

# Havilah Little Children's Home

1918 – 1976

- Other Names: Havilah Home, Wahroonga
  - Havilah Home for Little Children
  - Havilah Babies Home
  - Havilah

## Details

Havilah Little Children's Home was established in a house called Havilah in Hinemoa Road, Normanhurst (also referred to as Wahroona) in 1918 by the Church of England Diocese of Sydney. It was a home for infant children aged under six years. Havilah Little Children's Home was established by the Homes and Hostels Committee for Children, which in 1930 merged with the Church of England Homes.

At Normanhurst, the Havilah site consisted of four main houses – No.1, No.2, No.3, and No.4. Havilah Home No.3 closed during the early days of the Great Depression, and did not reopen.

In 1950, Havilah moved to 'Seven Oaks' at Carlingford next to the Church of England Boys' Home on Pennant Hills Road. The Seven Oaks property was renamed Havilah. This house became a group home in the 1970s. It closed in 1976, and the property was sold in 1979.

After Havilah in Carlingford was sold, the area was rezoned with new street developments. The frontage of the property was reoriented from Pennant Hills Road to a new street, and currently has the address 29 Bevan Place, Carlingford.

## Gallery



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#### 29 Bevan Place Carlingford: "Havilah House" - Regal Estate 1588sqm

**Description:** This is an image that appeared in a real estate listing in Homehound in 2012.



## Havilah - Carlingford - 754 Pennant Hills Road Carlingford (29 Bevan Place Carlingford)

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Church of England Home for Children, Annual Report and Balance Sheet 1925-1926, front cover

**Description:** This is a copy of the front cover of the Annual report and Balance Sheet for 1925-1926 of the Church of England Home for Children. It shows an image of the Havilah Little Children's Home, when it was located in Wahroonga (or Normanhurst).



Havilah - Carlingford - 754 Pennant Hills Carlingford (or 29 Bevan Place Carlingford)

**Description:** This is a copy of an image that was published in the Annual Report of Church of England Homes in 1950-1951.

## More info

### **Related Entries**

#### Run by

- Home Mission Society of the Anglican Diocese of Sydney (1856 1997) The Homes and Hostels Committee of the Home Mission Society ran Havilah Little Children's Home until 1930, when the Church of England Homes took control of Havilah Date: 1918 - 1930
- <u>Church of England Homes (c. 1884 1984)</u>
  Church of England Homes took over the management of Havilah Little Children's Home from the Home Mission Society in 1930.
  Date: 1930 1980

#### **Related Organisations**

- Church of England Boys' Home (1918 1976) Boys at Havilah Little Children's Home were sent to the Church of England Boys' Home
- <u>Church of England Girls' Home, Carlingford (1928 1977)</u>
- Girls were transferred from Havilah Little Children's Home to Church of England Girls' Home, Carlingford • Quipolli Children's Home (1925 - 1936)
- Girls from Havilah Little Children's Home were transferred to Quipolli Children's Home as they grew older.

### Resources

• In Equity, They Sydney Morning Herald, 11 March 1933

### Other Resources



Title: Havilah Homes - Normanhurst Type: Image Date: 1920s - 1940s Details

## Records

For more information and to access your records, follow the links below:

### Records

• Anglicare Children's Homes, Foster Care and Out-of-Home Care Records (1932 - 2010s)

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