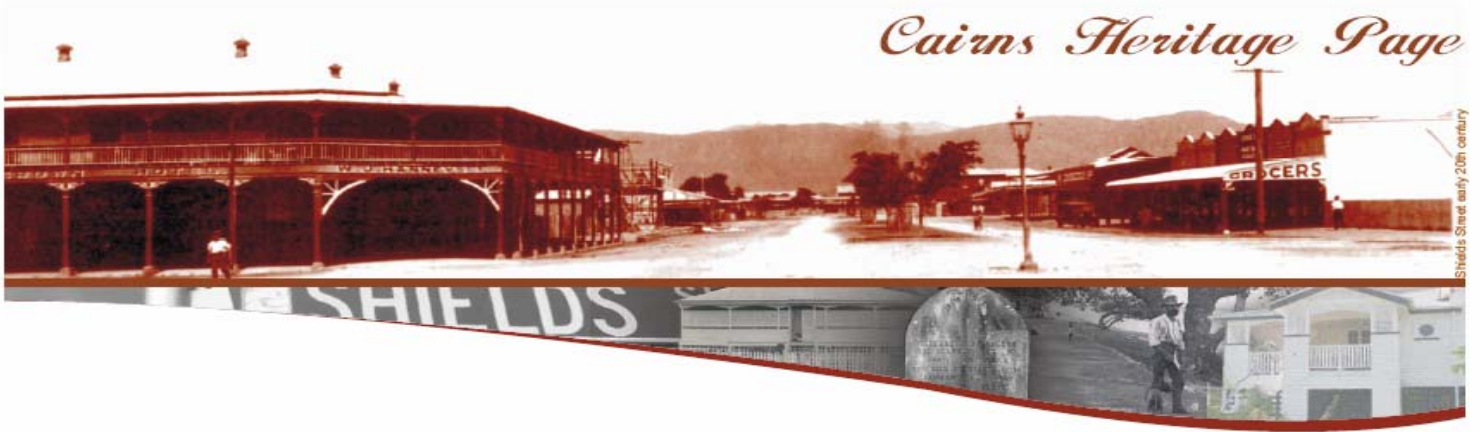


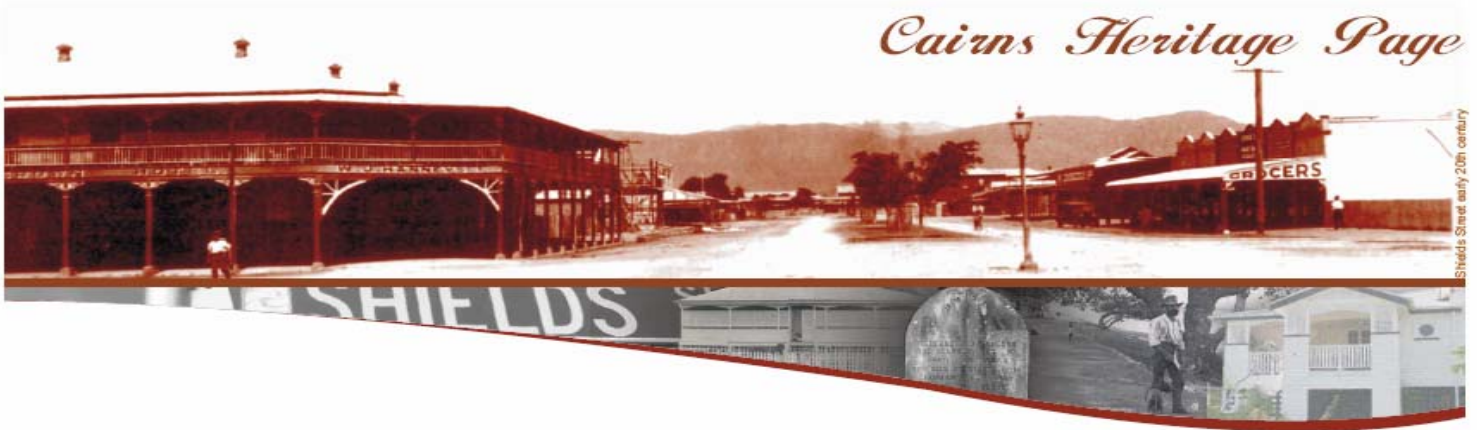


'D' Street Names

Street Name	Suburb	Street Name Origin
Dahlia Close	Mooroobool	The estate in which this close exists is based on a floral theme. The Dahlia is named after the Swedish botanist Dr. Anders Dahl and belongs to the Asteraceae family. These flowers originated in the mountain ranges of Mexico, Guatemala and Colombia before becoming popular throughout the world.
Daintree Close	Mount Sheridan	Named after the Daintree River that provides water for the 135 million year old ancient and primitive rainforest.
Daisy Street	Yorkeys Knob	Named after Daisy Lui, a former female staff member of the former Mulgrave Shire Council.
Dale Close	Bayview Heights	This close was named after a male Christian name theme.
Dalgety Street	Stratford	This street is named after Mr Dalgety who owned the land and was the foreman of the Shire Council Works.
Dalla Costa Access	Edmonton	This street was named after an old family of the Edmonton area. Two Dalla Costa brothers married two Tunj sisters combining both families of the area.
Dall'alba Close	Gordonvale	This close was named after an early pioneering family in the area.
Dallas Street	White Rock	This street was named after a United States of America theme, Dallas is a city in Texas.
Dalrymple Street	Edge Hill	Mr George Elphinstone Dalrymple was an explorer of the Coastal district of Queensland in 1873, and led the North-East Coast Expedition.
Dalton Road	Aloomba	No information found.
