

# Memorials - Leongatha Campus

Across the Leongatha Campus there are a number of memorials.

## Lone Pine



Photo: Adam Carr

*The Australian cemetery at Lone Pine, Gallipoli, Turkey*



*The Lone Pine located on the Leongatha Campus*

We are fortunate enough to have our very own Lone Pine located at the south-eastern corner of the Leongatha Campus. The actual tree is from a clipping from the original Lone Pine located in Gallipoli and was planted in memory of departed comrades in 1965.

The **Battle of Lone Pine** which took place in August 1915, was the only successful Australian attack against the Turkish trenches within the original perimeter of the ANZAC battlefield, and yet it was merely a diversion to draw attention from the main assaults of 6th August against the Sari Bair peaks of Chunuk Bair and Hill 971.

There were 2300 Australian casualties and losses.<sup>141</sup>

## Staff members who have passed away

### Tessa Trotman

Plaque located on rock under the two gum trees at the northern side of the Leongatha campus.

### Peter Lempriere

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### Sally Roberts

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### Irene Reiter

Plaque located under a tree on the north side of the General Ward.

### Eve Cusack

Plaque located under a rose bush near the Education Centre.

## Other Plaques

- Gift of land in memory of Hugh McCartin.
- Marking the laying of the foundation stone 1956.
- Official hospital opening 1958.
- Opening of Medical Services Wing 1969.
- Jean MacRae Wing opening 1971.
- Completion of major refurbishment 1993.