

# *INGLEBURN COMMUNITY HALL*

Lot 8 Section 8 DP 2913 No. 72 Oxford Road, Ingleburn  
Hall with Art deco facade, built c. 1920's



## **HISTORY AND DESCRIPTION:**

It seems that a building (possibly the original school house which had previously served as part of the water construction camp at Brooks Point near Appin) could have been erected on the site as early as 1892 when a much larger area of land (bounded by Carlisle Street, Cambridge Street, Cumberland Road and Oxford Road) was in the ownership of John Laycock and Gregory Blaxland. (Laycock had been involved in the establishment of the school opposite).

The title however, shows that the particular piece of land on which the community hall now stands was transferred in 1906 to Samuel Skerritt, Frederick Suttor and William Harris. A caveat was placed on the property at the same time. The purpose of the caveat is unknown but presumably it recognized the owners as the "trustees of the School of Arts".

## **CONDITION AND USE:**

Now used as a community hall.

## **HERITAGE SIGNIFICANCE:**

- The building has Historical, Social and Architectural significance
- The building is of local significance because:
  - it represents early social and community activity in the small, new but growing community suburb of Ingleburn – a continuous function;
  - the Art Deco façade is representative of the "School of Arts" design of the period; and
  - the building is a dominant feature in the main street of Ingleburn.

## **HERITAGE LISTING:**

**LOCAL:** LEP 2002

**STATE:** *Macarthur Regional Heritage Study: Map 4, No. 9*