



ACT Government

AUSTRALIAN CAPITAL TERRITORY

PUBLIC PLACE NAMES ACT 1989

INSTRUMENT NO. 276 OF 2001

Pursuant to section 4 of the *Public Place Names Act 1989*, I determine the name of the public place that is Territory Land as specified in the attached Schedule and as indicated on the attached map.

Dated the 28th day of August 2001.

LINCOLN HAWKINS
Delegate of the Minister

SCHEDULE

PUBLIC PLACE NOMENCLATURE

DIVISION OF Campbell

NAME	ORIGIN	SIGNIFICANCE
Legacy Park	Legacy Club	<p>Legacy is a uniquely Australian organisation established in 1923 by ex-servicemen dedicated to the task of caring for the widows and dependants of deceased comrades, whether they died on active service or later in civilian life.</p> <p>Stanley George Savige enlisted in the AIF on March 6, 1915 and was posted to 24 Battalion. He saw service in France and Flanders where he was awarded the Military Cross for bravery. For his outstanding leadership and organisation in this force he was decorated with the Distinguished Service Order.</p> <p>On his return to Melbourne, he met with a group of ex-24 Battalion officers and floated the idea of forming a club similar to one that had been founded in Hobart named the Remembrance Club. After several informal meetings, the inaugural meeting was held at Anzac House in Melbourne. Eight of the 14 who attended were former members of 24 Battalion. For the next 26 years, due to Savige's innate goodness, sincerity, energy and enthusiasm, his name and the Club and movement he founded were inseparable.</p> <p>The inaugural members in 1923 gave much thought to what they would call their new Club. One former 24 Battalion man, Frank Selleck (later a Lord Mayor of Melbourne) had said at one meeting, "We have to remember that in a way we survivors have received a legacy to see that the ideals our comrades died fighting for are maintained in Australia". The word "legacy" struck a chord and seemed the most appropriate of all names considered and it was adopted as the Club name - Melbourne Legacy - on October 16, 1923.</p>

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 Delegate's Initials

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