaque is missing

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaque

References used

SAHRA: Public monuments and memorials, catalogues of reports on monuments and memorials in Three Cities, 2003

2.B.31 TRAM TRACKS PLAQUE

District A: Table Bay

TRAM TRACKS PLAQUE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Record the position f the tram tracks that travelled to the Atlantic seaboard from the city

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 31: Tram Tracks Plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Andrew's Square, corner Buitengragt, Waterkant and Riebeek streets Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.007′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.167′

Medium/Material

Metal and a boulder

Date produced/unveiled

2007 at the time of the building of the Prestwich memorial and the upgrade of St Andrew's Sqaure

Artist/maker responsible

Heritage Resources Section, City of Cape Town

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Metal plaque situated on a granite rock, commemorating the position of the tram tracks that transported people between the city and the Atlantic seaboard suburbs of Green Point, Sea Point and Camps Bay

Inscription

/ The Old Tram Tracks

Uncovered during the construction of the Prestwich Memorial in 2007 these tram tracks, which stretched as far as Camps Bay, have been preserved as part of the memory of District One. The early horse drawn trams ran along a single track ran along a single track on the previous alignment of Somerset Road /

Inscription in English, Xhosa and Afrikaans

Cultural significance

Position marker of the position of the tram tracks Historic objects as the tram tracks are over 60 years

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary Information displays

2.B.32 PRESTWICH MEMORIAL GARDEN OSSUARY PLAQUES

District A: Table Bay

PRESTWICH MEMORIAL GARDEN OSSUARY PLAQUES (x2)

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemoration of the Prestwich memorial and Ossuary within St Andrew's Square

Digital Photograph





Photograph 2.B 32a (left) and photograph 2.B 32b (right): Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary plaques , 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Andrew's Square Buitengragt, Riebeek, Chiapinni and Waterkant streets, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.065′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.189′

And

Longitude: S 33° 55.081′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.178′

Medium/Material

Stainless steel plaque on granite boulder

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Heritage Resources Section, City of Cape Town

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque situated on granite boulders (x2)

The plaques were erected during the building of the Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary and the upgrade of St Andrew's Square. The Plaques are for the Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary structure.

Inscription

/ The Prestwich Memorial Garden and Ossuary

This memorial is dedicated to the memory of those buried in the Prestwhich Street area of Cape Town during the 18th and 19th Centuries and to those whose remains are now interred in this ossuary it is the final resting place for the human remains which were unearthed during development at Prestwich Street and other sites in the Green Point area /

Inscription is in English, Xhosa and Afrikaans

Cultural significance

• The plaques by the association to the Prestwich memorial and ossuary are significant as the dedication is to the people buried in the area during the 18th and 19th century and to those humans whose remains are interned in the ossuary

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary Information displays

2.B.33 PRESTWICH MEMORIAL AND OSSUARY

District A: Table Bay

PRESTWICH MEMORIAL BUILDING

Heritage status

None

Motivation

To commemorate the people buried in the area (former District One of Cape Town) in the 18th and 19th century and to create an ossuary to hold the remains of certain burial discovered in 2005 in Prestwich street Green Point

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B.33(a): Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary St Andrew's Square, 2008 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.B 33(b): Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary Somerset Road Entrance, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Andrew's Square Buitengragt, Riebeek, Chiapinni and Waterkant streets, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.049′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.183′

Medium/Material

Face brick and stone walls, aluminium window and door frames, glazing

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

Lucien le Grange Architect and Urban Designer

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Modern building was conceptualised by a variety of stakeholders namely SAHRA, CCT, District Six etc as a place for the memorialisation of the people who lived and were buried in the immediate area. The human remains discovered in a mass grave on a site for development in 2005 initaiued this process of creating a place for the memorialisation and placement of the human remains found buried.

Inscription

Name of memorial:

/Prestwich memorial/

Plaques:

Cultural significance

- Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary are significant as it commemorates the people buried in the area during the 18th and 19th century and to those humans whose remains are interned in the Ossuary;
- Many of these people and certainly the human remains discovered in Prestwich Street in 2005 were poor people who did not have a dignified burial or burial place.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Prestwich Memorial and Ossuary information display boards

2.B.34 ST ANDREW'S CHURCH PLAQUE

District A: Table Bay

ST ANDREWS CHURCH PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Provide interpretive signage within a Public Open Space for the public information

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.B 34: St Andrew's Church Plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St Andrew's Square, Buitengragt, Riebeek, Chiapinni and Waterkant streets Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.061′ **Latitude:** E 018° 25.149′

Medium/Material

Aluminium plaque situated on a granite boulder

Date produced/unveiled

2007

Artist/maker responsible

City of Cape Town

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Stainless steel plaque situated on a granite boulder in a public open space St Andrew's Square;

Inscription

/ St Andrews Church

The parishioners of St Andrews Presbyterian Church and the neighbouring Lutherans held services for freed slaves on December the $1^{\rm st}$ 1838 /

Cultural significance

• Interpretive signage of a Provincial Heritage Site

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

2.C.1 QUEEN VICTORIA MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN

District A: Table Bay

QUEEN VICTORIA MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the completion of the sixtieth year of the reign of Queen Victoria in June 1897

Digital Photograph





Photograph 2.C.1(a) (left) and 2.C.1(b) (right) 21: Queen Victoria Memorial Fountain, context (left) and detail of plaque (right), 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Corner Main and Regent roads Sea Point

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.120′ **Latitude:** E 018° 23.235′

Medium/Material

Painted Steel

Date produced/unveiled

1897

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Drinking fountain and statue of Queen Victoria

Inscription

/THIS FOUNTAIN
IS ERECTED BY
THE WOMEN
OF GREEN AND SEA POINT
TO COMMEMORATE THE COMPLETION
OF THE SIXTIETH YEAR OF THE REIGN OF
HER MOST GRACIOUS
MAJESTY
QUEEN VICTORIA
June
1897/

Cultural significance

- Signifies the close relationship between the white society in the late 19th century with Britain:
- Erected by the citizens of the area, therefore has local significance
- Erected by women in an era where they did not have voting rights but were commemorating their ruler, a female monarch.

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, the fountain is rusting and certain parts of the sculpture (leaf motifs) are missing or are loose. The whole object need to be painted

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Deal with the rusting and repainting of the sculpture the colour that it is at the moment (green)

References used

None

2.C.2 SEA POINT GEOLOGICAL MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

SEA POINT GEOLOGICAL MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the geological rock formation of the environs

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.2(a) Sea Point Geological Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Beach road Sea Point

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 55.327′ **Latitude:** E 018° 22.641′

Medium/Material

Concrete, steel

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Geological society of South Africa

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Raised plinth with plaques giving information on the local geological formations

Inscription



Photograph 2.C.2b Sea Point Geological Memorial, Text detail 2009 O'Donoghue

/ Geological Society of Southern Africa

C1 site

Sea Point Contact

The rocks along this shore record an event some 540 million years ago when molten granite magma was injected into the black sedimentary rocks of the Malmesberg Group. Such was the heat of the intrusion that these strata were softened, stretched and dismembered along the contact, forming a complex zone of mixed rock called magmetite. The transition from the undisturbed dark rocks on the right, through intimate and complex mixtures of the two types of rocks to homogenous granite on the left, may be traced over a distance of 150 metres. Fragments (xenoliths) of the dark rocks are enclosed in the granite which is characterised by large white potassium feldspar crystals set in a finer matrix of glassy quartz, white sodium feldspar, black biotite mica, and green cordierite.

Inscription is in English and in Afrikaans

Cultural significance

• Commemorates the geological formations of the environment visible on the coastal edge

Condition of monument/statue

Bad Plaques missing

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

replace plaques

repaint

References used

None

2.C.3 CAMPS BAY WORLD WAR ONE MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

CAMPS BAY WAR MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

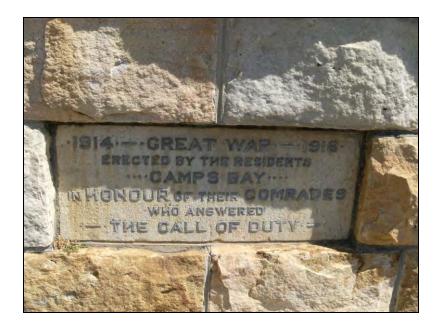
Motivation

Honour the people from camps Bay that died during the World War One

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.3(a): Camps Bay War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.C.3(b): Camps Bay War Memorial, plaque detail, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Corner of Victoria Road and Links Street Camps Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 57.293′ **Latitude:** E 018° 22.605′

Medium/Material

Sandstone, timber and bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Camps Bay Residents

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Sandstone walls, columns and benches with bronze lettering and timber sections on top of centre portion

Unknown regarding the history of memorial

Inscription

/1914-GREAT WAR-1918
ERECTED BY THE RESIDENTS
OF CAMPS BAY
IN HONOUR OF THEIR COMRADES
WHO ANSWERED
-THE CALL OF DUTY-/

Further inscription of names of people

Cultural significance

- Erected by the local community in honour of their community members who fought in World War One;
- Forms part of the series of memorials commemorating the people of South Africa who assisted, fought and/or died in World War One.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

2.C.4 OBSERVATORY WAR MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

OBSERVATORY WAR MEMORIAL

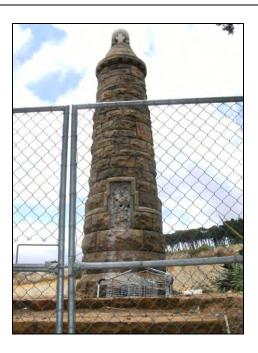
Heritage status

General protection under the Nation Heritage Resources Act, No. 25 of 1999 as the memorial is older than 60 years

Motivation

To commemorate people who lost their lives during World War One

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.4: Observatory War Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Currently situated on road reserve in between De Waal Drive and Anzio Road, to the west of Groote Schuur Hospital (original building)¹⁰.

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.582′ **Latitude:** E 018° 27.615′

Medium/Material

Table Mountain Sandstone (quarried nearby)

Date produced/unveiled

Unveiled on 3 August 1924 by Brigadier-General W. E. C. Tanner (the same day as the Adderley Street cenotaph was unveiled by the Governor General, the Earl of Athlone)

Artist/maker responsible

Designed by F K Kendall and James Morris

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Approximately 5.5m high circular composition of Table Mountain sandstone that had four bronze

 10 It is to be relocated due to the roadwork on de Waal Drive (pers. Communication David Hart, December 2008).

plaques. Three plaques carried the names of people who lost their lives during the war and the forth plaque receodered details of the monument and its unveiling. The three plaques were found in a scrap yard by an historical researcher Col LA Crook.

General Tanner who unveiled the memorial became Chief of Staff for the Union Defence Force had been the Officer Commanding the Union Defence Force at the Battle of Delville Wood where he was wounded. He was also part of the Committee responsible for the commissioning and erection of Herbert Baker's Delville Wood Memorial.

The ceremony was attended by Cadets, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides as well as large number of residents. Site selected as it lay on the route that the youth of Observatory took when climbing up Table Mountain.

The memorial has been moved once before when De Waal Drive became a dual carriageway. It will be moved again to the Observatory Public Square in Station road, Village Green (corner Station and Main Road) as part of the square upgrade and due to the inaccessible nature of the current position).

Inscription

Unknown (missing plaques) - The three plaques were found in a scrap yard by an historical researcher Col LA Crook.

Cultural significance

Unknown

Condition of monument/statue

bad condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Personal research by Col LA Crook.

2.C.5 SMUTS FAMILY MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

SMUTS FAMILY MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

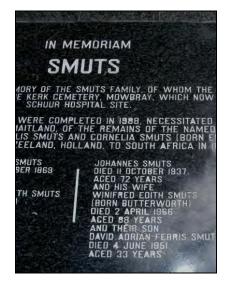
Motivation

Commemoration of the Smuts family, of whom some (identified) were initially interred in the Nederouits Cereformeede Kerk cemetery, Mowbray, which now forms part of the Groote Schuur hospital site.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.5(a): Smuts Family Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.C.5(b): Smuts Family Memorial, detail of text, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Anzio Road Mowbray (west of original Groote Schuur Hospital building)

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.574′ **Latitude:** E 018° 27.612′

Medium/Material

Granite

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Smuts family

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Rectangular dark granite engraved with inscribed white text

Inscription

/ In Memoriam

Smuts

This memorial has been erected in memory of the Smuts family, of whom the following were initially interred in the Nederouits Cereformeede Kerk cemetery, Mowbray, which now forms part of the Groote Schuur hospital site.

Extensions to the hospital which were completed 1988, necessitated the exhumination and reinterment in the Woltemade cemetery, Maitland, of the remains of the named persons being descendants by birth of marriage of Michiel Cornelis Smuts, and Cornelia Smuts (born Eenmal) who emigarated from Middleberg Zeeland Holand, to South Africa in 1860

Joseph Ferris Smuts Died 21 March 1926 Aged 56 years

Louise Berrange Smuts Died 4th of Mrach 1932 Aged 64 years

Joseph Ferris Smuts
Died 30th September 1869
Aged 29 years
And his wife
Johanna Elizabeth Smuts
Died 24th of may 1926
Aged 83 years

Johannes Smuts
Deid 11th October 1937
Aged 72 years
And his wife
Winifred Edith Smuts
(Born Butterworth)
Died 2nd of April 1966

Aged 88 years

And their Son David Adrian Ferris Smith Died 4th of June 1951

Aged 33 years

Michael Smuts
Died 24th of January 2000
Aged 86 years
And his wife
Anna Esmay Smuts
(Born Ou Croz)

Died 21st of December 1998

Aged 82 years /

Cultural significance

- Commemorates a family that were formally buried on the site;
- Gives the public information regarding the land use of the site i.e. a section of the hospital is positioned on a former cemetery;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

2.C.6 LANGA HERITAGE MEMORIALS

District A : Table Bay

LANGA HERITAGE MEMORIALS

Heritage status

none

Motivation

A component of the Langa heritage project which aims to promote the identified heritage of Langa Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.6(a): Langa Memorials: Music and Social Life, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.C.6(b): Langa Memorials: Sport and Cultural Festivals, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.C.6(c): Langa Memorials: 1976 School Unrest and Mendi Ship, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 2.C.6(d): Langa Memorials: Migrant Life and The Pass System, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Washington Drive at junction of Lerotholi Avenue Langa

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.638′ **Latitude:** E 018° 31.507′

Medium/Material

Concrete columns with mosaic ceramic tile and glass with mortar inlay

Date produced/unveiled

2005

Artist/maker responsible

Design: Fiona Beresford

Mosaic implementation: Fiona Beresford with local residents

Builder of structures implemented by the Urban Design Branch, City of Cape Town

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Four large three dimensional pillars with mosaic on all four sides of all four pillars.

Inscription

See photographs for wording on certain side panels

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the various sectors of heritage of a former black township Langa, the first 'model township' in South Africa;
- Placed on the main route through Langa in a context that is well used by residents, visitors and tourists.

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, on Lovers lane/squatter life memeorial there is a small break of the mosaic on the corner and on the Pass Laws memeorail there is a missing black tile on the top as well as graffiti on the side.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair the small damages which have occurred to the pillars and check regularly that the mosaic pillars are not defaced or broken.

References used

City of Cape Town, Langa Heritage Study, 2003

2.C.7 MENDI SQUARE MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

MENDI SQUARE MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Erection of a base for future memorial on Mendi Square

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.7: Mendi Square Memorial base and surrounding walls, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Mendi Square, Public Open Space, corner Washington and Lerotholi Avenue Langa

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.614′ **Latitude:** E 018° 31.547′

Medium/Material

Concrete block base and low walls. Base covered on mosaic of ceramic tiles and glass with mortar

Date produced/unveiled

2005

Artist/maker responsible

City of Cape Town

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Small mosaic base and low section of walling

The SS Mendi had set sail from Cape Town for La Havre in France on January 16, 1917. She carried the last contingent of the South African Native Labour Corps (SANLC) to support the war effort in Europe. The sinking of the South African troopship SS Mendi occurred on the morning of the 21 February 1917 in the English Channel near the Isle of Wight due to being rammed by another ship the SS Darro. The ship sank within 20 minutes and the occupants of SS Darro did nothing to assist.

