

## Prayer – against Lower Reserve being let for sport

01.10.1873

To the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Sandhurst.

The respectful Petition of the undersigned inhabitants of the City of Sandhurst  
Sheweth

That a petition being presented to the Council advocating the erection of a Grandstand on the Hill in the City Reserve at the old Rotunda and the conversion of the portion of the reserve below it into a permanent recreation ground for carrying out games and all sorts of sports and amusements.

We strongly protest against the Hill or any part of the ground referred to being diverted from the purposes to which the park has been appropriated since it has come under the control of the Council.

That it is the only reserve in this City appropriated to the recreation and amusement of the inhabitants in general [?]

That a considerable sum of the Public Money has been spent in planting and ornamenting that portion of the grounds and that we consider it would be a perfect desecration to give the use of them either permanently or tempor[ar]ily for athletic games and sports.

That portion of the reserve known as "Commissioner's Gully" has at considerable expense to the Council been levelled so as to be well adapted for the purposes.

Your Petitioners therefore earnestly urge the Council to decline to suffer any infringement of the free use by the inhabitants at all times of the only agreeable and available reserve in the City for their recreation and amusements and your petitioners ever pray.

## List of Petitioners

Page	Column	Surname	First name	Address
2	1	Latham	Thomas C.	
2	1	Esler	Hugh	
2	1	Cahill	Charles	
2	1	Vickery	James S.	
2	1	Penistan	James	
2	1	Murray	H	
2	1	Stamp	M	
2	1	Walker	Joshua	
2	1	Watson	Thomas	
2	1	Nicholas	H.B.	
2	1	Munro	Duncan	
2	1	Lazarus	B.	
2	1	Hodgson	H.W.	
2	1	Hodgson	F or H	
2	1	Whitelock	John G.	
2	1	Armitage	John	
2	1	Hall	I.P. [?]	
2	1	Shadbolt	James	

2	1	Gonjon [?]	Samuel	
2	1	Henshall	T.N.	
2	1	Santori		
2	1	Illegible	James	
2	1	Masey [?]	Burnard	
2	1	Terry	Samuel [J?]	
2	1	Selwood	Jesse	
2	1	Heine	A	
2	1	Rossow	Theodor	
2	1	Browning	Matthew	
2	1	Warne	George	
2	2	illegible	John	
2	2	McCausland		
2	2	Aldworth	Alfred	
2	2	Ellison	M	
2	2	McFadgan	Mat	
2	2	Johnston	M	
2	2	Bickel	Samuel	
2	2	Newey	William	
2	2	Hawkins	W	
2	2	Ree		
2	2	illegible	Thomas	
2	2	Prisso	Jacob	
2	2	illegible		
2	2	Barlow	R.T.	Forest Street
2	2	Harper	Edward	
2	2	Malcolm	R.C.	
2	2	Watson	J.C.	View Street
2	2	Dickison	J.G.	
2	2	Price	Edwd.	
2	2	illegible	George	
2	2	Illegible		
2	2	Prior	J.M.	View Place
2	2	Cowling	J	
2	2	O'Brien	Matthew	
2	2	Williams		
2	2	Selfe	James Jno.	
2	2	McLevy	J	
2	2	Snow	Chas.	
3	1	Douglas [?]		
3	1	illegible	Henry	
3	1	Fletcher [?]	R.P.	
3	1	Lewis	Wm. E.	

3	1	Halliger	H
3	1	Scholtz	Ludwig
3	1	Davis	John T.
3	1	Power [?]	John
3	1	Berges	Johan Adam
3	1	Vibert	Geo.
3	1	Booty	Philip
3	1	Jones	Henry
3	1	Hawes [?]	W.A.
3	1	Jackson	Henry
3	1	Hands	Edward
3	1	illegible	C. [?]
3	1	illegible	G.M
3	1	Lees	William
3	1	Wilkinson	Harry L.
3	1	Mueller	Ernst
3	1	Ross	Charles
3	1	Fick	H
3	1	Fletcher [?]	A
3	1	Illegible	Henry
3	1	Illegible	W.A.
3	1	Harry [?]	James
3	1	Saddler	J
3	1	Kneese	H
3	1	Fly	John
3	1	Fly	Chas.
3	1	Herschell	R
3	1	Hill	William
3	2	Stirling	J.W.
3	2	Smith	Elderson
3	2	Tuck	Thos
3	2	Gullock	Thos
3	2	Boyd	Hugh
3	2	Spooner	Frank
3	2	Youland [?]	Joseph
3	2	Smith	W.M. [?]
3	2	Simpson	W
3	2	Hodge	And. [?]
3	2	Vallentine [?]	Geo.
3	2	Bucknall	W.A.
3	2	Lewellin	W.E. [?]
3	2	Wood	Henry
3	2	Palin	Robt.

