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NAME OF COLLECTION	Victorian National Parks Association Inc.
ACCESSION NO	1995.0121
CATEGORY	Community and Political, organisations
ACTIVITY	Lobbyist
DATE RANGE	1884-1995
SIZE OF COLLECTION	12 units (2.04m)
HISTORICAL NOTE	<p>Association formed 1952. It began as a Committee of the Town and Country Planning Association which, in 1949, presented the government of the day with well-researched overviews of existing parks and recommendations for new parks. The VNPA was formed ... to lobby for the creation of new parks and better management of existing ones. The area of national parks in 1949 was 313,717 acres (127011 ha.). It is now 2.5 million hectares which is 12 per cent of the area of this State. "The VNPA has been the main driving force behind the creation and expansion of most parks in this State" (Doug Humann in letter to Mark Richmond, 30 March 1995) Meeting 28 March 1952 decided to form VNPA, with corporate and individual members, to strive for the welfare of national parks and their preservation in perpetuity. Inaugural public meeting 23 July 1953. First president was P. Crosbie Morrison and first hon. sec. was J. Ros Garnet (who died 1998).</p>
DATE OF TRANSFER	August/ September 1995
ACCESS CONDITIONS	Access: Open

DESCRIPTION	Council minutes 1953-89; Executive minutes 1983-89.; records of predecessor or related organizations or campaigns (e.g.Vic.Advisory Cl. of Flora & Fauna 1929-46, Little Desert Campaign 1959-88); VNPA Newsletter 1953-73; Journal 1973-78, Parkwatch 1978-95; material re Wilson's Promontory (much of it from Ros Garnet); extracts from Govt. Gazettes re flora, fauna, and nature reserves regulations; material re formation of VNPA (inc. printed report of a 1908 public meeting); correspondence, cuttings etc. relating to various deputations, pieces of legislation, conferences, and specific parks and campaigns. First expression of interest had been early 1880s, when Field Naturalist s' Club sought the permanent reservation of Wilson's Promontory.
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Item Number	Title	Date	Description	Unit/Box
1995.0121.0001	Victorian Advisory Council of Fauna and Flora Minutes	1929-1941	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 1	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0002	Victorian Advisory Council of Fauna and Flora Correspondence	1936-1945	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 2	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0003	Extracts from Victorian Gazette re Fauna and/ or Flora and nature Reserves Regulation	1934-1943	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 3	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0004	Documents re National Parks Campaign and Formation of VNPA	1946-1952	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 4	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0005	FNCV report on National Parks and reserves of Victoria	Jun-48	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 5	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0006	National Parks Deputation	22-Sep-49	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 6	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0007	National Parks and Related Bills	1952-1960	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 7	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0008	VNPA: Miscellaneous Material and Activities	1952-1960	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 8	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0009	VNPA Conference on National Parks	19-Mar-60	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 9	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0010	Little Desert and Little Desert Campaign: Correspondence	14 June 1959-26 June 1972	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 10	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0011	Little Desert and Little Desert Campaign: Miscellaneous Material	September 1960-28 April 1964	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 11	1995.0121 Unit 2

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1995.0121.0012	Little Desert and Little Desert Campaign: Newspaper Cuttings	1952-1973	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 12	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0013	Little Desert and Little Desert Campaign: Parliamentary Debates	12 September 1951-25 March 1970	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 13	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0014	Little Desert and Little Desert Campaign: Conference	26 August 1964-2 September 1964	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 14	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0015	Little Desert and Little Desert Campaign: radio Transcripts etc.	5 September 1968-1 October 1969	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 15	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0016	Formation of the Land Conservation Council	December 1969-19 February 1970	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 16	1995.0121 Unit 1
1995.0121.0017	National parks Authority News	July 1966-July 1968	Previous Control Number Formation of VNPA and Little Desert Campaign File 17	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0018	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	6 February 1953-1962	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 2
1995.0121.0019	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	16 January 1963-2 December 1963	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3
1995.0121.0020	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	29 February 1964-10 December 1964	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3
1995.0121.0021	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	19 February 1965-21 October 1965	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3

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1995.0121.0022	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	26 January 1966-30 November 1966	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3
1995.0121.0023	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	8 February 1967-16 November 1967	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3
1995.0121.0024	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	15 February 1968-5 December 1968	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3
1995.0121.0025	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	6 February 1969-26 September 1973	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 3
1995.0121.0026	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	September 1973- November 1973	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4
1995.0121.0027	VNPA Council Meeting Minutes	February 1974-June 1975	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4
1995.0121.0028	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	February 1975- December 1975	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4
1995.0121.0029	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	January 1976- November 1976	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4
1995.0121.0030	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	February 1977- December 1977	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4
1995.0121.0031	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	February 1978- December 1978	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4
1995.0121.0032	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	1979	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 4

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1995.0121.0033	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	1980	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 5
1995.0121.0034	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	1981-1982	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 5
1995.0121.0035	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	1983	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 5
1995.0121.0036	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	1984-1985	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 5
1995.0121.0037	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	October 1983- Septemer 1985	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 6
1995.0121.0038	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	1986-1989	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 6
1995.0121.0040	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes and Correspondence	1987-1990	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 7
1995.0121.0041	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	15 October 1985-4 October 1988	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 7
1995.0121.0042	VNPA Council and Executive Meeting Minutes	October 1988- June 1991	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 7
1995.0121.0043	VNPA Newsletter No. 1 - No. 93 (some issues missing) and Index to Newsletter No. 1 - No. 93	1 July 1953- July 1973	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 8
1995.0121.0044	VNPA Newsletter No. 94 - No. 100 and Index to Newsletter No. 94 September 1973 - No. 115 November/December 1978	September 1973- March 1975	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 8

