

Ballarat Town and City Mission Rescue and Children's Home

c. 1921 - 1941

Details

The Ballarat Town and City Mission Rescue and Children's Home was established around 1921. It provided accommodation for single mothers and their babies. The Alexandra Babies' Home, also managed by the Mission, was on the same site. The organisation came into being when it took over the Canadian Rescue and Children's Home, and the George Street Children's Home. The Home provided care to single mothers and their children until it closed in 1941.

Gallery



Female Refuge Complex, 183 Scott Parade, Ballarat East [former site]

Description: This two-storey building was constructed c.1884. Before the building at 187 Scott Parade was built for the Alexandra Babies' Home (later known as the Alexandra Toddlers' Home), babies and their mothers were accommodated at this site.

More info

Chronology

- George Street Children's Home (1916 c. 1920)
- Canadian Rescue and Children's Home (1897 c. 1921)
- Ballarat Female Refuge (1867 1921)
 - Ballarat Town and City Mission Rescue and Children's Home (c. 1921 1941)

Related Entries

Run by

Ballarat Town and City Mission (1867 - 1974?)

The Ballarat Town Mission ran the Ballarat Town and City Mission Rescue and Children's Home. Date: 1921 -

Related Organisations

Alexandra Babies' Home (c. 1909 - 1974)

The Alexandra Babies' Home and the Ballarat Town and City Mission Rescue and Children's Home were both located in Scott Parade, Ballarat.

Records

For more information and to access your records, follow the links below:

Records

- Town and City Mission Records (1892? c. 1974)
- 'Closed' Agency and General Correspondence Files [Charities Board of Victoria] (1923 1983)

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