Dalton Street	Bungalow, Westcourt	Named after the Dalton family who owned the land before it was sub-divided.



Dalziel Street	Stratford	Originally known as Nellie Street, this street was renamed to honour the Dalziel family. Private George Dalziel died in action in World War 1 at the Western Front, and his cousin Sargent Henry (Harry) Dalziel was awarded the Victorian Cross.
Damson Drive	Redlynch	The street names in this subdivision are based on a rainforest theme. Damson is the common name of a small dark-purple plum tree (<i>Prunus institia</i>) that is native to Damascus, Syria.
Dan Jones Street	Bentley Park	This street was named after Dan Jones and early cane farmer.
Danbullan Street	Smithfield	Named after a Mountain theme, Mt Danbullan is adjacent to Wangetti.
Dandaloo Street	Bayview Heights	No information found.
Dann Street	Mooroobool	Named after Mr H.E. Dann, a long time prominent Cairns solicitor from 1930-1987.
Daphne Drive	Redlynch	No information found.
Daphne Street	Redlynch	No information found.
Daren Street	Smithfield	This street was surveyed on the 30th September 1974 and was registered with the Mulgrave Shire Council on the 4th February 1976.
Darkin Close	Smithfield	No information found.
Darlingia Close	Redlynch	This close was named after a rainforest and water theme. The Darlingia is a North Queensland rainforest tree.
David Street	Machans Beach	Named after David Christensen, a Mulgrave Shire Councillor from 1943-1957 and 1961-1972.
David Street	Manunda	Named after David Chaplin whose father owned land before it was



sub-divided.