On Board the reverend Isaac Wauchope Dyobha reassured the soldiers:

"Be quiet and calm, my countrymen, for what is taking place is exactly what you came to do. You are going to die, but that is what you came to do. Brothers we are drilling the death drill. I, A Xhosa, say you are my brothers. Zulus Swazis, Pondos, Basothos and all others, let us die like warriors. We are the sons of Africa. Raise your war cries my brothers, for they make us leave our assegais back in the kraals, our voices are left with our bodies"

Of the 805 back troops on board, 607 lost their lives along with nine of their fellow white countrymen and all 33 of the crewmen. Among those lost were prominent men such as the Pondoland chiefs Henry Bokleni, Dokada Richard Ndamase, Nxonywa Bangani, Mongameli and the revered Isaac Wauchope Dyobha.

On receiving the news of the disaster (on 9 March 1917) all the members of the South African House of Assembly, led by the prime Minister and former Boer War general Louis Botha, rose in tier seats as a token of respect to those who had gone down with the Mendi.

The Sunday Times has erected another memorial to the Reverend Isaac Wauchope, situated within the University of Cape Town grounds where the former World War One training grounds were..

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- The memorial on Mendi Square will commemorate the death of 607 black South African soldiers on the Flagship SS Mendi which sank in the English Channel on 21 February 1917;
- It is also the site where a scholar, Xolile Mosie was shot and killed by the South African police during the resistance against the government educational policies of the day.

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition some pieces of mosaic have been removed and pieces of glass have been cracked

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair base and walling and more urgently erect a memorial on the base

References used

City of Cape Town, Langa Heritage study

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

2.C.8 GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE ENTRANCE

District A : Table Bay

GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE ENTRANCE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

To commemorate the soldiers from Pinelands who were killed in World War Two

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.8 (a): Garden of Remembrance Entrance, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Garden of Remembrance, Central Square, central Square road, Pinelands

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.340′ **Latitude**: E 018° 29.885′

Medium/Material

Stone, bronze and concrete

Date produced/unveiled

Opened by his Worship the Mayor C.U.R V.A.Hill on the 12th August 1960

Artist/maker responsible

unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Stone archway with bronze plaques on either side

Inscription

/ Garden of Remembrance

This Garden was established by the Pinelands Municipal council in memory of the Pinelanders who fell in the 1939 – 1945 World War

Opened by his Worship the mayor C.U.R V.A.Hill on the 12th August 1960/





Photograph 2.C.8 (b): Garden of Remembrance detail of English plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Photograph 2.C.8 (c): Garden of Remembrance detail of Afrikaans plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the soldiers from Pinelands who were killed in World War Two;
- Local significance to the suburb of Pinelands.

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, there is a stone missing from the left column and the archway needs to be weeded.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace missing stone and remove weed beneath the archway

References used

None

2.C.9 PINELANDS MEMORIAL GARDEN

District A: Table Bay

PINELANDS MEMORIAL GARDEN

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Unknown

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C.9: Pinelands Memorial garden, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Garden of Remembrance, Central Square, Central Square road, Pinelands

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.371′ **Latitude:** E 018° 29.845′

Medium/Material

Square elevated rock garden with trees surrounded by stone walls

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Square stone walling approximately 500mm high filled and with plants growing on top, surrounded by a ring of 4 trees.

Inscription

None at the moment (both plaques are missing)

Cultural significance

Unknown

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, stone wall and garden are fine but both plaques are missing

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaques

References used

none

2.C.10 PINELANDS STONE

District A: Table Bay

PINELANDS STONE

Heritage status

General protection, memorial is older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorate the founding of Pinelands, the first garden suburb in Cape Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C 10: Pinelands Stone, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Garden of Remembrance, Central Square, Central Square Road, Pinelands

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.399′ **Latitude:** E 018° 29.875′

Medium/Material

Granite bases paving stones with inscribed memorial sandstone

Date produced/unveiled

5 May 1923

Unveiled by Lieutenant General, the Right Honourable Jan Christian Smuts

Artist/maker responsible

unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Stone standing upright and inscribed in black

Inscription

/ This stone was laid
on the 5th day of May 1923
by Lt. Gen. The Right Hon.
J.C. Smuts. P.C. - C.H. – D.T.D. – K.C.
To commemorate the founding
of Pinelands
the first garden city to be
established under the trust
formed by the Union Government and Richard Stuttaford
of Cape Town /

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the first garden suburb in cape Town;
- Linkages to the adjacent garden suburbs of Maitland and Langa;
- Linkages to British town planning where the concept of garden suburbs originated;
- Unveiled by prominent South African statesman Lt. Gen. Jan Christian Smuts.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

2.C.11 SOUTHERN FLOE STONE

District A: Table Bay

SOUTHERN FLOE STONE

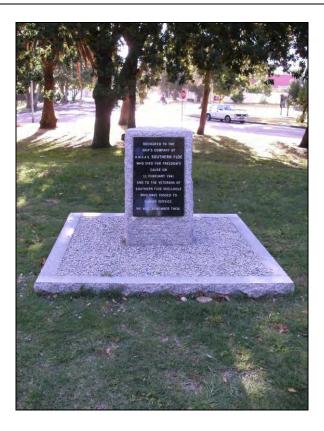
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the crew of the H.M.S.A.S. Southern Floe who died on the 11 February 1941 and to the veterans of Southern Floe shell hole

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C 11: H.M.S.A.S Southern Floe stone, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Garden of Remembrance, Central Square, Central Square road, Pinelands

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.376′ **Latitude:** E 018° 29.814′

Medium/Material

Granite plaque set on granite column on granite base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Granite inscribed entablature set on low granite base

Inscription

/ Dedicated to the
Ships company of the
H.M.S.A.S. Southern Floe
who died for freedom's
cause on the
11 February 1941
And to the veterans of
Southern Floe shellhole
Who have passed to higher service.
We will remember them /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the dead and surviving soldiers of the ship H.M.S.A.S. Southern Floe

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

none

2.C.12 THE MEAD AND THE MEADWAY MEMORIAL

District A: Table Bay

THE MEAD AND THE MEADWAY PINELANDS MEMORIAL

Heritage status

Provincial Heritage Site (formerly National Monument)

Motivation

Commemoration of the Mead and Meadway in Pinelands (Provincial Heritage sites) and the influence of the town planning of Pinelands on subsequent planning and legislation in South Africa.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 2.C 12(a): The Mead and the Meadway plaque, 2008 O'Donoghue

Location

Road reserve in between the Meadway, Pinelands

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 56.487′ **Latitude:** E 018° 29.831′

Medium/Material

Stone base and memorial with bronze plaques

Date produced/unveiled

1982

Artist/maker responsible

National Monuments Council (South African Heritage Resources Agency)

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Sandstone on which three bronze plaques and the National Monument's plaque has been mounted

Inscription

/ The Mead and the Meadoway Pinelands

The mead and the Meadoway were laid out in 1921 and the first house, 3 Meadoway, completed in 1925. This area was part of the uitvlugte forest reserve donated to the Garden Cities Trust shortly after it was formed in 1918 by the honourable Richard Stunaford. The Mead and the Meadoway were developed in accordance to the with the original layout of Pinelands which was prepared in 1919 by Thomson, Hennell and James, architects of London. They were associated with the first two garden cities established in Great Britain, through the efforts of Ebbnezer Howard, a forrunner of contemporary town planning and the originator of the Kent town and garden city concepts. The Pinelands layout plan was the first Town planning scheme prepared in South Africa and formed the basis for South Africa's first and subsequent town planning legislation.

The Mead and the Meadway and their buildings were proclaimed national monuments in 1982 following joint representations Garden Cities, Pinelands ratepayers association and the Municipality of Pinelands.

National Monuments Council 1982 /



Photograph 2.C 12(b): The Mead and the Meadway, detail of plague, 2008 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the town planning layout of a garden suburb;
- Commemorates the influence of this layout on subsequent legislation created in South Africa;
- Linkages to the town planning of Britain.

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, however the plaques are becoming illegible

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean plaques on a regular basis

References used

None

SECTION 3 DISTRICT B BLAAUWBERG

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District B consist of Plaques to JR de Villiers, Heather Bam and to the former Milnerton railway station.

3.1 PLAQUE TO JR DE VILLIERS

District B: Blaauwberg

PLAQUE TO JR DE VILLIERS

Heritage Status

none

motivation

Honour the service of JR de Villiers as the first Mayor of Blaauwberg

Digital Photograph



Photograph 3.1(a): Context of plaque to JR de Villiers, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 3.1(b): Context of plaque to JR de Villiers, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Adjacent to Stadler road and Bokkombaai beach Blaauberg

GPS

Longitude: 33°48.188′ **Latitude**: 018° 27.685′

Medium/Material

Granite base and bronze plaque

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Unknown

Inscription

/ter nagedagtenis aan
in memory of
J R (Tracey) de Villiers
21/08/1919 – 30/09/1995
eerste Burgemeetse
first Mayor of
BLOUBERSTAND/

Cultural significance

• Commemoration of a local politician

Condition of monument/statue

Good

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

3.2 PLAQUE TO HEATHER BAM

District B: Blaauberg

PLAQUE TO HEATHER BAM

Heritage Status

none

Motivation

Commemorate the life of Heather bam who drowned

Digital Photographs



Photograph 3.2(a) (left): Context of plaque to Heather Bam, 2009 O'Donoghue Photograph 3.1(b) (right): Detail of lifebuoy on memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 3.1(c): Detail of plaque on memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Adjacent to Stadler road and Kleinbaai beach Blaauberg

GPS

Longitude: 33°47.969′ **Latitude**: 018° 27.483′

Medium/Material

Wooden cross and life buoy with bronze plaques

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

unknown

Inscription

/IN MEMORY OF HEATHER BAM DROWNED 15 DECEMBER 1911/

/LIFE BUOY

WHEN REQUIRED BREAK THE GLASS AND PRESS THE HANDLE DOWN/

Cultural significance

• Commemorates the death of a woman who died from drowning

Condition of monument/statue

Good

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Not urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Varnish wood

References used

None

3.3 PLAQUE TO FORMER MILNERTON RAILWAY STATION

District B: Blaauwberg

PLAQUE TO FORMER MILNERTON RAILWAY STATION

Heritage status

None

motivation

To commemorate the site of the former Milnerton railway station

Digital Photographs



Photograph 3.3(a): Context of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 3.3(b): Detail of structure, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Between Marine Drive and Union road in vicinity of at Jansen Road Milnerton

GPS

Longitude: 33°53.070′ **Latitude**: 018° 29.484′

Medium/Material

Stone and cement base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Unknown

Inscription

Missing plaque, however a replacement plaque is in the process of being made. The wording of the missing plaque was as follows:

/This is the site of the Milnerton Station which formed part of the private railway which was linked with the state line at Craig's Crossing near Woodstock. This line was opened in 1904 and operated until 1956.

Op hierdie perseel was die Milnerton Stasie gele wat deel uitgemaak het van die private spoorlyn wat by die staat se spoorlyn te Craig's Crossing naby Woodstock aangesluit het. Die spoorlyn is in 1904 geopen en tot 1956 gebruik./



Photograph 3.3(c): Detail of former plaque, date unknown, obtained from Cecelia De Bruyn, City of Cape Town

Cultural significance

Unknown

Condition of monument/statue

Bad

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaque and repair cement surround to plaque

References used

Cecelia de Bruin, City of Cape Town Heritage Resources Section (currently responsible for obtaining new plaque)

SECTION 4 DISTRICT C NORTHERN

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District C consist of the Voortrekker memorial in Durbanville.

4.1 VOORTREKKER MEMORIAL

District C: Northern

VOORTREKKER MEMORIAL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorate the trek undertaken by the descendants of the Voortrekkers on 9 August 1938

Digital Photograph



Photograph 4.1 (a): Voortrekker Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 49.958′ **Latitude**: E 018° 38.820′

Medium/Material

Stone base with bronze plaque

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque situated on top of a stone base, commemorating the Voortrekkers' trek on 9 August 1938. Unknown the history behaving this trek.

Inscription

/ Ossewatrek 9 Aug Voortrekkers 1938 /



Photograph 4.1 (b): Voortrekker Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the role of the Voortrekker and their hardships with a wagon on their travels
- Commemorate an excursion the descendants of the original Voortrekkers' made;
- Commemorate the history of a cultural group within South Africa

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, stones have been defaced by being inscribed and the whole monument needs to be cleaned

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean memorial

References used

None

SECTION 5 DISTRICT D TYGERBERG

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District D are both situated within the grounds of the City of Cape Town Parow Municipal offices in Voortrekker Street and commemorate the former State Security Services and Captain Parow.

5.1 MEMORIAL TO SECURITY FORCES

District D: Tygerberg

WAR MEMORIAL

Heritage Status

none

Motivation

Commemorate the armed and security forces of the Apartheid Government

Digital Photograph



Photograph 5.1 (a): Memorial to Security Forces, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Voortrekker Road, Parow, in front of CCT Municipal offices

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 54.375′ **Latitude**: E 018° 34.875′

Medium/Material

Concrete, stone and granite

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Circular enclosed brick and concrete main structure with steel and wood doors. Within the structure the crests of the security forces during the time of the nationalist government i.e. pre 1994 are positioned on the interior wall.

Inscription

/ HIERDIE STEEN IS GELE DEUR
SY EDELE S.F. KOTZE
ADJUNK MINISTERVAN BINNELEANDSE SAKE
EN VAN GEMEENSKAPSBOU
THIS STONE WAS LAID BY
THE HONOURABLE S.F KOTZE
DEPUTY MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR
AND OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
1979-09-14/



Photograph 5.1(b): Memorial to Security Forces, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

· Commemorates the armed and security forces of the Apartheid Government;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Louise Ing, City of Cape Town, personal communication

5.2 CAPTAIN PAROW MEMORIAL

District D: Tygerberg

CAPTAIN PAROW MEMORIAL

Heritage Status

None? depending on age

Motivation

Commemorate Captain Parow after whom the suburb is named

Digital Photograph



Photograph 5.2: Captain Parow Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Voortekker road, Parow, outside the CCT Municipal offices

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 54.395′ **Latitude**: E 018° 34.852′

Medium/Material

Bronze sculpture and face brick base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Over scaled fully clothed figure on a 1.5 meter base. The figure's right hand is holding a scroll of paper (meaning unknown) and it is clothed in a naval uniform

Inscription

Unknown as plaques are missing

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the person after whom the suburb Parow is named
- Placed at a significant position outside the front entrance to the local government municipal offices and facing the historic main road, Voortrekker Road.

Condition of monument/statue

Statue is in good condition, but the plaques from the front and back of the statue are missing

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaques

References used

Louise Ing, City of Cape Town, personal communication

SECTION 6 DISTRICT E EASTERN

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District E consist of memorials to Ingrid Jonker Dirkie Uys, Jack Clarence and Dirkie Uys in addition to a commemorative plaque on a canon.

6.1 INGRID JONKER MEMORIAL

District E: Eastern

INGRID JONKER 19 September 1933 – 19 July 1965

Heritage status:

none

Motivation

Commemorate the life of Ingrid Jonker

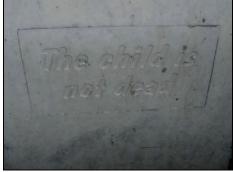
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Photograph 6.1(a): Ingrid Jonker memorial, context, http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

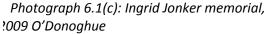


Photograph 6.1(b): Ingrid Jonker memorial, detail, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 6.1(c): Ingrid Jonker memorial, detail 2009 O'Donoghue







Photograph 6.1(d): Ingrid Jonker memorial, detail 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Beach road near intersection of Cilliers Lane, Gordon's Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 09.652′ **Latitude**: E 018° 52.052′

Medium/Material

Steel

Date produced/unveiled

2006

Artist/maker responsible

Tyrone Apollis

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Artist Tyrone Appollis used the image of a tricycle as the concept for the memorial to Ingrid Jonker, inspired by her most enduring poem, The child who was shot dead by soldiers at Nyanga.

