

The House of Tartans

Australian Tartan Suppliers

Victoria State Tartan

Registered Number 2509. STWR 27th December 1998.



The colours depicted within the 'sett' of the Victoria State Tartan are historically linked with the armorial bearings for the State of Victoria.

DARK BLUE - Represents the blue azure of the shield on the Victoria Coat of Arms and the background of the Victorian State flag originating from the British Blue Ensign.

WHITE - The five white stripes within the tartan represents the five white stars of the constellation of the Southern Cross unique to the Southern Hemisphere and attached on the shield in the Victorian Coat of Arms from 1870.

GREEN - Represents the live branch the grassy mount on which the two female figures stand which supports the motto for the State, "Peace and Prosperity".

PINK - Represents the State floral emblem of Victoria, the Common Pink Heath adopted in 1958.

LIGHT BLUE - Depicted within the centre of the 'sett', is reminiscent of the Eureka Stockade flag displayed in 1854.

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The Scottish Register of Tartans

Tartan Details - Victoria State (Australia)

The information held within The Scottish Register of Tartans for the "Victoria State (Australia)" tartan is shown below.

STA ref: 2509

STWR ref: 2509

Designer: Johnston, Betty

Tartan date: 01/11/1998

Registration date: This tartan was recorded prior to the launch of The Scottish Register of Tartans.

Category: District

Restrictions:

Registration notes: Designed in November 1998 by Betty Johnston of House of Tartan in Canberra, Australia. The blue is that of the Eureka Stockade Flag and the pink is the colour of the State's floral emblem the Pink Heath flower. 'We swear by the Southern Cross to stand truly by each other and fight to defend our rights and liberties.' Beneath the starry flag of rebellion, that oath was taken by hundreds of gold diggers at Ballarat in 1854. The Eureka rebellion led by Peter Lalor was a short-lived revolt against petty officialdom and although a military failure, led to political and personal benefits for many Australians.



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