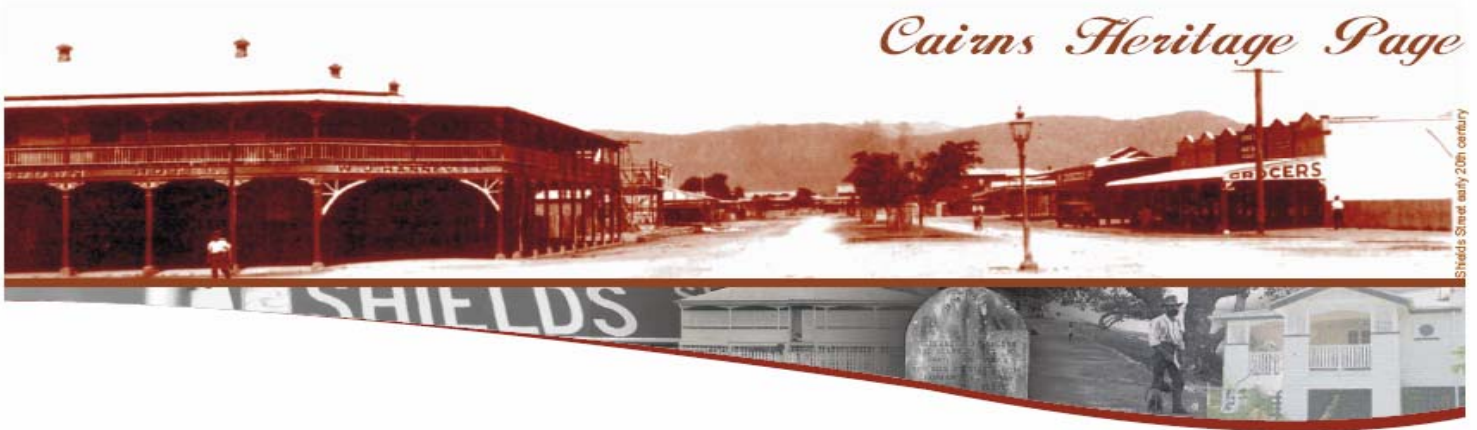
Davids Street	Gordonvale	Named after S. W. Davids, Manager of the Mulgrave Mill from 1898 to 1919.
Davidson Close	Redlynch	No information found.
Davies Road	Mount Peter	Named after John Davies, a railway linesman who died on the 13 th of January 1940. His family descendants still tend his and his wife Elizabeth's graves on the west bank of Wright Creek. The survey of the area began in March 1986.
		This road was renamed in 2006 to Sawmill Pocket Road due to the confusion with Davis Road in the nearby area.
Davis Close	Manoora	This close was named after R.E. Davis who was the Mayor of Cairns from 1978 to 1988.
Davis Road	Wrights Creek	This road was named after an early farming family in the area.
Dawson Street	Bramston Beach	Named after Andrew Dawson (1863–1910) who served as Queensland's first Labor Premier in 1899.
Daykin Close	Redlynch	No information found.
Daytona Street	Kewarra Beach	Named after a beach theme, Daytona Beach is in Fort Lauderdale USA.
De Jarlais Street	Earlville	Named after Alderman David De Jarlais a member of Council 1958-1967, 1969-1973, 1976-1978 & Mayor 1969-1973, 1976-1978. He passed away while in office on the 9th April 1978 after suffering from a heart attack.
De Roma Close	Kanimbla	Named after a farmer of the cane lands during the 1930/40s period.
De Vecchi Close	Edmonton	Named after a long-term employee of Hambledon Sugar Mill. The survey plan was registered on 30/7/1996.



Deacon Court	Mooroobool	Named after Mr Dunbar's (1885 Headmaster) assistant, Miss Deacon.
Deanna Street	Woree	Streets in this subdivision are named after a female Christian name theme.
Deauville Close	Yorkeys Knob	No information found.
Debbie Street	Trinity Park	No information found.
Deep Acres Drive	Palm Cove	No information found.
Del Manso Crescent	Edmonton	Named after a long-term employee of the Hambleton Sugar Mill. The survey plan was registered on 6/5/1997.
Delaney Close	Kanimbla	Named after Constable Joe Delaney who was the first Policeman in Cairns in 1876.
Delta View Close	Freshwater	Streets in this area are named after a water theme.
Dempsey Street	Gordonvale	John Dempsey was a cane grower and former deputy Mayor of Cairns.
Denbeigh Street	Parramatta Park	This street was originally surveyed on the 6th April 1935.
Denman Close	Manoora	This close was named after George Denman who settled on the Palmer River in 1880 to operate an ore crusher. The last ore battery operated on the Palmer in the 1930's.
Denmark Street	Edmonton	No information found.
Dennis Close	Mooroobool	Named after Mr Paul Dennis a local Authorised Surveyor 1985.
Dennison Court	Smithfield	Named after a mountain theme, Mt Denison is in Central Australia, Northern Territory. The street name is misspelt.