FOOTNOTE: Ingrid Jonker was only 19 years old when her first book of poems, "Ontvlugting", was published. Later, she developed into one of the most promising of the younger Afrikaans poets and her works were eventually translated into English, Dutch and German and broadcast overseas. She became the first Afrikaans poet to receive the R2 000 literary grant from A.P.B. The prize was awarded to her for her work "Rook en Oker", and was chosen as the best Afrikaans book produced in 1963. With this, she received an Oppenheimer bursary. She used the money to study modern poetry in Europe. In his inaugural address to Parliament on May 24, 1994, when President Nelson Mandela read "The child who was shot dead by soldiers at Nyanga" in full, he said of Jonker's poem: "... in this glorious vision she instructs that our endeavours must be about the liberation of the woman, the emancipation of the man and the liberty of the child". Of the poet herself, he said: "She was both a poet and a South African. She was both an Afrikaner and an African. She was both an artist and a human being. In the midst of despair, she celebrated hope. Confronted by death, she asserted the beauty of life."

"Die Kind" (The Child) was written in the wake of the 1960 Sharpeville Massacre.

The Child

The child that died at Nyanga

The child is not dead

The child lifts his fist against his mother

Who shouts Africa! Shouts the breath

Of freedom and the veld

In the shanty-towns for the cordoned heart

The child lifts his fist against his father

In the march of the generations

Who are shouting Afrika! Shout the breath

Of righteousness and blood

In the streets of his embattled pride

The child is not dead

Not at Langa nor at Nyanga

Nor at Orlando nor at Sharpeville

Nor at the police station in Philippi

Where he lies with a bullet through his head

The child is the shadow of the soldiers

On guard with their rifles saracens and batons

The child is present at all assemblies and legislation

The child peers through the windows of houses and into the hears of mothers

This child who just longed to play in the sun at Nyanga is everywhere

The child grown into a man treks on through all Africa

The child grown into a giant journeys over the whole world

Carrying no pass

Inscription



Photograph 6.1(e): detail of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

/INGRID JONKER September 19, 1933 – July 19 1965

In 1963 Ingrid Jonker's poem The child who was shot by soldiers in Nyanga was published. Two years later, at the age of 31, she took her own life. Gordon's Bay is where Jonker spent much of her childhood and where she was happiest. Almost 30 years later President Nelson Mandela reminded the country of this poets insight and prescience when he read The child during his inaugural address to South Africa's first democratic parliament on May 24 1994;

"...the child grown to a man treks through Africa
The child grown into a giant journeys through the whole world
Without a pass"

To find out more about this story go to www.sundaytimes.co.za/heritage

BASA (logo) business of art South Africa City of Cape Town (logo)

Artist: Tyrone Appollis/

Cultural significance

• Commemorates the life and work of a South African Woman poet;

Condition of monument/statue

Statue in good condition but the film which covers the plaque is peeling off

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace the protective film on the plaque

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

6.2 GENERAL BOTHA NAUTICAL COLLEGE MONUMENT

District E: Eastern

GENERAL BOTHA NAUTICAL COLLEGE MEMORIAL

Heritage status:

none

motivation

Commemorate the General Botha Nautical College which occupied premises in the Gordon's Bay Harbour environs.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 6.2(a) General Botha Nautical College memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Beach Road Gordon's Bay, adjacent to beach

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 09.618′ **Latitude**: E 018° 52.084′

Medium/Material

Bronze plaque on concrete base

Date produced/unveiled

2008

Artist/maker responsible

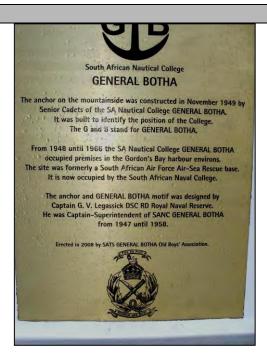
SATS GENERAL BOTHA Old Boys Association

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

The memorial consists of a brass plaque fixed to a low pedestal.

It commemorate the General Botha Nautical College which occupied premises in the Gordon's Bay Harbour environs, which was formerly a SA Air Force rescue base and at present the South African Naval College.

Inscription



Photograph 6.2(b) General Botha Nautical College memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the General Botha Nautical College
- Gives information regarding the past and current uses of the environment
- Gives information regarding the designer of the anchor on the Gordon's Bay mountainside and the General Botha motif (Captain G.V lagassick DSC RD Royal Navy Reserve

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

none

6.3 18th CENTURY CANON

District E: Eastern

18TH CENTURY CANON

Heritage status:

none

motivation

Celebrates the cannon which was used in the 18th century to notify the population of significant events in Table Bay

Digital Photograph



Photograph 6.3(a): 18th Century Canon, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Beach Road Gordon's Bay

GPS

Longitude: \$ 34° 09.615′ Latitude: E 018° 52.085′

Medium/Material

Steel, wood

Date produced/unveiled

Canon from 18th century

Unknown date of position in Gordon's Bay

Artist/maker responsible

Restorers: Jannie du Toit, John O'Donovan, Martin Bester and Diempie Steyn

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Canon situated on a concrete base with a bronze attached to the base



Photograph 6.3(b): 18th Century Canon, 2009 O'Donoghue

/This cannon, dating from the

18th Century gave notice of significant events in Table Bay, now carefully restored and placed in position with the assistance of the following well wishes

Jannie du Toit John O'Donovan Martin Bester Diempie Steyn/

Cultural significance

- Historical and associational significance
- Canon dates from the 18th century and was used to signal significant event in Table Bay, for example the arrival of a ship;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

none

6.4 CLARENCE DRIVE MEMORIALS

District E : Eastern

CLARENCE DRIVE MEMORIALS

Heritage status:

none

Motivation

The older memorial commemorates the man who had the vision for the road and newer memorial commemorates the upgrade of the road

Digital Photograph



Photograph 6.4(a):Clarence Drive Memorials, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 6.4(b):Clarence Drive Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 6.4(c): Clarence Drive Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Clarence Drive, Gordon's Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 12.438′ **Latitude**: E 018° 50.013′

Medium/Material

Sandstone, inscribed granite plaques

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown: older memorial

Upgrading memorial: Mr Gerald Morkel, Premier of the Western Province on 29 May 1988

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Two memorials (stone cairns) with inscribed plaques.

The older memorial commemorates CJV (Jack) Clarence who was instrumental in the creation of the road. The newer memorial commemorates the upgrading of the road between Gordon's Bay and Rooi Els. The upgrade of the road was designed by Jeffares and Green Civic Engineers and the construction was by Grinaker.

Inscription



Photograph 6.4(d):Clarence Drive Memorial, plaque detail 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 6.4(e):Clarence Drive Memorial, plaque detail 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 6.4(f):Clarence Drive Memorial, plaque detail 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the man behind the initial vision and creation of the coastal road between Gordon's Bay and Rooi Els;
- Commemorates the upgrade of the road and the consultants involved.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

6.5 DIRKIE UYS VOORTREKKER MONUMENT

District E: Eastern

VOORTREKKER MONUMENT

Heritage Status

none

motivation

Commemorates Dirkie Uys, a Voortrekker who made a journey in an ox wagon from the Cape Colony into the interior of the country

Digital Photograph



Photograph 6.5(a) Dirkie Uys Voortrekker Monument, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Predikantsplein, Lourens Street Somerset West

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 05.255′ **Latitude**: E 018° 50.814′

Medium/Material

Concrete, sandstone

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Concrete sculpture of an ox wagon on a base of stone, surrounded by a low circular wall of natural sandstones



Photograph 6.5(b) (left) and photograph 6.5(c) (right) details of Dirkie Uys Voortrekker Monument, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

• Commemorates the life of a leader of the Voortrekkers, Dirkie Uys

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, the front of the wagon is broken

Inscriptions into concrete are hard to read

There is a large amount of glass and rubbish around the memorial

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent, fix the statue of the wagon and clean around the memorial

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean regularly

Contact interested representatives within the local Afrikaans community or within the Somerset West Historical Society in the regular cleaning of this memorial

References used

Somerset West Tourism

SECTION 7 DISTRICT F MITCHELLS PLAIN / KHAYALITSHA

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District F consist of the Aids Memorial in Mitchells Plain.

7.1 AIDS MEMORIAL

District F: Mitchells Plain / Khayelitsha

AIDS MEMORIAL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

A memorial in memory of all those who have died of AIDS

Digital Photograph



Photograph 7.1: AIDS Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Corner of Baden Powell Drive and Eisleben road, Mitchells Plain

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 04.224′ **Latitude**: E 018° 37.046′

Medium/Material

Granite and concrete

Date produced/unveiled

Unveiled by Executive Mayor Helen Zille on 1 December 2007

Artist/maker responsible

City of Cape Town Health Department, late Dr Ivan Toms, Soraya Elloker

Ward Councillor: D Christians Urban renewal: Ivan Anthony

City of Cape Town Parks Branch: Roland Williams, Benjamin Solomon, Sylvia Maart

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large dark marble triangular beacon engraved and with the AIDS symbol on it

Inscription



Photographs 7.1(b) (left) and 7.1(c) (right)AIDS Memorial, detail of text, 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the people who have lost their lives as a result of AIDS
- Highlights the loss of people from thee pandemic.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, however small amounts of mortar are missing at the corners of the triangle

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Not urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Check that memorial is maintained

References used

None

SECTION 8 DISTRICT G

KLIPFONTEIN FALSE BAY

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District G consist of memorials to Robert Waterwich and Coline Williams, the Trogan Horse and the Guguletu 7. All the above are memorial realised by the City of Cape Town since 2003.

8.1 ROBERT WATERWITCH AND COLINE WILLIAMS MEMORIAL

District G: Klipfontein / False Bay

ROBERT WATERWITCH AND COLINE WILLIAMS MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the service and lives of Colleen Williams and Robert Waterwich to the liberation struggle against the Apartheid Government

Digital Photograph



Photograph 8.1(a): Position of former Robert Waterwitch And Coline Williams Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 8.1(b): Robert Waterwitch And Coline Williams Memorial, detail of plaque on ablution block wall, 2008 O'Donoghue

Location

Old Klipfontein road, Athlone adjacent to the public toilets and opposite the Magistrates Court, Athlone

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 57.674′ **Latitude**: E 018° 30.358′

Medium/Material

Bronze sculpture and bronze plaque

Date produced/unveiled

16 December 2005 by the Mayor of Cape Town, Alderman Nomaindia Mfeketo

Artist/maker responsible

Egon Tania and Guy de Toit

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque situated on the side of the public toilets and at the time of the study the sculpture was missing. It was stolen for its value as scrap metal, and found in pieces at a scrap metal yard. The City of Cape Town has plans to replace the sculpture.

才HE ROBBIE WATERWITCH AND COLINE WILLIAMS MEMORIAL

This memorial is dedicated to the memory of Robert Waterwitch and Coline Williams who were political activists committed to the struggle for democracy.

On The night of 23 July 1989, their disfigured bodies were found behind these public toilets, after a limpet mine had detonated.

Coline and Robert were members of the Ashley Kriel Detachment of Umkhonto weSizwe (MK), which was heavily targeted by the National Intelligence Service, security police and military intelligence.

Robbie and Coline were also deeply involved in youth structures and other mass democratic movement organisations in the Athlone and Bonteheuwel areas. Coline had, in fact, been detained as a political prisoner for 11 months between 1986 and 1987.

The limpet mine that detonated was one of several MK attacks planned for that night as part of an anti-election bombing campaign. Mines exploded at a police station in Mitchell's Plain and at the Somerset West Magistrates Court. Security forces intervened at the Bellville Magistrates Courts. The fourth mine intended for the Athlone Magistrates Court, detonated behind the public toilets. Initial impressions and reports from police suggested that the operation had gone wrong. However, a number of questions remain unanswered concerning the circumstances of Robbie and Coline's deaths.

A large body of evidence uncovered by the Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) and other classified and declassified state documents revealed that the apartheid government and its agencies committed gross human rights violations in its attempts to crush the mass uprising.

Among the findings presented by the TRC in its final report is that the apartheid state's "total onslaught" policy included imprisonment, torture, abduction, assassination and infiltration of political organisations to achieve its policy goals.

The investigations into the deaths of Robbie and Coline revealed that both activists, together with the rest of the Ashley Kriel MK detachment, had been targeted by the apartheid state.

The most notable questions surrounding the deaths of Robert Waterwitch and Coline Williams remain whether the limpet mine used in their fateful mission had been tampered with, whether they had been tortured before they died and whether any entity or individual should be held directly or indirectly responsible for their deaths.

Their untimely deaths, on the eve of the negotiations that later gave way to democracy in South Africa, robbed this country of two dedicated individuals, who could certainly have made a significant contribution to the development of the new South Africa.

Though we may forgive, let us never forget.

THIS MEMORIAL WAS UNVEILED BY THE EXECUTIVE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CAPE TOWN
ALDERMAN NOMAINDIA MFEKETO
ON 16 DECEMBER 2005



Cultural significance

- Commemorates the service and lives of ANC cadres to the liberation struggle
- It is one of the first post 1994 memorials that commemorate deceased members of the Africa National Congress (ANC);
- Placed very close to the position where their bodies were found;
- Positioned in the suburb in which they lived.

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None, the statue will be remade and fixed in same position

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Check regularly that the plaque and statue are in place

References used

City of Cape Town, Basil Tommy, personal communication

8.2 TROJAN HORSE MEMORIAL

District G: Klipfontein / False Bay

TROJAN HORSE MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

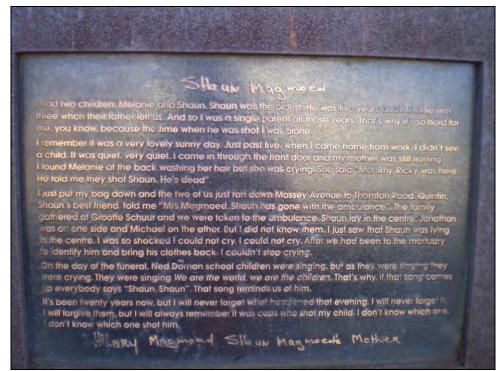
Motivation

Commemorate the lives of Michael Miranda (age 11 years), Shaun Magmoed (age 16 years) and Jonathan Claasen who were killed by the South African security forces on the 15th October 1985

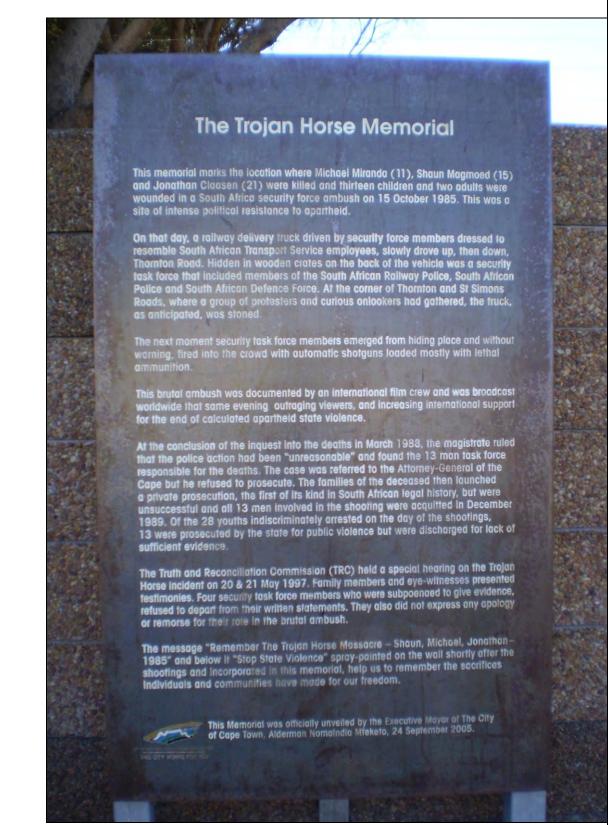
Digital Photograph



Photograph 8.2(a): Trojan Horse Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 8.2(b): Trojan Horse Memorial detail of plaque to Shawn Magmoed, 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 8.2(b): Trojan Horse Memoria detail of plaque, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Thornton road, Athlone near intersection of St Simon's Road

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 57.674′ **Latitude**: E 018° 30.358′

Medium/Material

Steel, existing vibracrete wall and bronze plaques

Date produced/unveiled

24 September 2006 by Premier Rassool, Premier of the Western Cape

Artist/maker responsible

Human Rights Media Centre & ACG Architects

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large structure that is placed along the pedestrians' sidewalk. It has used the natural surrounding by leaving places of the sculpture open so that one can see the graffiti which speaks about the Trojan horse incident. There are three small plaques as well as one large plaque. This memorial is to commemorate the 3 lives that were taken and the many people that were injured on Tuesday afternoon on the 15th October 1985. The people that were killed were Michael Miranda (age 11 years), Shaun Magmoed (age 16 years) and Jonathan Claasen (age 21 years). This violence was as a result of the actions of w few policemen who shot blindly at the street. The policemen were hiding beneath crates to disguise their presence and when stones were thrown at the truck without the throwers being aware of who was in the truck, under the crates the police opened fire on the street. The site of the memorial is important as it is close to the place where the actual shootings occurred.

