

**Item name:** Temora Showground Pavilion**Location:** Temora**Address:****Planning:** Southern & Western**Suburb/nearest town:** Temora 2666**Local govt area:** Temora**State:** NSW**Parish:****County:****Other/former names:****Area/group/complex:****Group ID:****Aboriginal area:** Wiradjuri**Curtilage/boundary:****Item type:** Built**Group:** Community Facilities**Category:** Showground**Owner:****Admin codes:****Code 2:****Code 3:****Current use:****Former uses:****Assessed significance:** Local**Endorsed significance:**

**Statement of significance:** One of the original Show ground complex buildings, it continues as an important facility used for the local agricultural shows which are the big agricultural display and social event of the year. It still retains its original character, being retained as originally built.

**Historical notes of provenance:** The Pastoral, Agricultural, Horticultural and Industrial Association was formed in 1885 by the district farmers and local citizens. Each year the annual show was held over three days. One early committeeman was Mr. Wyatt de Little, manager of the original "Temora Station". In 1929 all the P.A.H. & I. Associations met and formed the one governing body, the Agricultural Societies Council of N.S.W. to unite their efforts. The 1931 show was nearly called off due to the Depression and its effects, but the local people resolved to go ahead with it, which it did, on a slightly more modest scale. However, with the worst of the depression over, the 1935 show, the Jubilee Show, was a grand affair, as the district celebrated 50 years of rural progress.

**Themes:** **National theme**

8. Culture

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**State theme**

Creative endeavour

Leisure

**Local theme****Designer:****Builder:****Year started:****Year completed:** 1900**Circa:** Yes

**Physical description:** This is a large corrugated iron building - corrugated iron walls and roof on timber poles and frames. The building is basically built along two adjoining lines, one north-south, the other east-west, providing a number of halls or rooms for different types of show exhibits.

**Physical condition level:****Physical condition:****Archaeological****potential level:****Archaeological****potential Detail:****Modification dates:**

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management:****Management:** Management category**Management name****Further comments:****Criteria a):**  
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significance]**Criteria d):**  
[Social/Cultural  
significance]**Criteria e):**  
[Research  
significance]**Criteria f):**  
[Rarity]**Criteria g):**  
[Representative]**Intactness/Integrity:**

References:	Author	Title	Year
	Temora Centenary Book Committee.	Temora Yesterday and Today, 1880 - 1980.	1980

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**AMG zone:****Easting:** 548093**Northing:** 6189054**Listing:** Name**Title****Number****ListingDate**

Heritage study

**Data entry:** Data first entered: 28/04/2004

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