

Sutton Grange

1957 – 1977

Details

Sutton Grange in Mornington was established by the Victorian Government in 1957. The Home accommodated wards of the state in sibling groups. By 1962 it accommodated 30 children: girls from 4 to 17 and boys from 4 to 8 years of age. The children attended local schools. Sutton Grange was closed in September 1977.

The establishment of a 'home' at 'Sutton Grange' was announced in the Victorian Government Gazette of June 1957.

In 1965, the Matron at Sutton Grange was Matron Davies.

Gallery



Mornington, Sutton Grange, Tanti Avenue



Play time, 'Sutton Grange'

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At "Sutton Grange", Mornington

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