The Trojan Horse Memorial

This memorial marks the location where Michael Miranda (11) Shaun Magmoed (15) and Jonathan Claasen (21) were killed and thirteen children and two adults were wounded in a South African security force ambush on 15 October 1985 This was a site of intense political resistance to apartheid.

On that day, a railway delivery truck driven by security force members dressed to resemble South African Transport Service employees slowly drove up, then down Thornton Road. Hidden in wooden crates in the back of the vehicle was a security task force that included South African Railway Police, South African Police and South African Defence Force. At the corner of Thornton and St Simons Roads, where a group of protesters and curious onlookers had gathered, the truck was stoned.

The next moment security task force members emerged from hiding and without warning, fired into the crowd with automatic shotguns loaded mostly with lethal ammunition.

This brutal ambush was documented by an international film crew and was broadcast worldwide that same evening, outraging viewers, and increasing international support to end of calculated apartheid state violence.

At the conclusion of the inquest into the deaths in March 1988, the magistrate ruled that the police action had been "unreasonable" and found the 13 man task force responsible for the deaths. The case was referred to the Attorney-General of the Cape but he refused to prosecute them. The families of the deceased then launched a private prosecution, the first of its kind in South African legal history, but were unsuccessful and all 13 men involved in the shooting were acquitted in December 1989. Of the twenty 28 youths indiscriminately arrested on the day of the shootings, 13 were prosecuted by the state for public violence but were discharged for lack of sufficient evidence.

The Truth and Reconciliation Commission (TRC) held a special hearing on the Trojan Horse incident on 20 & 21 May 1997. Family and eye-witnesses presented testimonies. Four security task force members who were subpoenaed to give evidence, refused to depart from their written statements. They also did not express any apology or remorse for their role in the brutal ambush.

The messages "Remember The Trojan Horse Massacre - Shaun, Michael, Jonathan – 1985" and below it "Stop State Violence" spray-painted on the wall shortly after the shootings and incorporated in this memorial help us to remember the sacrifices individuals and communities have made for our freedom.

This Memorial was officially unveiled by the Executive Mayor of The City of Cape Town, Alderman Nomaindia Mfcketo, 24 September 2005.

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the of innocent children and an adult who were shot and killed by the Apartheid Government's security forces;
- It is one of the first post 1994 memorials that commemorates the death of innocent victims in the liberation struggle;
- Placed very close to the position where the actual event occurred;

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, there tippex on two columns as well as lots of weeds in the paving

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Remove tippex, repaint columns, weed the area and fix the plaque

References used

City of Cape Town, Basil Tommy, personal communication

8.3 GUGULETHU 7 MEMORIAL

District G: Klipfontein / False Bay

GUGULETHU 7 MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the lives of 7 men that were shot and killed by the Apartheid Government security forces on the $15^{\rm th}$ October 1985

Digital Photograph



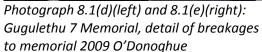
Photograph 8.1(a): Gugulethu 7 Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 8.1(b) (left) and 8.1(c) (right):Gugulethu 7 Memorial, detail of breakages to memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue









Location

Corner of NY 1 and NY 121 Gugulethu

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 58.044′ **Latitude**: E 018° 34.073′

Medium/Material

Concrete, granite and bronze

Date produced/unveiled

21 March 2005

Artist/maker responsible

Donovan Ward and Paul Hendricks

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

The memorial is very large and is composed of seven free standing pieces of concrete covered in marble with figures doing different actions 'cut out' from the pieces of granite. The memorial is placed in Gugulethu to commemorate the deaths of seven young men who were killed in a police ambush.

Inscription

/On March 1986, near this place seven young men were shot and killed in a police ambush. Trained and armed by a former MK operative turned security force agent, the group of activists was travelling on a mini bus on NY1. Witnesses said one of the men was shot while trying to surrender, another while he lay injured on the road. 30 000 people attended the burial of the Gugulethu 7 at which the display of placards was banned by the government. An inquest found the police were not culpable, but later two former policemen applied to the TRC for amnesty of the killing. "Though we may forgive, let us never forget. The memory of the Gugulethu 7 live on in the fight for human rights"/

Each of the seven granite entablatures has a brass plaque dedicated to each of the seven victims. Certain of these plaques have been removed.

Note: Information on these plaques has not been found and requires further searching.

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the death of young men set up in an ambush by the apartheid government's security forces;
- It is one of the first post 1994 memorials that commemorates the death of black people in the liberation struggle;
- Placed in the area where the actual event occurred in low income area;
- Educates the citizens of South Africa of the brutal activities of the Apartheid Government;

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition. All the lights are broken, the cement is cracked on the far left hand side, the plaque which has an inscription of a face is missing from the far right figure and the plaque from the second to the right figure is bent. The granite from the far right figure is damaged and nearly coming off completely. Tippix has been used to deface the monument.

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace and fix lights, granite and plaque

References used

City of Cape Town, Basil Tommy, personal communication

SECTION 9 DISTRICT H SOUTHERN

INTRODUCTION

The public memorials within District H consist of memorials within Simon's Town, Hout Bay, Kalk Bay, Wynberg, Constantia and Fish Hoek. The active heritage and historical association's within Simon's Town and Hout Bay and Llandudno contribute to the public memorials in their community

9.1 SAS SOMERSET SPARE PROPELLER

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

SAS SOMERSET SPARE PROPELLER

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the vessel SAS Somerset

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.1: SAS Somerset Spare Propeller 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, St. George's Street Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34 ° 11.578′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.979′

Medium/Material

Steel

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large propeller mounted onto a wall to commemorate the SAS Somerset vessel.

Inscription

/ SAS SOMERSET SPARE PROPELLER

This is the spare propeller of the SAS Somerset, a Boom defence Vessel currently berthed in the V & A Waterfront. She was launched in the UK in 1941 and shortly thereafter set sail for South Africa.

Her many duties included salvage work, laying undersea pipeline and replacing translucent telephone cables. She was decommissioned in 1986 and handed over to the SA Maritime Museum in 1988.

The SAS Somerset had a compliment of one officer and 37 men. The ships overall length is 59 metres with a load displacement of 960 tons. Power is supplied by one main engine generating 850 horse power capable of propelling the ship at 11 knots.

The commanding officer 1946 to 1955, Lt J.C. Walters, later became Chief of the South African Navy /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the SAS Somerset vessel

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.2 PLAQUE OF IMPORTANT DATES IN SIMON'S TOWN HISTORY

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

IMPORTANT DATES IN SIMONS TOWN HISTORY

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the important occurrences in Simon's Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.2: Important Dates in Simon's Town History 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, St. George's Street Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.586′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.982′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque situated on pillar in Jubilee square. It holds important dates of Simons Town's history

Inscription

Inscribed with events from 1687 to 1996 (see photograph 9.2)

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the important events in Simon's Town
- Accessible interpretive signage

Condition of monument/statue

Plaque is in good condition, but the light above it is missing its cover

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace light shield

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.3 JUST NUISANCE SCULPTURE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

JUST NUISANCE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Honour the dog that was well known in the SA Royal Navy and in Simon's Town during World War Two

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.3(a): Just Nuisance Sculpture 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 9.3(b): 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.581′ Latitude: E 018° 25.991′

Medium/Material

Rock base with bronze statue

Date produced/unveiled

12July 1985

Artist/maker responsible

Jean Doyle (1984)

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Statue of a life sized Great Dane. He was a prominent mascot of the Royal Navy and of the Cape after being a friend of the sailors for many years.

Inscription

/Able Seaman JUST NUISANCE

1 April 1937 – 1 April 1944

Loyal friend and companion of the sailors who called at this port during World War II. Remembered with affection/

Cultural significance

The only dog to be made an 'Able Seaman'

Condition of monument/statue

The statue is in good condition, but the plaque is damaged

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaque

References used

Simons Town Museum 'Just Nuisance' pamphlet

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.4 QUEEN VICTORIA FOUNTAIN

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

QUEEN VICTORIA FOUNTAIN

Heritage status

General protection, older than 60 years

Motivation

Commemorates the reign of Queen Victoria

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.4: Queen Victoria Fountain 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square. It was originally erected opposite the Mast house, St George's street, Simon's Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.581′ Latitude: E 018° 25.999′

Medium/Material

Metal and concrete

Date produced/unveiled

1897. Mounted in 1899 and moved to Jubilee Square in 1930

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Black coloured fountain which lets water spray out of lions mouths into a broad bowl. Hooks which

were used to tether horses are still there so is a single lamp which is elevated above the whole fountain.

Inscription

/ Queen Victoria Memorial 1897 /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the Jubilee of the British monarch Queen Victoria (1897) Signifies the close links between South Africa and England during this time

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.5 BOTHA SHIP MEMORIAL PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

BOTHA SHIP MEMORIAL PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the training ship, General Botha

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.5: Botha Ship Memorial Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, St George's Street, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.580′ **Latitude**: E 018° 26.001′

Medium/Material

Concrete base with bronze plaque

Date produced/unveiled

1987

Artist/maker responsible

SATS General Botha Old Boys Association

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Elevated bronze plaque flanked by two canons on either side. To commemorate the South African training ship "General Botha"

Inscription

/ South African Training Ship "General Botha"

Honour and Duty

The 4050 Ton Royal Navy cruiser HMS Thames was built in 1886 and donated to South Africa by Mr T. B. F. Davis in 1922 for the training of cadets for careers at sea.

The ship renamed SATS General Botha trained 1276 cadets whilst moored here in Simon's Bay between 1922 and 1942.

Since 1942 cadet training continued at various shore establishments

Erected by the SATS General Botha Old Boys Association 1986 /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the ship General Botha and the services it made during its operation period

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.6 PLAQUE COMMEMORATING THE DEATHS OF THE GERMAN NAVY SAILING TEAM IN 1997

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

PLAQUE COMMEMORATING THE DEATHS OF THE GERMAN NAVY SAILING TEAM IN 1997

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Honour the German Navy sailing team who died in an airplane crash in 1997 while travelling to a sailing regatta in the Cape.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.6: Plaque Commemorating the Deaths of The German Navy Sailing Team In 1997, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, St George's Street Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.580′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.992′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Bronze plaque erected in memory of members of the German Navy Sailing team who died en route to Simon's Town whilst flying over the Atlantic Ocean off Namibia

/ IN MEMORIAM

ON THE 13 SEPTEMBER 1997 THE MEMBERS OF THE GERMAN NAVY SAILING TEAM LOST THEIR LIVES IN AN AIR ACCIDENT OVER THE ATLANTIC OCEAN OFF NAMIBIA. THEY WERE EN ROUTE TO CAPE TOWN TO TAKE PART IN THE DENEL INTER-NAVIES SAILING REGATTA IN SIMON'S TOWN WHICH WAS PART OF THE 76TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN NAVY. AIRCRAFT OF THE GERMAN AIR FORCE AND THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE WERE INVOLVED. THIS MEMORIAL IS ERECTED IN HONOUR OF ALL VICTIMS OF THAT TRAGIC ACCIDENT /

Also included are 12 names of the German Navy Sailing team, 12 names of the German Air Force and 9 names of the United States Air Force as well as a section of the poem "One Transport Lost" by Roy Campbell.

Cultural significance

Commemorates those who lost their lives on route to Simon's Town Interpretive signage giving information regarding an event connected to Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.7 BLUBBER POT (WHALING TRY POT)

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

BLUBBER POT (WHALING TRY POT)

Heritage status

General Protection, over 60 years

Motivation

Historic object from the whaling trade

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.7(a:) Blubber Pot, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.596′ **Latitude**: E 018° 26.016′

Medium/Material

Cast iron pot with temporary laminated paper plaque

Date produced/unveiled

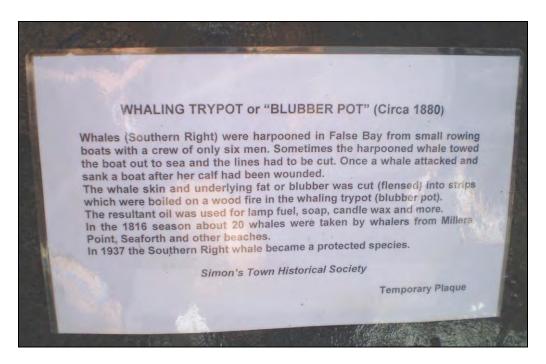
Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large blubber pot which is now filled with soil and flowers.



Photograph 9.7(b): 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

• Commemorates an object associated with the previous activity of harpooning whales;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, but temporary plaque is laminated paper and will wear badly in time. However one assumes a new, durable plaque will be fitted by the Simon's Town Historical Society

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.8 ANCHOR

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

ANCHOR

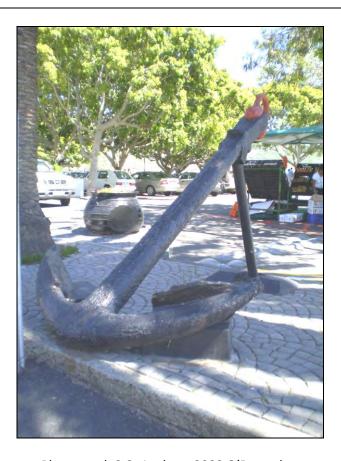
Heritage status

General Protection, older than 60 years

Motivation

Display a historic anchor, from a sailing ship, that was found in Simon's Bay

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.8: Anchor,: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, St George's Street Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.600′ Latitude: E 018° 28.019′

Medium/Material

Metal

Date produced/unveiled

1990

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large genuine anchor positioned with a plaque to display when and where it was found

/ ANCHOR

Found on the seabed of Simon's Bay while preparing the foundation for the PW Botha Tidal Basin. Donated to Simon's Town by the contractors Messers Candac LTD 1978

Simons Town Historical Society 1990 /

Cultural significance

Historic object found in Simon's Town harbour

Display of historic object with interpretive signage

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, but plaque is dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean plaque periodically

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.9 PLAQUE COMMEMORATING ORGANISATIONS

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

PLAQUE COMMEMORATING ORGANISATIONS

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorating the planting of eleven Palm trees and the organisations involved

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.9: Plaque Commemorating Organisations 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.596′ **Latitude**: E 018° 26.007′

Medium/Material

Copper

Date produced/unveiled

1973

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Square plaque on Jubilee Square to commemorate the organisations who took part in the original ceremony of planting 11 palm trees and renaming this square in 1935

/ ON THE 6TH OF MAY 1935 ELEVEN PALM TREES
WERE PLANTED IN THIS SQUARE WHICH
AT THE SAME TIME
WAS NAMED JUBILEE SQUARE
IN HONOUR OF KING GEORGE V.
THE NAME PLATES OF THE PARTICIPANTS
HAVE SINCE DISAPPEARED AND THIS
PLAQUE STANDS TO RECORD THE
ORGANISATIONS WHO TOOK PART
IN THE ORIGINAL CEREMONY.