Denver Street	White Rock	Named after a United States of America theme, Denver is a city in Colorado.
Deppeler Road	Edmonton, Wrights Creek	This road was named after a pioneering family in the district. The survey plan was registered on 4/5/2001.
Derby Street	Yorkeys Knob	No information found.
Derrick Street	Redlynch	Dr Derrick was the last medical superintendent of the Irvinebank Hospital prior to its closure around 1932.
Derwent Street	Trinity Park	Streets in this subdivision were named after ships. The HMAS Derwent was in the Australian Navy Fleet.
Deshon Street	Manoora	Named after Mr Deshon who was an Engineer in 1911.
Detroit Street	White Rock	Named after a United States of American theme, Detroit is a city in Michigan.
Dexter Road	Gordonvale	This road was named after an early Gordonvale farming family.
Di Maggio Access	Miriwinni	No information found.
Di Savia Close	Whitfield	This close was named after the family of the wife of the developer, Mr Ponticello.
Di Silva Court	Brinsmead	No information found.
Diamond Street	Mount Sheridan	Named after a ship theme, HMS Diamond was a destroyer involved in service during World War II at Crete. The ship was sunk on April 27 th 1941 whilst carrying Australian and New Zealand troops.
Dickson Road	Babinda	This road was named after a pioneering family in the area.
Diehm Street	Aeroglen	Named after the property owner Fredrick Andrew Diehm, who was a



dairy farmer.

Digger Street	Cairns North	This street was named because many soldiers' homes were built in the area after World War 1.
Digger Street	Gordonvale	This street was named after the 'diggers' who fought for their country in World War 1 1914–1918.
Dillon Close	White Rock	Mr Thomas Dillon was an early settler in Cairns and was Mayor in 1914 and 1916. He was also the owner of Dillon's Cordial Factory.
Dillon Road	Caravonica	Named after the property owner.
Dillon Street	Bungalow, Mooroobool	Mr Thomas Dillon was an early settler in Cairns and was Mayor in 1914 and 1916. He was also the owner of Dillon's Cordial Factory.
Dinner Creek Road	Eubenangee	So called because it crosses and runs near Dinner Creek.
Dirran Close	Edmonton	No information found.
Discovery Drive	Kewarra Beach	Named after the early Australian explorer Captain James Cook in 1770.
Disney Street	White Rock	No information found.
Diwi Diwi Street	Manoora	No information found.
Dodd Court	Mooroobool	Named after the first editor of the first newspaper.
Dollisson Street	Manunda	This street was named after Mr L.F. Dollisson an Alderman of Cairns City Council, 1952-1957.
Dolphin Close	Kewarra Beach	Named after an Australian beaches theme, Dolphin Beach is on the Gold Coast.



Donaldson Road	Aloomba	This road was named after Mr T.H. Donaldson who was Mayor of Cairns in 1917.
Donaldson Street	Manunda	This street was named after Mr T.H. Donaldson who was Mayor of Cairns in 1917.
Donnelly Close	Brinsmead	No information found.
Donovan Close	Edmonton	This close was named after early mining identity Tom Donovan.
Dora Street	Smithfield	Streets in this subdivision are named after female Christian names.
Doritis Close	Edmonton	Named after the Doritis genera of orchids including the <i>Doritis pulcherrima</i> . There are many species of Doritis, which are found in Burma, Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia, Singapore and Sumatra.
Dorunda Street	Mount Sheridan	Named after a ship theme, the Dorunda was a passenger and cargo ship that was launched in 1875, and was fitted both with sailing rigs and steam engines.
Douglas Street	Manunda	Named after Judge James Archibald Douglas, who was appointed as a Queensland Supreme Court Judge from 1964 to 1984.
Douglas Track Road	Kamerunga	Named after Sub Inspector Alexander Douglas Douglas who blazed a track from Thornsborough on the Hodgkinson Goldfield to Trinity Bay in 1876.
Dove Court	Bayview Heights	Streets in this subdivision are named after a bird theme. There are over 308 species of doves, and the terms dove and pigeon are used interchangeably, though the smaller species are more likely to be called doves. Doves are related to the extinct dodo.
Down Street	Freshwater	The Down family ran the Freshwater Hotel for many years before 1923.
Downing Road	Goldsborough	This road was named after an early farming family in the Goldsborough area.