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1995.0121.0045	The VNPA Journal No. 101 -No. 111	June 1975- Novemeber 1977	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 8
1995.0121.0046	Parkwatch, Official Journal of the VNPA No. 112 - No. 127	March 1978-1981	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 8
1995.0121.0047	Parkwatch, Official Journal of the VNPA No. 128 - No. 142	1982-1985	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 9
1995.0121.0048	Parkwatch, Official Journal of the VNPA No. 143 - No. 182	December 1985- September 1995	Previous Control Number Council Minutes and Periodical Publications	1995.0121 Unit 9
1995.0121.0049	General Correspondence re Friends Groups	1979-1992	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 1	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0050	Interstate Correspondence re Friends	1981-1988	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 2	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0051	Miscellaneous Friends Groups	1981-1989	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 3	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0052	Friends of Bogong National Park	1984-1989	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 4	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0053	Friends of Brisbane Ranges National Park	1982-1989	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 5	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0054	Friends of Chiltern State Park	1984-1985	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 6	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0055	Friends of Churchill Island Society	1982-1986	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 7	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0056	Friends of French Island	1982-1990	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 8	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0057	Friends of Gellibrand Hill	1982	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 9	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0058	Friends of Grampians	1984-1990	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 10	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0059	Friends of Hattah-Kulkyne	1984-1985	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 11	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0060	Friends of Kinglake	1981-1986	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 12	1995.0121 Unit 10

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1995.0121.0061	Friends of Lysterfield Lake Park	1983-1986	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 13	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0062	Marine Parks Committee	1989	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 14	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0063	Friends of Mount Buffalo	1983-1984	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 15	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0064	Friends of Mount Worth	1981-1985	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 16	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0065	Friends of Nepean Parks	1976-1987	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 17	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0066	Friends of Nyerimiliang	1982-1986	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 18	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0067	Maribynong Valley Committee	1972-1973	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 19	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0068	Friends of Organ Pipes national Park	1978-1992	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 20	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0069	Friends of Otway National Park	1983-1988	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 21	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0070	Friends of Prom	1979-1989	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 22	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0071	Friends of Sherbrook Forest	1982-1990	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 23	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0072	Friends of Warrandyte State Park	1982-1990	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 24	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0073	Friends of Werribee Gorge and the Long Forest Mallee	1984	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 25	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0074	Friends of National parks Conference, 1st	1983	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 26	1995.0121 Unit 10

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1995.0121.0075	Friends of national parks Conference, 2nd	1985	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 27	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0076	Friends of national parks Conference, 3rd	1987	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 28	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0077	Friends of national parks Conference, 4th and 5th	1989-1991	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 29	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0078	Friends of National Parks Conference, 6th and 7th	1993-1995	Previous Control Number Friends Groups Archives File 30	1995.0121 Unit 10
1995.0121.0079	Tracing of map of Wilsons Promontory	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory, In Cardboard Roll	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0080	The Prom - an account of the history and natural history of Wilsons Promontory	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory In stiff cardboard covers	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0081	Correspondence with National I Library, Canberra, Miss Murphy and notes on Gippsland history, by Rev. Cox	1977	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory In Envelope	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0082	Various Papers, Ros Garnet File	1962-1974	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 1	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0083	Ros Garnet Papers, includes The Kershaw Collection list of Slides c. 1903-1923	1968-1977	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 2	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0084	Ros Garnet Papers on Wilsons Promontory	1846-1937	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 3	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0085	Ros Garnet Papers - Various lists of Birds	1962	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 4	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0086	Ros Garnet Papers	1939-1977	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 5	1995.0121 Unit 11

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1995.0121.0087	Ros Garnet Papers, Various Articles by J. Ros Garnet - type scripts, photocopies, carbon copies	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 6	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0088	Ros Garnet Papers, Incomplete drafts and articles by J. Ros Garnet, mainly handwritten, with missing pages	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 7	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0089	Ros Garnet Papers, Mainly Correspondence dealing with compiling a book, Draft of the The Early History of Wilson's Promontory, Ros Garnet Papers, Correspondence	1955-1969	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 8	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0090	Ros Garnet Papers, References	1844-1970	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory, Folder 9	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0091	Ros Garnet Files, Various lists of crustacea	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 10	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0092	Ros Garnet Files, Lists of Fauna of Wilson's Promontory: Mammals; Placentals; Marsupials; Monotremes; Reptiles; Frogs; Fish; Insects; Lepidoptera; Coleoptera	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 11	1995.0121 Unit 12

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1995.0121.0093	Ros Garnet Files, The Vegetation of the Promontory, list of flora, classification systems, statistics	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 12	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0094	Various lists of fauna, mainly crustacea, coleptera (beetles) mostly handwritten by J. Ros Garnet	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory, Folder 13	1995.0121 Unit 11
1995.0121.0095	Various lists of mollusca, including gastropoda, mostly handwritten by J. Ros. Garnet	Undated	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 14	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0096	Ros Garnet Files, Wilson's Promontory History	1905-1967	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 15	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0097	Ros Garnet File, Controversy re hotel/ motel project , correspondence, Legislative Council notices, Copy of Lease between National Parks Authority and the Chalet International	1961-1965	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 16	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0098	Correspondence and Newspaper Cuttings	January 1975- January 1986	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 17	1995.0121 Unit 12
1995.0121.0099	Wilson's Promontory pamphlets, maps and general background material	1965-1986	Previous Control Number Wilsons Promontory Folder 18	1995.0121 Unit 12