THE SECONDARY SCHOOL THE RC MISSION SCHOOL THE BOYS MISSION SCHOOL THE ARSENAL ROAD SCHOOL

THE GIRLS SCHOOL OF INDUSTRY
THE NATIVE SCHOOL
THE F.C MISSION SCHOOL
GLENCAIRN
THE NATIVE SCHOOL
THE MOSLEM SCHOOL
S.A.T.S GENERAL BOTHA

THE URSULINE CONVENT THE TOWN COUNCIL

Simon's Town Historical Society 3 MAY 1973

Cultural significance

Commemorates the organisations involved in the planting of trees Commemorates the planting of trees

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, plaque is dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean plaque

References used

9.10 SIMON'S TOWN MUNICIPALITY PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

SIMONS TOWN MUNICIPALITY PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the establishment of the First Battalion Cape Corps in Simon's Town - October December 1915

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.10: Simons Town Municipality Plague 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.596′ Latitude: E 018° 26.007′

Medium/Material

Metal

Date produced/unveiled

3 November 1973 by Gordon Wilson, the Mayor Councillor

Artist/maker responsible

Gordon Wilson

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Rectangular plaque with brown inscriptions and commemorates the establishment of the first battalion Cape Corps in Simon's Town October to December 1915

In English and Afrikaans

/ SIMON'S TOWN MUNICIPALITY
THIS PLAQUE COMMEMORATES THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE FIRST BATTALION CAPE CORPS IN
SIMON'S TOWN OCTOBER TO DECEMBER 1915

UNVEILED BY HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR COUNCILLOR GORDON WILSON 3 NOVEMBER 1973/

Cultural significance

Commemorates the establishment of the first Cape Corps

Commemorates a section of the army that was to disadvantages section of the community

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.11 TWINS SCULPTURE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

TWINS SCULPTURE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Positioning of a sculpture that was cast by the Bronze Age Foundry in Simon's Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.11: Twins Sculpture 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square St George's Street, Simon's Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.601′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.994′

Medium/Material

Date produced/unveiled

Artist/maker responsible

Speelman Makwa Mahlangu

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Two interlocking carved figures.

Sculpture cast in the local bronze foundry

Originally meant to be a series of sculptures exhibited, but this one has become permanent

Inscription

/ Speelam Makwa Mahlangu

(1958 - 2004)

Twins, edition of 3

Available from: www.34long.com and Bronze Age Art Foundry

King George Way, Simon's Town 021 - 786 1816 /

Cultural significance

Public sculpture that was cast in Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.12 SIMON'S TOWN CENTENARY PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

SIMON'S TOWN CENTENARY PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Plaque commemorating the celebration of Simon's Town centenary

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.12: Simon's Town Centenary Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square St. George's Street, Simon's town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.593′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.985′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

28 February 1983

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Rectangular metal plaque commemorating the Simon's Town municipality in 1983

/ HERE SIMON'S TOWN CELEBRATED ITS CENTENARY AS A MUNICIPALITY

THE COUNCIL

MAYOR: COUNCILLOR L.H.M. DILLEY

DEPUTY MAYOR: COUNCILLOR CAPTAIN R.A. GREEN

COUNCILLORS: R.C.H JUTER

G.J WILSON J.A. PRESTON

CAPTAIN T.F. SHENFIELD MRS N HOLDERNESS MRS P.E. VAN ECK

28 FEBRUARY 1983 /

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage which identified an historic event in the town, sign accessible to public

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, but plaque is dirty and scratched

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean plaque

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.13 VRYSTAAT (FREE STATE) ANCHOR

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

VRYSTAAT (FREE STATE) ANCHOR

Heritage status

General Protection, older than 60 years

Motivation

Historic anchor exhibited

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.13: Vrystaat (Free State) Anchor 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Jubilee Square St. George's Street, Simon's Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.603′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.967′

Medium/Material

Metal

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large free standing genuine anchor

Inscription

/Vrystaat Anchor/

Cultural significance

Exhibition of historic anchor

Commemorates the close link of Simon's Town to ships

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.14 FORCED REMOVALS MEMORIAL

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

FORCED REMOVALS MEMORIAL

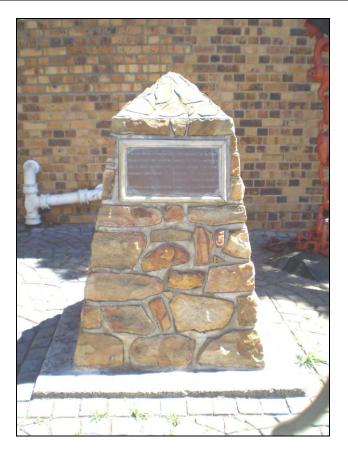
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the forced removal of a section of the Simon's Town community due to legislation at the time of removal

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.14(a): Forced Removals Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street just before Jubilee Square, Simon's Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.603′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.967′

Medium/Material

Sandstone and bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Stone structure to commemorate the people who were forcibly removed from Simons Town and relocated in the apartheid era.

Inscription



Photograph 9.14 (b): detail of plaque

Plaque inscription in English and Afrikaans

/TO THE MEMORY OF THE GENERATIONS

OF OUR FELLOW CITIZENS WHO DWELT

HERE IN PEACE AND HARMONY UNTIL

REMOVED BY EDICT ON 1937

Cultural significance

Commemorates the forced removal of the Black and Coloured residents of Simon's Town

ERECTED BY YOUR FELLOW CITIZENS/

• Placed in a central strategic position thus allowing maximum viewing opportunities.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

9.15 6 – POUNDER HOTCHKISS DUAL PURPOSE GUN

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

6 - POUNDER HOTCHKISS DUAL PURPOSE GUN

Heritage status

General protection, older than 60 years

Motivation

Exhibition of historic war object

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.15: 6 – Pounder Hotchkiss Dual Purpose Gun 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Main road, sea side, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.600′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.957′

Medium/Material

Genuine gun in concrete base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large gun that was used on a variety of ships during WW2

/ 6 – POUNDER HOTCHKISS DUAL PURPOSE GUN

This type of gun was the main armament of five South African Naval Forces' ships during World War 2. The anti-submarine vessels HMSAS RONDEVLEI and HMSAS SMALVLEI was as well as the minesweepers HMSAS SOETVLEI, HMSAS BRAKVLEI and HMSAS HECTOR were all thus equipped This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Exhibition of historic war object

Interpretive signage on the relationship of this object to navy vessels previously berthed at Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Gun is rusting in places and the paint on the base is chipping

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Deal with the rust and repaint base and possibly statue as well.

References used

9.16 ALABAMA PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

ALABAMA PLAQUE

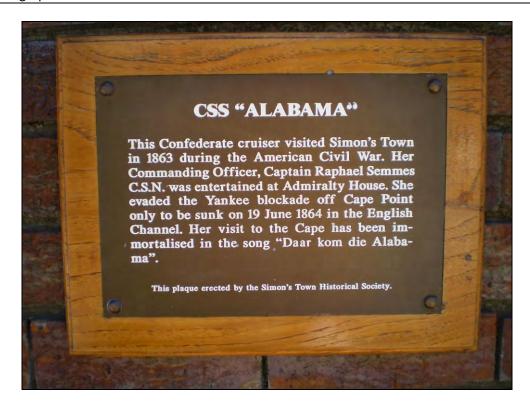
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Interpretive signage on a historic ship visiting Simon's Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.16: Alabama Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street mounted on dockyard wall, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.592′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.898′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockyard wall commemorating the ship the ALABAMA

/ CSS "ALABAMA"

This confederate cruiser visited Simon's Town in 1863 during the American Civil War. Her Commanding Officer, Captain Raphael Semmes C.S.N. was entertained at Admiralty House. She evaded the Yankee blockade off Cape Point only to be sunk on the 19 June 1864 in the English Channel. Her visit to the Cape has been immortalised in the song "Daar kom die Alabama"

This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage on a historic ship visiting Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.17 RUDYARD KIPLING PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

RUDYARD KIPLING PLAQUE

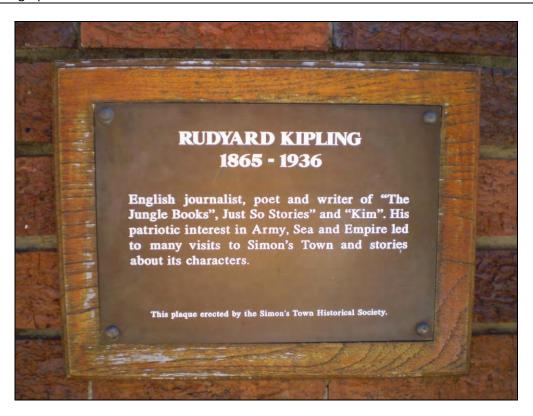
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the poet and writer R Kipling who visited Simon's Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.17: Rudyard Kipling Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street, mounted on dockyard wall, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.587′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.892′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockyard wall commemorating the visit of Rudyard Kipling

/ RUDYARD KIPLING

1865 - 1936

English journalist, poet and writer of "The Jungle Books", "Just So Stories" and "Kim". His patriotic interest in army, sea and empire led to many visits to Simon's Town and stories about its character

This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the poet and author R Kipling who visited Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Plaque is on good condition, but frame needs to be varnished

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Varnish frame

References used

9.18 VICE ADMIRAL LORD HORATION NELSON PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

VICE ADMIRAL LORD HORATIO NELSON PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the Vice Admiral Lord Nelson and his visit to Simon's Town

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.18: Vice Admiral Lord Horatio Nelson Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street, mounted on dockyard wall, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.587′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.891′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plague mounted onto dockyard wall commemorating the visit of Vice Admiral Lord Horatio Nelson

/ VICE ADMIRAL LORD HORATIO NELSON

On the 21 may 1776 Horatio Nelson, then a midshipman being invalided back to England from the East Indies, arrived in Simon's Bay aboard the H.M.S. Dolphin. The ship remained here for a month and it is possible that Nelson did come ashore during this period.

This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Commemorates Vice Admiral Lord Nelson and his visit to Simon's Town Interpretive signage for public viewing

Condition of monument/statue

Plaque is on good condition, but frame needs to be varnished

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Varnish frame

References used

9.19 THE SLIPWAY PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

THE SLIPWAY PLAQUE

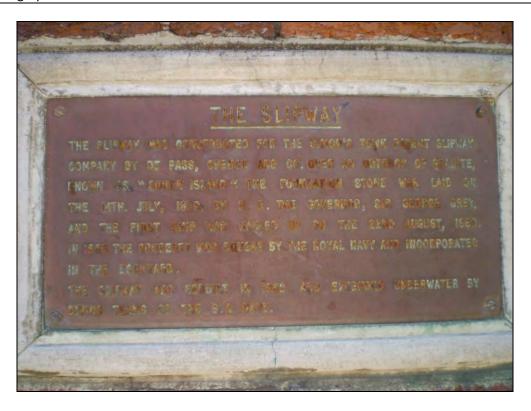
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the Slipway

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.19: The Slipway Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street, mounted onto the dockyard wall, Simon's Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.580′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.882′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto the dockyard wall commemorating the original slipway

/ THE SLIPWAY

THE SLIPWAY WAS CONSTRUCTED FOR THE SIMON'S TOWN PATENT SLIPWAY COMPANY BY DE PASS, SPENCE AND CO. OVER AN OUTCROP OF GRANITE, KNOWN AS "SOBER ISLAND". THE FOUNDATION STONE WAS LAID ON THE 14^{TH} JULY 1859, BY H.E. THE GOVERNOR, SIR GEORGE GREY, AND THE FIRST SHIP TO BE HAULED UP WAS ON THE 22^{ND} AUGUST 1860. IN 1865 THE PROPERTY WAS BOUGHT BY THE ROYAL NAVY AND INCORPORATED IN THE BACKYARD. THE SLIPWAY WAS REBUILT IN 1962 AND EXTENDED UNDERWATER BY DIVING TEAMS OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN NAVY/

Cultural significance

Commemorates the history of the slipway

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, text is rusting and the whole plaque needs to be cleaned

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Sort out the rust and clean plaque

References used

9.20 HOOF POORT WESWERF (WEST DOCK YARD GATES) PLAQUE

DISTRICT H: SOUTHERN (EXCLUDING FALSE BAY)

HOOF POORT, WESWERF (WEST DOCK YARD GATES)PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the Hoof Poort Weswerf (West Dockyard Gates)

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.20: Hoof Poort Weswerf (West Dockyard Gates) Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street, attached to dockyard wall, Simon's Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.587′ Latitude: E 018° 25.870′ Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockyard wall commemorating 'die hoofpoort' (west dockyard gates)

/HOOFPOORT/ WESWERF

DIE POORT IS OM REDE DIE PADVERBREDIN IN 1966 HIERHEEN VERSKUIF. DIE HEKKE VAN DIE INGANG IS IN 1863 DEUR MR. CHARLES HENRY ALGAR IN DIE SKEEPSWERF GESMEE EN DIE VAN UITGANG DEUR MNR. C.RANDAL IN 1966 /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the Hoof Poort Weswerf

Condition of monument/statue

Plaque is rusting and is dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean plaque and remove rust

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.21 DIE SKEEPSWERF POORT (EAST DOCKYARD GATES) PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

DIE SKEEPSWERF POORT (EAST DOCKYARD GATES) PLAQUE

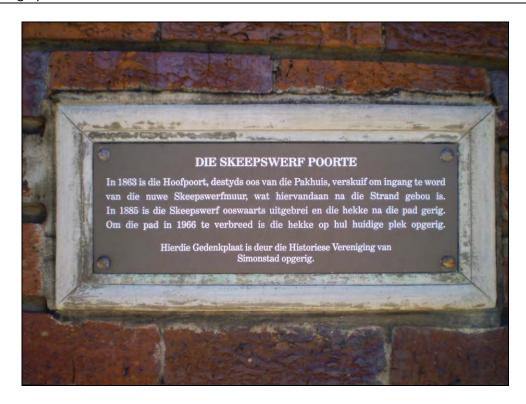
Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates the Skeepswerf Poort (East dockyard gates)

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.21: Die Skeepswerf Poort (East Dockyard Gates)Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street, attached to Navy wall, Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.585′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.819′

Medium/Material
Bronzed aluminium

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockland wall commemorating East Dockyard Gates

/ DIE SKEEPSWERF POORT

IN 1863 IN DIE HOOFOORT, DESTYDS OOS VAN DIE PAKHUIS, VERSKUIF OM INGANG TE WORD VAN DIE NUWE SKEEPSWERFMUUR WAT HIERVANDAAN NA DIE STRAND GEBOU IS. IN 1885 IS DIE SKEEPSWERF OOSWARTS UITGEBREI EN DIE HEKKE NA DIE PAD GERIG. OM DIE PAD IN 1966 TE VERBREED IS DIE HOKKE OP HUL HUIDIGE PLEK OPGERIG.

HIERDIE GEDENKPLAAT IS DEUR DIE HISTORISSE VERENIGING VAN SIMONSTAD OPGERIG /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the East Dockyard gates in Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.22 THE WATERING PLACE PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

THE WATERING PLACE PLAQUE

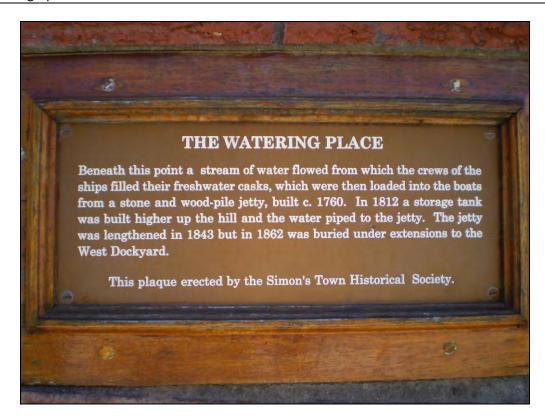
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the watering place used by the ships in the 18th century

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.22: The Watering Place Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St. George's Street Simons Town, mounted on dockyard wall

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.581′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.768′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockyard wall commemorating the watering place

/ THE WATERING PLACE

Beneath this point a stream of water flowed from which the crews of the ships filled their freshwater casks, which were then loaded into the boats from a stone and wood-pile jetty, built c. 1760. In 1812 a storage tank was built higher up the hill and the water piped to the jetty.