Downing Street	Earlville	No information found.
Dowsett Close	Yorkeys Knob	No information found.
Doyle Street	Bungalow	Named after Patrick John Doyle (1863–1923) who was a well-known businessman of Cairns, specialising as a wine and spirit merchant as well as a large-scale sugar cane farmer.
Draper Place	Whitfield	Named after Norman P. Draper who was a successful business manager and the brother of Alexander Draper.
Draper Road	Gordonvale	Named after Alexander Frederick John Draper, prominent Cairns citizen, alderman from 1889–1927, and mayor for seven terms in 1891–1893, 1897, 1902, 1918 and 1924-26. He was the owner of the Cairns Morning Post. He came to Cairns as a Bank Manager and opened his own business as an auctioneer and commission agent. He was also prominent in the Mulgrave Central Sugar Mill. He passed away on March 31, 1928. This street was originally known as the Carrah Farm Road.
Draper Street	Parramatta Park, Portsmith	Named after Alexander Frederick John Draper a prominent Cairns citizen who was Alderman from 1889–1927, and Mayor for five terms in 1891–93, 1897, 1902, 1918-19 and 1924-27. He was the owner of the Cairns Morning Post although he came to Cairns as a Bank Manager and opened his own business as an auctioneer and commission agent. He was also prominent in the Mulgrave Central Sugar Mill. He passed away on March 31, 1928.
Drexl Close	Gordonvale	Named after an early family in the area.
Drift Close	Goldsborough	Named after the gold mining that occurred in this area.
Dromana Close	Kewarra Beach	Named after an Australian beaches theme, Dromana is a bay side beach on the outskirts of Melbourne.
Drupa Street	Palm Cove	This street was named for a seashell theme after the Drupa shell genus. The street was surveyed on the 23 rd December 1996 and registered with the Cairns City Council on the 10 th March 1997.
Duane Close	Brinsmead	This close was surveyed on the 1st of April 1986 and was registered



with the Mulgrave Shire Council on the 3 June 1986.

Ducrot Road	Babinda	No information found.
Duffy Street	Freshwater	Named after the early settling family of Jim Duffy. It was originally known as Knudson Street.
Dugong Close	Bentley Park	The dugong is a mammal found along the tropical Queensland coast. The word dugong comes from the Malay language 'duyung' that means lady of the sea or mermaid. They live in shallow waters and feed on sea grass which is why they are referred to as 'sea-cows'.
Duignan Street	Whitfield	This street was named after a prominent early farming family in the area.
Dunbar Street	Mooroobool	Named for Edward Henry Vivian Dunbar, headmaster at the Cairns State School from the 1 st of January 1885 to the 27th May 1886.
Dundee Close	White Rock	This close was named after a motion picture theme. Michael J 'Crocodile' Dundee was a larger than life Aussie Bushman played by Paul Hogan. The movie and its sequels were enormously successful in both Australia and overseas markets.
Dungarvan Drive	Brinsmead	No information found.
Dunn Street	Parramatta Park	This street is named after Mr S. Dunn who was a Land Commissioner in Cairns.
Dunne Road	Yorkeys Knob	No information found.
Durian Close	Manoora	The Queensland Housing Commission requested that all streets in this estate be named after tropical fruits. Durian is a tropical fruit native to Southeast Asia.
Dutton Street	Cairns City, Portsmith	No information found.

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Duvir Close	Brinsmead	Named after Joseph Duvir, a publican in Smithfield in the late 1870s.
Duyfken Street	Bentley Park	Named after a Dutch ship involved in early exploration of Australia at the Gulf of Carpentaria in 1605-06 that was commanded by Willem Jansz.
Dwyer Place	Redlynch	Michael Dwyer, the oldest known grave in Cairns is on the banks of the Barron River, near Stratford. There is still a weathered headstone. Michael was a constable of gold escort who died in July 1877.
Dyer Close	Gordonvale	No information found.