The jetty was lengthened in 1843 but in 1862 was buried under extensions to the West Dockyard

This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the watering place

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, but wooden frame is very dry

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Varnish wooden frame

References used

9.23 DIE PAKHUIS (STORE) PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

DIE PAKHUIS (STORE) PLAQUE

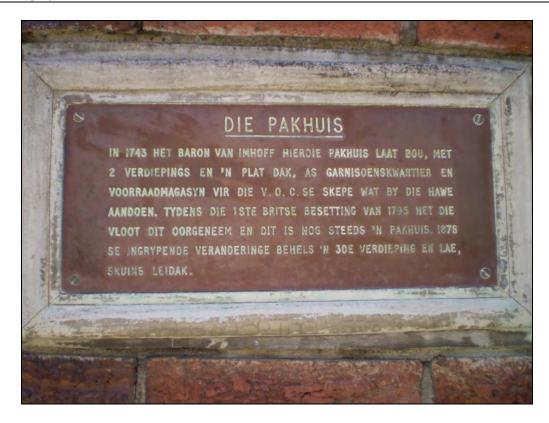
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the building used as a store for the Dutch and later the English

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.23: The Pakhuis (store) Plague 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St George's Street Simons Town, mounted onto dockyard wall

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.560′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.723′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockyard wall commemorating the place of the former store built by the Dutchman Baron von Imhoff for the Dutch East India Company

/ DIE PAKHUIS

IN 1743 HET BARON VON IMHOFF HIERDIE PAKHUIS LAAT BOU, MET 2 VERDIEPINGS EN N PLAT DAK, AS GARNISOENSKWARTIER EN VOORRAADMAGSYN VIR DIE V.O.C. SE SKEPE WAT BY DIE HAWE AANDOEN. TYDENS DIE 1STE BRITSE BESETTING VAN 1795 HET DIE VLOOT DIT ORGENEEM EN DIT IS NOG STEEDS N PAKHUIS, 1878 SE INGRYPENDE VERANDERING BEHELS 'N 3DE VERDIEPING EN LAE, SKUINS LEIDAK /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the historic building and its use

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.24 TERRAIN VAN DIE KOMPANJIESTAL (PLACE OF THE COMPANY'S STABLE) PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

TERRAIN VAN DIE KOMPANJIESTAL (PLACE OF THE COMPANY'S STABLE) PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the history of a Dutch East India Company's building which was originally used as a stable in the 18^{th} century and later as a hospital by the British. In 1820 the building was unused before it was used as a Church. On 9/9/1824 the roof collapsed and the building was demolished.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.24: Terrain Van Die Kompanjiestal (Place of the Company's Stable) Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St George's Street Simons Town, mounted onto dockland wall

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.545′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.690′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque is mounted onto dockland wall commemorating the position of the Company's stables.

Inscription

/ TERREIN VAN DIE KOMPANJIESTAL

Hier was die stal van die V.O.C., n lang, small rietdakgebou. Die Britte het dit in 1795 oorgeneem en in 1797 selfs as vloothospital gebruik. Na 1806 huisves dit die militere wag en ook die perde. Teen laat 1820 het dit leeg gestaan en is tydelik as kerk ingerig op 9/9/1824 het die stortreen die dak laat intuimel, waarna die gebou gesloop is /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the place of a Dutch East India Company building Interpretive signage in a public accessible place

Condition of monument/statue

Plaque is rusted and dirty

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean and sort out the rust problem

References used

9.25 SERGEANT JOHN KENDRICK MEMORIAL

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

SERGEANT JOHN KENDRICK MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates Sergeant J Kendrick

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.25: Sergeant John Kendrick Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St George's Street Simon's Town, diagonally opposite the Mast House Clock next to the Shell garage

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.542′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.673′

Medium/Material

Stone and steel

Date produced/unveiled

1978

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Small mound of rocks concreted together with a plaque commemorating the 150th anniversary of

the Wesleyan Chapel (now Methodist church) and Sergeant John Kendrick

Inscription

/ Simon's Town Historical Society

To the memory of

Sergeant John Kendrick

21st (Yorkshire) Light Dragoons

The pioneer of Wesleyan Methodism in South Africa who, while in charge of conveying of mails from Cape Town, preached in his vicinity from the year 1817 onwards

(died 18th November 1813)

Erected to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the opening on the 9th October 1828 Simon's Town's, Wesleyan Chapel (now Methodist Church) South Africa's oldest Methodist Church in continuous use.

Donated by his worship the Mayor, CCLR. Gordon Wilson 1978 /

Cultural significance

Commemorates Sergeant J Kendrick and his links to Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, but there are lots of weeds surrounding it

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Weed around the immediate area

References used

9.26 NAVAL RESIDENCES NO'S 44, 45 & 46 PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

NAVAL RESIDENCES NO'S 44, 45 & 46 PLAQUE

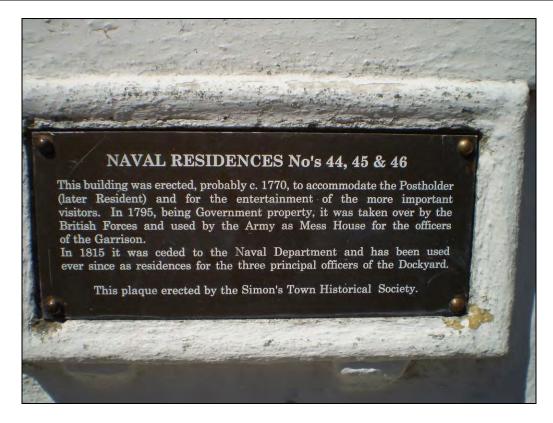
Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates the buildings that were used as naval Residences

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.26: Naval Residences No's 44, 45 & 46 Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St George's Street Simon's Town, attached to the dockyard wall

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.517′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.662′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto dockyard wall displaying the history of the naval residences

/ NAVY RESIDENCES NO'S 44, 45 & 46

This building was erected, probably c. 1770, to accommodate the Postholder (later Resident) and for the entertainment of the more important visitors. In 1795, being government property, it was taken over by the British forces and used by the army as Mess House for officers of the Garrison.

In 1815 it was ceded to the Naval department and has been used ever since as residence for the three principal officers of the Dockyard

This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

• Records the history of the buildings for public information

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.27 THE RESIDENCY PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

THE RESIDENCY PLAQUE

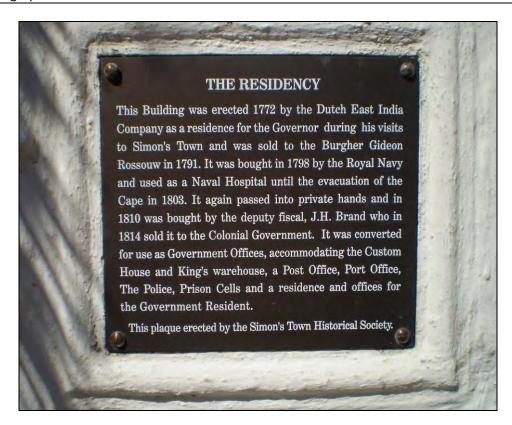
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates and gives public information on the building, The Residency

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.27: The Residency Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St George's Street Simons Town, mounted on dockyard wall

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.415′ Latitude: E 018° 25.649′

Medium/Material

Bronzed aluminium

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted onto navy wall displaying the history of 'The Residency'

/ THE RESIDENCY

This Building was erected in 1722 by the Dutch East India Company as a residence for the Governor during his visits to Simon's Town and was sold to the Burgher Gideon Rossouw in 1791. It was bought in 1798 by the Royal Navy and used as a Navy Hospital until the evacuation of the Cape in 1803. It again passed into private hands and in 1810 was bought by the deputy fiscal, J.H. Brand who in 1814 sold it to the Colonial Government. It was converted for use as Government Offices, accommodating the Custom House and Kings warehouse, a Post Office, Port Office, The Police, Prison Cells and a residence and offices for the Government Resident

This plaque erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the building

Interpretive signage on the history of Simon's Town

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.28 DIE RESIDENCIE (RESIDENCE) PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

DIE RESIDENCIE (RESIDENCE) PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the building, The Residency and gives an outline of its uses over time.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.28 Die Residencie (Residence) Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

St George's Street, Simons Town, mounted on dockyard wall

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.487′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.643′

Medium/Material

Bronze

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Afrikaans version of 'The Residence' plaque

/ S.H.V. DIE RESIDENSIE

HIERDIE GEBOU IS C. 1772 DEUR DIE NEDERLANDSE
OOS-INDIESE KOMPANJIE OPGERIG AS GOEWERNEURSWONING
TYDENS BESOEKE AAN SIMONSTAD, EN IS IN 1791 AAN DIE
BURGER GIDEON RUSSOUW VERKOOP.
DIT IS IN 1798 DEUR DIE BRITSE VLOOT GEKOOP EN AS 'N
VLOOT HOSPITAAL GEBRUIK TOT DIE KAAP IN 1803 ONTRUIM IS.
DIT HET WEER IN PRIVAAT GEBRUIK GEKOM IN 1810,
TOE DIT DEUR DIE ADJUNKFISKAAL J.H BRAND GEKOOP IS,
WAT DIT IN 1814 AAN DIE KOLONIALE REGERING VERKOOP HET.
DIT IS TOE VERANDER VIR GEBRUIK AS STAATSKANTOOR,
HAWERKANTOOR, POLISIEKANTOOR, TRONK ASOOK WOONPLEK
EN KANTOOR VAN DIE RESIDENT.

DIE PLAAT IS GESEKENK DEUR MEJ. C. BOOYSEN /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the building, The Residency and its uses over time Interpretive signage in a public accessible place

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.29 THE TOLL GATE MEMORIAL

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

THE TOLL GATE MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorates the position of the former Simon's Town Toll gate

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.29 The Toll Gate Memorial: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Corner of St George's Street and Jubilee Street Simons Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 11.365′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.556′

Medium/Material

Stone and bronzed aluminium

Date produced/unveiled

Artist/maker responsible

Simon's Town Historical Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Small mound of rocks concreted together with a plaque commemorating the toll gates

/ THE TOLL GATE

The toll gate was established here on 15 December 1815.

The gate extended from this point to the Toll House which stood on the opposite half of the present road.

This, with all toll gates in the Cape Peninsula, was abolished on 15th August 1901, and the Toll House was demolished at the end of 1904

Original plaque donated by Councillor C.F.D Reeves.

This plaque was erected by the Simon's Town Historical Society /

Cultural significance

Commemorates the position of the former Simon's Town Toll gate Interpretive signage in a public accessible place

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition but needs to be weeded

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Weed in the immediate surroundings of the statue

References used

Simon's Town Historical Society

9.29 EAST FORTTRAVERSING GUN

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

EAST FORT TRAVERSING GUN

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the east Fort Traversing Gun

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.29: East Fort Traversing Gun 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East fort, Chapman's Peak Drive Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.315′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.796′

Medium/Material

Inscribed anodised aluminium plaque on sandstone base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bayand Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Inscribed anodised aluminium plaque fixed between paving surrounds on sandstone base

Inscriptions in English, Afrikaans and Xhosa and a diagram of the gun and a sloping platform /TRAVERSING GUN

Timber mounted gun on wood

Sloping platform

Which could turn 360°

The slope of the platform

Helped to return the gun to its

original position after firing/

Cultural significance

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

none

9.30 THREE MISSING PLAQUES BENEATH THE ROW OF CANONS

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

3 PLAQUES MISSING UNDER ROW OF CANONS

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Unknown

Digital Photograph







Photographs 9.30a, b and c, 3 Plaques Missing Under Row Of Canons: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East fort, Chapman's Peak drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.327′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.304′

Medium/Material

Exposing aggregate frame on concrete surface

(plaques missing)

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

unknown

Inscription

Unknown – missing plaque

Cultural significance

unknown

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Contact Dave Cowley of the Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust for information on missing plaques (contact details in Appendix A)

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaques

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9.31 EAST FORTBATTERY PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

EAST FORT BATTERY PLAQUE

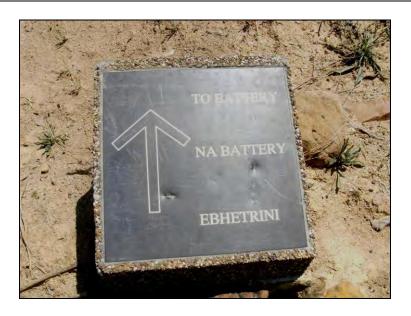
Heritage status

none

Motivation

Direction plaque to East fort

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.31: East Fort Battery Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.311′ Latitude: E 018° 21.823′

Medium/Material

Inscribed anodised aluminium plaque with exposed aggregate frame on concrete base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque indicated direction to the Battery in three languages

Inscription

In English, Afrikaans and Xhosa

/TO BATTERY/ /NA BATTERY/ /EBHETRINI/

Cultural significance

Signage around East Fort

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, plaque is scratched but clean

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Check regularly that plaque has not been defaced

References used

9.32 EAST FORTPLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

EAST FORT

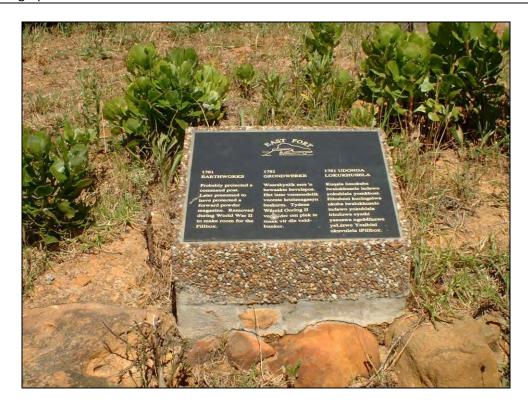
Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates the roles of East Fort between the 18th and 20th centuries

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.32: East Fort Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East Fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.311′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.823′

Medium/Material

Inscribed anodised aluminium plaque with exposed aggregate frame on concrete base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Inscribed anodised aluminium plaque, exposed aggregate frame, concrete base

Inscriptions are in English, Afrikaans and Xhosa

/EAST FORT

1781

EARTHWORKS

Probably protected a

Command point

Later presumed to

Have protected forward powder

magazine. Removed

During World War II

To make room for the

Pillbox/

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the history of the East Fort
- Part of series of interpretive signage at the fort
- Contributes to the understanding of the history of the area
- Educational in terms of military history

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, scratched

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Check regularly that it is not defaced or removed

References used

9.33 FYNBOS GARDEN PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

FYNBOS GARDEN PLAQUE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates all the people who gave or dedicated their lives to the process of building South Africa

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.33(a) Fynbos Garden Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue





Photograph 9.33(b) (left) and (c) (right) Fynbos Garden Plaque details: 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 9.33(d) (left) and (e) (right) Fynbos Garden Plaque details: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East Fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.304′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.827′

Medium/Material

Clay

Date produced/unveiled

11 November 2002

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Clay plaques mounted on a building in the East Fort

Inscription

/The Fynbos

GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE

honours all those who gave or dedicated

their lives to the process of building

our proud Nation

Hout bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust/

Cultural significance

- Commemorates all people who have contributed to and died in the process of contribution to the country;
- Post 1994 commemoration which includes all citizens irrespective of their race classification;

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

Dave Cowley, Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

9.34 PETER R. GIBB MEMORIAL

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

PETER R. GIBB MEMORIAL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorate R Gibb

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.34: Peter R.Gibb Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East Fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.296′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.329′

Medium/Material

Stone, cement and canon balls

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Small pyramid of cannon balls mounted on top of a stone base

Inscription

/In memory of
PETER ROBERT GIBB
Our "Master Gunner'
Fondly remembered by his
loved one and many friends/

Cultural significance

Commemorate R Gibb

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.35 PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

PLAQUE

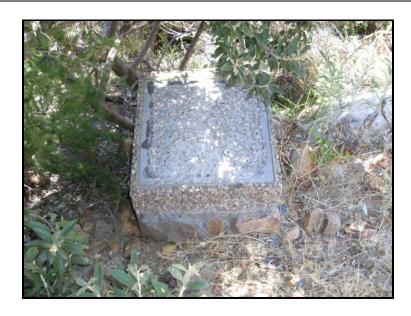
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Unknown

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.35 Missing Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East Fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.322′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.360′

Medium/Material

Sandstone paver surrounds to concrete square, unknown plaque material

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout bay and Llandudno Heritage Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Missing Plaque

Inscription

Missing plaque

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage on public land

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Check that plaque, once repositioned is not stolen again.

References used

9.36 PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

PLAQUE

Heritage status

None

Motivation

unknown

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.36 Missing Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East Fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.331′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.860′

Medium/Material

Sandstone paver surrounds to concrete square, unknown plaque material

Plaque missing

Date produced/unveiled

unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Inscription

unknown

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage on public land regarding a historic fort

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Once plaque has been replaced check that it does not get defaced or stolen again

9.37 VIEW OF EAST FORT LOOKING SOUTH AND 3 OTHER MISSING PLAQUES

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

VIEW OF EAST FORT LOOKING SOUTH AND 3 OTHER MISSING PLAQUES

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Interpretive signage on the East Fort

Digital Photograph





Photograph 9.37(a) (left) East Fort Plaque and Photograph 9.37(b) (right) missing plaque bases 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

East fort, Chapman's Peak Drive, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 03.339′ Latitude: E 018° 21.870′ Medium/Material

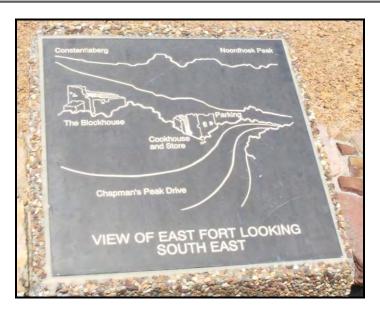
Date produced/unveiled

Artist/maker responsible

Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Society

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Four plaques situated in a circle placed on a circular stone wall



Photograph 9.37(c)East Fort Plaque detail 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage on the East Fort

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, 3 plaques are missing

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaques and check regularly that they remain in the chosen site and are not defaced

References used

9.38 ANCHORS

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

ANCHORS

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Exhibition of historic anchors

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.38 (a): Anchors 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Hout Bay main road, Hout Bay in front of Kronendal Primary School

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 02.444′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.565′

Medium/Material

Steel

Date produced/unveiled

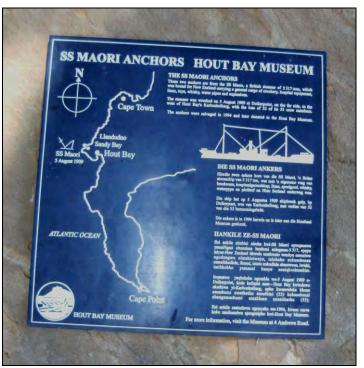
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Artist/maker responsible

unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Two large anchors surrounded by a low metal fence



Photograph 9.38 (b): 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 9.38 (c): 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

Exhibition of historic anchors

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, inside the fence the rubbish needs to be removed and weeded and the fence needs to be repainted in black paint

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Clean inside the fence and repaint fence

References used

9.39 THOMAS BAINES

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

THOMAS BAINES

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorate T Baines

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.39: Thomas Baines Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Victoria road Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.260′ **Latitude**: E 018° 20.758′

Medium/Material

Stone base and paving with marble plaque set on concrete fixed to side

Plaque missing on top

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Unknown

/IN

AFFECTIONATE REMEMBRANCE

OF

THOMAS BAIN C.E

DIED AT WOODSIDE RONDEBOSCH SEPTR 1894 AGED 64 YEARS

Faithful until death
Rests from his labours/

Cultural significance

Commemorate Thomas Baines

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition but writing on the plaque is becoming illegible Plaque missing on top of stone base

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Maintenance needs to be done to the plaque

References used

9.40 CIVIL ENGINEERS MEMORIAL TO THOMAS BANES

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

CIVIL ENGINEERS MEMORIAL TO THOMAS BANES

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the works of Thomas Baines

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.40: Thomas Bain Civil Engineers Memorial: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Hout Bay, on the original Victoria Road (presently the small road off Victoria road towards Suikerbossie restaurant)

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.695′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.005′

Medium/Material

Sandstone base with brass plaque

Date produced/unveiled

29 September 1996

Artist/maker responsible

South African Institute of Civil Engineers and the Institute of Professional Land Surveyors of the Western Cape

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque mounted on a stone base

Inscription

/THE SOUTH AFRICAN INSTITUTE OF CIVIL ENGINEERS AND THE INSTITUTE OF PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYORS OF THE WESTERN CAPE HONOUR THOMAS CHARLES JOHN BAIN 19^{TH} SEPTEMBER 1830-20 SEPTEMBER 1893

CIVIL ENGINEERS EXTRAORDINARY AND OUTSTANDING SURVEYOR DEDICATED BUILDER OF THE NUMEROUS PASSES, ROADS, RAILWAY LINES AND ENGINEERING PROJECTS IN THE CAPE COLONY

GREY'S PASS

TULBAGH KLOOF

PRINCE ALFRED'S PASS

VAN RHYNS PASS

MOLTENO PASS

SLOUKRANS PASS

SCHOEMANS POORT

ROBINSON'S PASS

TRADOUW PASS

VERLATERKLOOF

DE JAGER'S PASS

NOO PASS (BURGERS)

STORMSRIVER PASS

LADY GREY BRIDGE (PAARL)

UNIONDALE KLOOF

MEIRING'S POORT

PAKHUIS PASS

HOMTINI PASS

BAVIAANSKLOOF

PHANTOM PASS

OLD GEORGE/KNYSNA ROAD

GARCIA'S PASS

COGMANKLOOF

ZWARTBERG PASS

LITTLE ZWARTBERG PASS

GROOT RIVIER PASS

BLOUKRANS PASS

ONDERKLOOF ROAD (ROODEZANT)

VICTORIA DRIVE

TULBAGH KLOOF AND HEX RIVIER - BEAUFORT WEST RAILWAY LINES

THIS PLAQUE STAND ON THE ORIGINAL ROUTE OF HIS LAST WORK - VICTORIA DRIVE

29 SEPTEMBER 1996/

Cultural significance

 Commemorates the achievement and contribution of a person responsible for the original routes through many mountain ranges in the Cape

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, however the base needs some attention

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair stone base

References used

9.41 FORMER VICTORIA ROAD

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

OLD VICTORIA ROAD

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the former position of Victoria Road

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.41(a): Former Victoria Road memorial 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 9.41(b): 2009 O'Donoghue



Photograph 9.41(c): Detail of map of historic route, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Hout Bay, on the original Victoria Road (presently the small road off Victoria road towards Suikerbossie restaurant)

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.691′ **Latitude**: E 018° 21.019′

Medium/Material

Anodised aluminium plaques set within pavers fixed to sandstone cairns

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Hout bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Memorial to the historic Victoria Road

Inscription

/OLD VICTORIA ROAD

THOMAS BAIN'S ROAD BETWEEN CAMPS BAY & HOUT BAY

BUILT IN 1887 WITH CONVICT LABOUR.

MOST OF THE ORIGINAL ROAD HAS BEEN COVERED OVER BY RECENT MODERN DEVELOPMENT OF THIS ROUTE.

AN ORIGINAL SECTION OF THE ROAD, HOUT BAY (THE PORTION KNOWN AS VICTOR'S KLOOF ROAD.) THIS ORIGINAL SECTION IS NOW A PUBLIC FOOTPATH PRESERVED THROUGH A GENEROUS GESTURE OF STOCKS & STOCKS DEVELOPERS OF THE SURROUNDING LAND.

THOMAS CHAS JOHN BAIN 1830 - 1893

THOMAS BAIN MADE HISTORY BY DESIGNING & BUILDING MORE THAN 20 MAJOR MOUNTAIN PASSES THROUGHOUT THE CAPE COLONY, FACILITATING THE DEVELOPMENT OF OUR COUNTRY IN A WAY IS STILL THE ENVY OF MANY COUNTRIES/

There is also a map of the historic route [refer Photograph 9.41(c)]

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage situated in a public area regarding the historic Victoria road

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition but writing on plaque is becoming illegible

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Plaques need to be maintained

References used

9.42 GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH AFRICA C5

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

GEOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF SOUTH AFRICA C5

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Interpretive signage on the geological formation in the environs

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.42: Geological Society of South Africa Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue Inscription is in English and Afrikaans

Location

Harbour road on Mariners Wharf, Hout Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 02.829′ **Latitude**: E 018° 20.905′

Medium/Material

Steel plaque fixed to granite base

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Geological Society of South Africa

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plaque on granite plinth

/ Geological Society of South Africa Site C5 HOUTBAAI

Manganese ore was mined at this site for a few years prior to 1911. About 5000 tons of ore with an average grade of 30 % manganese was extracted from this vein like deposit which occupies a vertical northwest tremding fracture zone that can be followed for about 300 metres up the slope. The ore body averages 75 cm in width, but it narrow and decreases in grade within a few metres below the surface, eventually merging into stained sandstone. The ore which consists of variable mixtures of iron and manganese oxides was sorted, piled and transported via a chute to the jetty, from where it was loaded into ships and exported. Two concrete pillars below the road are the only remains of the jetty. The oxides of iron and egoethite and manganese epsilomelane formed in open fissures close to the present land surface from compounds leached out of the surrounding surface from compounds leached out of the surrounding sandstone by percolating groundwater./

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage on the previous manganese mine in Hout Bay

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

9.43 MAYNARDVILLE ENTRANCE GATES PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

MAYNARDVILLE ENTRANCE GATES

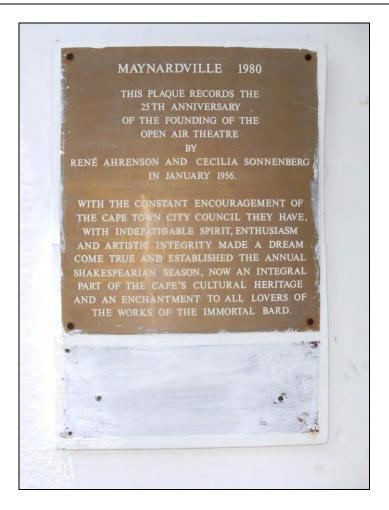
Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorate the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Open air theatre

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.43: Maynardville Entrance Gates Memorial: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Maynardville Park, corner of Wolf and Church streets Wynberg

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.276′ **Latitude**: E 018° 27.829′

Medium/Material

Concrete, iron, brass

Date produced/unveiled

1980

Artist/maker responsible

unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Large gates with plaques on the left and the right of the entrance

Inscription

/MAYNARDVILLE 1980
THIS PLAQUE RECORDS THE
25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE
FOUNDING OF THE OPEN AIR THEATRE
BY
RENE AHRENSON AND CECELIA SONNENBERG

IN JANUARY 1956

WITH THE CONSTANT ENCOURAGEMENT OF THE CAPE TOWN CITY COUNCIL THEY HAVE

WITH INDEFATIGABLE SPIRIT AND ENTHUSIASM

AND ARTISTIC INTEGRITY MADE A DREAM

COME TRUE AND ESTABLISHED THE ANNUAL

SHAKESPEARE SEASON, NOW AN INTEGRAL

PART OF THE CAPE CULTURAL HERITAGE

AND AN ENCHANTMENT TO ALL LOVERS OF

THE WORKS OF THE IMMORTAL BARD/

Cultural significance

• Commemorates the 25th anniversary of the founding of the Open air theatre

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition, but there are missing sections under the Maynardville plaques

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace the missing pieces

References used

none

9.44 SHAKESPEARE STATUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

SHAKESPEARE STATUE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates Shakespeare

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.44: Shakespeare Statue 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Maynardville Park, corner of Wolf and Church streets Wynberg, adjacent to the seating areas of the open air theatre

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.322′ **Latitude**: E 018° 27.865′

Medium/Material

Concrete

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Fully clothed large human figure holding a book

Inscription

None

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the life of an English playwright who is known internationally
- Statue relating to the cultural life of the park as it is positioned adjacent to the seating areas of the open air theatre

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition but needs to be repainted

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repaint the statue black

References used

none

9.45 PLAQUE OUTSIDE MAYNARDVILLE THEATRE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

PLAQUE OUTSIDE MAYNARDVILLE THEATRE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Information regarding g the open air theatre

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.45: Maynardville Theatre Plaque: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Maynardville Park, corner of Wolf and Church streets Wynberg

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.316′ **Latitude**: E 018° 27.846′

Medium/Material

Clay plaque set into plastered wall

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Small clay plaque which has been hand painted

Inscription

/MAYNARDVILLE OPEN AIR THEATRE ESTABLISHED IN FEBRUARY 1952, WHEN TAMING OF THE SHREW BY WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE WAS DIRECTED BY LESLIE

FRENCH FOR THE SPOTLIGHT THEATRE COMPANY.
THIS IS ATTRIBUTE TO THE DEDICATION TO ALL CONCERNED
PARTICULARLY RENE AHRENSON AND CECELIA
SONNENBERG, THE CAPE TOWN MUNICIPALITY AND
ARTSCAPE WHO ENSURED THAT THE ANNUAL SHAKESPEARE
SEASON WOULD CONTINUE/

Cultural significance

Interpretive signage of the theatre

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

none

9.46 MAYNARD VILLA PLAQUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

MAYNARD VILLA PLAQUE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates the previous residence that was positioned in the present Park

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.46(a): Maynard Villa Plaque 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Maynardville Park, Wynberg

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.342′ **Latitude**: E 018° 27.839′

Medium/Material

Facebrick base with plastered and painted upper surface on which a hand painted clay tile plaque is fixed

Date produced/unveiled

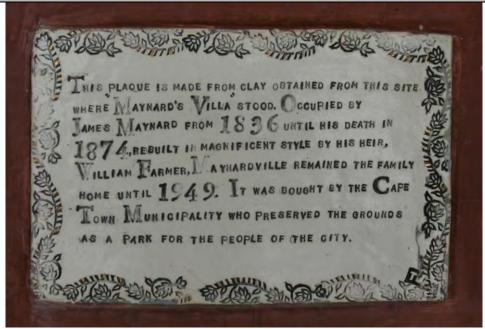
Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Facebrick base with red painted plastered sloped upper surface on which a clay tile plaque has been fixed. The whole memorial is less than a metre high.

Inscription



Photograph 9.46(b): 2009 O'Donoghue

/THIS PLAQUE IS MADE FROM CLAY OBTAINED FROM THIS SITE
WHERE MAYNARD'S VILLA STOOD. OCCUPIED BY
JAMES MAYNARD FROM 1836 UNTIL HIS DEATH IN
1874, REBUILT IN MAGNIFICENT STYLE BY HIS HEIR,
WILLIAM FARMER. MAYNARDVILLE REMAINED THE FAMILY
HOME UNTIL 1949. IT WAS BOUGHT BY THE CAPE
TOWN MUNICIPALITY WHO PRESERVED THE GROUNDS
AS A PARK FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY/

Cultural significance

• Interpretive signage within a public space that gives information on a space of the park and previous buildings that were positioned there.

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

9.47 FIRST TRANS-AFRICA FLIGHT MEMORIAL

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

FIRST TRANS-AFRICA FLIGHT MEMORIAL

Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the first trans-Africa flight from London to Cape Town by Pierre van Ryneveld and Quintin Brand. The plane touched down at Youngsfield, Wynberg on March 20 1920.

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.47: First Trans-Africa Flight Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Prince George Drive, Wynberg, Cape Town

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 00.688′ **Latitude**: E 018° 28.823′

Medium/Material

Corten steel

Date produced/unveiled

2007?

Artist/maker responsible

Strijdom Van Der Merwe

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

On March 20 1920, Pierre van Ryneveld and Quintin Brand touched down at Youngsfield, Wynberg in a De Havilland DH9 — the first trans-Africa flight from London to Cape Town. Several other British teams had set out to pioneer this new air route, but each had crashed and abandoned their effort. Van Ryneveld and Brand crashed two planes en route — one in a forced landing in southern Egypt, the other during take-off in Zimbabwe. Prime Minister Jan Smuts was determined that the South Africans should succeed and each time ordered replacement aircraft to be sent to them. The pilots, who were knighted for their achievement, spent 109 hours and 30 minutes in the air, though the journey took 45 days. The memorial is a large metal structure which displays a human body and aircraft wings.

The memorial is one of the series of memorial to outstanding South Africans installed by the Sunday Times Newspapers as part of their centenary celebrations in 2007.

Inscription

Missing plaque

Cultural significance

- Commemorates the important South African achievement of the first trans-Africa flight
- Significant as it educates the public regarding an important occurrence in the country's flying history;
- Positioned on a well used vehicular route and immediately outside the main entrance to a soccer club

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, the plaque is missing but otherwise the sculpture is doing well

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaque

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

9.48 JAN VAN RIEBEEK HEDGE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

JAN VAN RIEBEEK HEDGE

Heritage status

The hedge is a Provincial Heritage Site (former national monument) -not the memorial

Motivation

Commemorate the wild almond hedge planted by Jan van Riebeek

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.48(a): Jan Van Riebeek Hedge Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Klaassens road Constantia, west of Gloucester Avenue

GPS

Longitude: S 33° 59.750′ **Latitude**: E 018° 26.440′

Medium/Material

Plastered and painted brickwork base with brass plaque

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

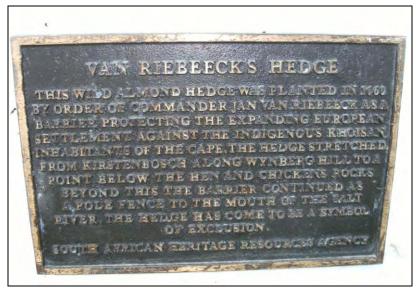
Artist/maker responsible

South African Heritage Resources Agency

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Plastered and painted brick structure with a bronze plaque.

Inscription



Photograph 9.48 (b): 2009 O'Donoghue

/VAN RIEBEEK'S HEDGE

THIS WILD ALMOND HEDGE WAS PLANTED IN 1660
BY ORDER OF THE COMMANDER JAN VAN RIEBEEK AS A
BARRIER PROTECTING THE EXPANDING EUROPEAN
SETTLEMENT AGAINST THE INDIGENOUS KHOISAN
INHABITANTS OF THE CAPE. THE HEDGE STRETCHED
FROM KIRSTENBOSCH ALONG THE WYNBERG HILL TO A
POINT BELOW THE HENS ANA CHICKENS ROCKS
BEYOND THIS THE BARRIER CONTINUED AS
A POLE FENCE TO THE MOUTH OF THE SALT
RIVER. THE HEDGE HAS COME TO BE A SYMBOL
OF EXCLUSION

THE SOUTH AFRICAN HERITAGE RESOURCES AGENCY

Cultural significance

- Commemorates plants that are the continuation of the plants planted by a significant person in the history of South Africa (Jan van Riebeek)
- Identifies the border which Jan van Riebeek creates to keep the land safe from the local inhabitants

Condition of monument/statue

Fair condition, the paint is peeling off the structure

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Fair

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repaint the memorial's plastered walls

References used

John Muir, Simon van der Stel Foundation personal communication

9.49 OLIVE SCHREINER MEMORIAL

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

OLIVE SCHREINER MEMORIAL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Commemorates the contribution of Olive Schreiner

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.49 (a)(Left) Olive Schreiner Memorial, 2009 O'Donoghue and 9.49(b) (right): Olive Schreiner, http://heritage.thetimes.co.za



Photograph 9.49(c): Olive Schreiner Memorial Detail http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

Location

Main road Kalk Bay

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 07.459′ **Latitude**: E 018° 27.125′

Medium/Material

Concrete, plaster and metal

Date produced/unveiled

2006

Artist/maker responsible

Barbara Wildenboer

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

While Olive Schreiner's contribution as one of South Africa's finest writers is widely acknowledged, far less well known is her participation in the suffragette movement. It is considered that her prescience about universal suffrage is to be lauded as well as clear evidence that the Women's Enfranchisement League — of which she was a member for several years — was active in the Kalk Bay and Muizenberg area. Both WP Schreiner (Olive's brother) and her husband, Samuel Cronwright-Schreiner, are on record as presiding over Women's Enfranchisement League meetings in the area.

A meeting of the Women's Enfranchisement League was held at the English Church Schoolroom, which used to stand opposite the Anglican Church in Kalk Bay (there is nothing to mark the demise of this old stone building, which is now a parking lot). On March 26, 1913 a public meeting of the league was arranged by Miss Olive Schreiner (we believe this was Olive's niece, daughter of WP Schreiner) and addressed by Mr Patrick Duncan. Despite being unable to confirm Olive Schreiner's attendance at the meeting, it is believed that this little-known piece of women's history in particular, and suffragette history in general, is worth commemorating.

On December 2, 2003, President Thabo Mbeki formally signed the Order of Ikhamanga Gold, awarded posthumously to Olive Schreiner "for her exceptional contribution to literature and her commitment to the struggle for human rights and democracy". The award was accepted on behalf of the Schreiner family by Ms Jenny Schreiner, ANC Member of Parliament (Jenny Schreiner is not only the great-granddaughter of Olive Schreiner's beloved younger brother, WP Schreiner, Premier of the Cape before the Anglo-Boer War, but is also a published poet in her own right).

Olive Schreiner herself, supported by her husband, Samuel Cronwright-Schreiner, was a fierce critic of imperialism and racism in South Africa before the Anglo-Boer War, and until her death in December 1920 was a strong champion of universal suffrage, arguing that the vote was "a weapon by which the weak may be able to defend themselves against the strong, the poor against the rich".

The memorial is one of the series of memorial to outstanding South Africans installed by the Sunday Times Newspapers as part of their centenary celebrations in 2006.

Inscription



Photograph 9.49 (b): 2009 O'Donoghue

/Sunday Times 100 years of Stories OLIVE SCHRIENER March 24 1855 – December 10 1920

During the first decades of the 20th century Olive Schriener spoke and wrote passionately in Support of the Women's Enfranchisement League which met in homes and halls throughout the City, including the English Church schoolroom that once stood here. Through the acclaimed author Of The Story of an African Farm was a major force in the worldwide struggle for women's suffrage By 1912 she had quit the League because it refused to campaign for the vote for all women of South Africa. White South African women received the vote in 1930; black women and black men, had to wait until 1994

To find out more about this story go to www.sundaytimes.co.za/heritage

BASA (logo) business of art South Africa City of Cape Town (logo)

Artist: Barbara Wildenboer/

Cultural significance

- Commemorates a South Africa woman who contributed to literature and her commitment to the struggle for human rights and democracy;
- Commentates Schreiner's work in the Women's Enfranchisement League;
- Memorial is placed in Kalk Bay to highlight the linkage of the area to the suffragette movement.

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, the plaster is cracked, the paint is flaking and 24 metal crosses have been removed from the statue

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Repair the plaster, repaint the monument and replace the missing metal crosses

References used

http://heritage.thetimes.co.za

9.50 'FROLIC' STATUE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

'FROLIC' STATUE

Heritage status

none

Motivation

Associated with the recreational nature of the Fish Hoek beach

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.50 Frolic Statue: 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Beach road, at the vehicular entrance to Fish Hoek beach

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 08.449′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.881′

Medium/Material

Brick base with bronze sculpture

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Unknown

Inscription

/Frolic

Vroelikheid/

Cultural significance

- Sculpture reflecting swimming at the coast
- Figure are clearly from the white race so it is presumable created at a time when the beaches were closed to Black, Indian and Coloured South Africans

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

9.51 DOLPHINE SCULPTURE

District H: Southern (excluding False Bay)

DOLPHINE SCULPTURE

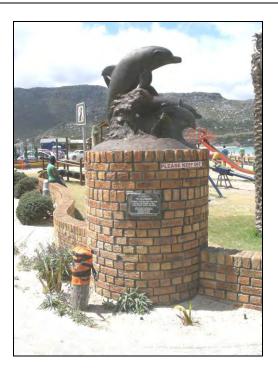
Heritage status

None

Motivation

Commemorate the life of Cedryn Greenland (1904 - 1985) owner and editor of the Fish Hoek Echo (1963 - 1978)

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.51(a): Dolphine Sculpture, 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Beside the lawn play area on Fish Hoek beach

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 08.447' **Latitude**: E 018° 25.916'

Medium/Material

Brick base with bronze sculpture

Date produced/unveiled

November 2000

Artist/maker responsible

Sculptor: Ernest Lodge

Responsible: family and friends of Cedryn Greenland

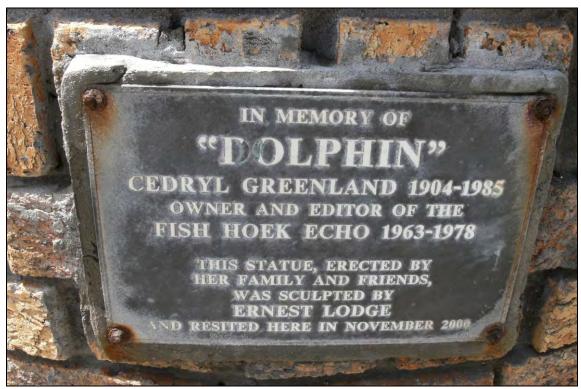
Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Facebrick circular base with bronze sculpture on top depicting one large and few small dolphins

leaping from the sea. brass plaque fixed to base

Unknown history of sculpture

Inscription



Photograph 9.51(b): 2009 O'Donoghue

Cultural significance

Public art relating to the dolphins in the sea

Condition of monument/statue

Good condition

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

None

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

None

References used

None

9.52 ETERNAL FLAME MEMORIAL

District H : Southern (excluding False Bay)

ETERNAL FLAME MEMORIAL

Heritage status

none

Motivation

MOTHS memorial to commemorate the soldiers who fought in World War One (WW1) and World war Two (WW2)

Digital Photograph



Photograph 9.52: Eternal flame Memorial 2009 O'Donoghue

Location

Remembrance garden, Kommetjie Road (near intersection of 1st Avenue) Fish Hoek

GPS

Longitude: S 34° 08.483′ **Latitude**: E 018° 25.716′

Medium/Material

Brick, cement and a light (eternal flame)

Date produced/unveiled

Unknown

Artist/maker responsible

Unknown

Brief description and history of memorial/statue

Unknown

Inscription

No plaque

Apparently the Fish Hoek MOTH members keep the plaque and when they have their memorial service, they bring the plaque to the memorial

Cultural significance

Commemorates the soldiers who died for their country in WW1 and WW2 Local memorial relating the local branch of the MOTHS

Condition of monument/statue

Bad condition, the plaque is missing, the door at the back of the monument needs painting and a general clean around the monument needs to be done

Management intervention recommendation (fair/urgent)

Urgent

Recommendations for maintenance and management of memorial/statue

Replace plaque, paint door and clean around the monument

References used

Councillor Felicity Purchase, personal communication

SECTION 10: CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

10.1 CONCLUSION

The audit of public sculptures, memorials and monuments on land managed by the City of Cape Town reveals a wide variety of types and management requirements. The majority of public sculptures, memorials and monuments are located within the central business area (CBD) of Cape Town and are the most easily accessible to a broad range of visitors, tourists and scholars. Recent memorials are being positioned in the areas where the events took place or the person/s commemorated resided. This is evident in the memorials recently erected by the City of Cape Town in Gugulethu and Athlone and the memorials erected by the Sunday Times Newspaper as part of their centenary celebrations.

There are a few factors that contribute to the maintenance of public sculptures, memorials and monuments. These can be the situation, for example within a well managed park or isolated on a traffic island in addition to the involvement of the local community in the realisation or repair of these items.

As many of the identified memorials, sculptures and monuments are frequently visited by citizens and visitors to the city and/or the country, the state of disrepair and dirtiness of certain of them does give the impression that these items are not valued by the state or the citizens of the country. It is therefore urgent that the necessary repair and maintenance take place.

10.2 ITEMS IDENTIFIED FOR ATTENTION

The following list is a **s**ummary of urgent maintenance requirements for existing memorials, sculptures and monuments identified within the study. These items identified as urgent have missing parts such as missing plaques and/or broken portions of the item.

10.2.1 Urgent Repair

The following list of memorials, sculptures or monuments all have damages or missing parts and require urgent attention. The list is not in order of priority.

- 1. FOSSILISED TREE, COMPANY'S GARDENS
- 2. MEMORIAL TO THE MEMBERS OF THE RIFLE BRIGADE, Wale street Cape Town
- 3. BARTHOLOMEU DIAS MEMORIAL CAPE TOWN
- 4. THE CENOTAPH WAR MEMORIAL CAPE TOWN
- 5. COLONIAL MUTUAL BUILDING CLOCK CAPE TOWN
- 6. BISHOP ROBERT GRAY MEMORIAL CAPE TOWN
- 7. JAN HENDRIK HOFMEYER CAPE TOWN

- 8. SLAVE TREE CAPE TOWN
- 9. QUEEN VICTORIA MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN SEA POINT
- 10. SEA POINT GEOLOGICAL MEMORIAL SEA POINT
- 11. OBSERVATORY WAR MEMORIAL
- 12. PINELANDS GARDEN OF REMEMBRANCE ENTRANCE
- 13. PINELANDS MEMORIAL GARDEN PLAQUE
- 14. PLAQUE TO FORMER MILNERTON RAILWAY STATION, MILNERTON
- 15. CAPTAIN PAROW MEMORIAL, PAROW
- 16. DIRKIE UYS VOORTREKKER MONUMENT, SOMERSET WEST
- 17. ROBERT WATERWITCH AND COLINE WILLIAMS MEMORIAL, ATHLONE
- 18. GUGULETHU 7 MEMORIAL, GUGULETHU
- 19. HOUT BAY EAST FORT MISSING PLAQUES
- 20. FIRST TRANS-AFRICA FLIGHT MEMORIAL, WYNBERG
- 21. OLIVE SCHREINER MEMORIAL, KALK BAY

10.2.2 Urgent cleaning

The following list of memorials, sculptures or monuments are require urgent cleaning to the item or / and its immediate context. The list is not in order of priority.

- 1. EX CADET SHIP GENERAL BOTHA
- 2. THE CENOTAPH WAR MEMORIAL
- 3. SCOTT MEMORIAL
- 4. COLONIAL MUTUAL BUILDING CLOCK
- 5. KING EDWARD VII
- 6. JAN HENDRIK HOFMEYER
- 7. QUEEN VICTORIA MEMORIAL FOUNTAIN
- 8. SEA POINT GEOLOGICAL MEMORIAL
- 9. THE MEAD AND THE MEADWAY MEMORIAL
- 10. VOORTREKKER MEMORIAL, DURBANVILLE
- 11. DIRKIE UYS VOORTREKKER MONUMENT, SOMERSET WEST
- 12. TROJAN HORSE MEMORIAL, ATHLONE
- 13. GUGULETHU 7 MEMORIAL, GUGULETHU
- 14. PLAQUE OF IMPORTANT DATES IN SIMON'S TOWN HISTORY

10.3 RECOMMENDATIONS

The following recommendations are made to the City of Cape Town as a result of this audit:

- An annual budget is allocated by the City of Cape Town to repair (where necessary) and maintain the public sculptures, memorials and monuments situated on public land managed by the City of Cape Town;
- Unless the City of Cape Town has staff that has staff with the necessary expertise to repair and maintain these historic items, it is recommended that the City contract professional services to realise this essential work;
- A schedule of maintenance is devised by the City or a service provider to maintain the identified public sculptures, memorials and monuments;
- Co-operation with officials from the relevant City of Cape Town departments/braches be realised so that there is an awareness of the value of these identified public sculptures, memorials and monuments and effective communication occurs when required;
- A further audit of the following heritage resources should takes place:
 - Memorials and monuments situated within the City of Cape Town's cemeteries;
 - o Tombstones of notable people within the City of Cape Town's cemeteries;
 - Historic structures within the City of Cape Town, such as historic lamp posts in Camps Bay, milestones etc
- The City of Cape Town circulate information of these public sculptures, memorials and monuments to the tourist information offices located within the CBD, Districts and suburbs of City of Cape Town;
- The City of Cape Town, Arts and Culture Unit develop Memorandums of Understanding (MOU) with the relevant departments within IZIKO museums, South African National Parks, Simon's Town Historical Society, Hout Bay and Llandudno Heritage Trust with respect to the maintenance of the sculptures, memorials and monuments in the relevant areas. This is important as this audit has highlighted the lack of clarity as to the which civic or State organisation is responsible for these items;
- The City of Cape Town, Arts and Culture Unit should contact all ratepayer organisations in order for the ratepayers to know the correct department and officials to contact with regard to sculptures, memorials and monuments in their areas;
- The City of Cape Town should involve the local community representatives in the promotion of public sculptures, memorials and monuments located in their area. It is evident that in

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certain areas, local organisations realise, maintain and promote their public sculptures,

memorials and monuments. This is to be commended, however good communication

between the civic organisations (e.g. ratepayers, heritage groups and historical societies) regarding the state of the public sculptures, memorials and monuments on city managed

public land should occur. If new public sculptures, memorials and monuments be required

by a local NGO, they should be required to make an application to the relevant City of Cape

Town Departments.

• The City of Cape Town maintains effective communication with the relevant departments

within the City of Cape Town and Provincial Government in addition to other State organisation such as SAN Parks and Transnet with regard to existing and proposed

memorials, sculptures and monuments.

• It is recommended to review this audit on an annual basis;

• The City of Cape Town provides a budget for new public sculptures, memorials and

monuments so that the city's collection of monuments, sculptures and memorials can be

increased to reflect our diverse heritage and achievements.

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