3	2	Clift	James	
3	2	Illegible	P	
3	2	Ramage	Richd.	
3	2	Condon	Michael	
3	2	Kean	Robert	
3	2	Bo [?]	S	
3	2	Kershaw	Richard	
3	2	Nicholls	William [?]	
3	2	Casey	William	
4	1	Illegible	Andrew	Barkl[e]y Place
4	1	Barwick	Joseph	Barkl[e]y Terrace
4	1	Flaad	Geo	View Street
4	1	Collard	James F.	Korong Road
4	1	Martin	John S.	Ironbark
4	1	J. Cohn Bros.		Sandhurst
4	1	M + Ballin [?]		Sandhurst
4	1	Montgomery	Jas.	Sandhurst
4	1	Gollmick	W	Sandhurst
4	1	Darby	Edmund	Ironbark
4	1	Minter [?]	George	Hargrave [Hargreaves ] Street
4	1	Leahy	W	Dowling Street
4	1	May	S	High Street
4	1	Findlay	John	High Street
4	1	Nealy	Robert	Bath Lane
4	1	Boyd	James (M.D.)	View Point
4	1	Dawborn	John	View Point
4	1	James	William	
4	1	Dillon	W.J.	View Point
4	1	illegible	William	View Point
4	1	Dixon	John	View Point

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And your petitioners ever pray

Thomas. Tatham  
Hugh Elder  
Charles C. C.

James Hickory  
James Peniston  
G. Murray

W. Mason  
John Walker  
Thomas Watson  
H. B. Nicholas  
Duncan Munro  
B. Lazarus

H. M. Hargoon  
H. Hodgson  
John G. Whitlock  
John Annetop  
J. P. Hale  
James P. Holt  
Emuel Boyer  
W. Kenilhall

L. Sutori  
James Sutori  
Bernard Mary  
Samuel J. Perry  
J. P. Sclerod  
A. Heine  
Theodor Nassau  
Matthew Browning  
George Waere

John Spruce  
W. M. C. C. C.  
J. P. C. C. C.  
M. C. C. C.

Mat. W. C. C.  
M. Johnstone  
James B. C. C.  
William C. C.  
T. A. C. C.  
McLan C. C.  
Thomas C. C.  
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R. T. Barlow  
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Thompson  
Wm. Smith  
P. E. Fletcher  
M. Lewis  
H. Halliger  
Ludwig Scholtz  
John T. Davis  
John Powell  
(John) Adams, Berge  
G. O. Miller  
Philip J. Dooty

Thompson  
W. A. Hawes  
Henry Jackson  
Edward Hand

Thompson  
J. H. Williams  
William Lees

Nam, L. W. King  
Ernest Chalk  
Charles Ross  
H. B. Fitch  
A. F. H. Fitch  
Henry W. W. and Henry  
W. H. W. W.  
James W. W.  
J. Sadler  
H. W. W.  
John H. W.  
Chas. H. W.  
B. H. W.  
William H. W.

W. W. W.  
E. W. W.  
W. W. W.  
Thos. Gullack  
Hugh Boyd  
Thos. Spooner  
Joseph Gault

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Andrew Lunn  
Joseph Sumner  
Geo. F. Ladd  
James L. Lott  
Linn & Martin  
John B. Co. M. Ballin  
M. M. M.

Geo. Montgomery  
W. Gollnick

Edmund D. Dwyer  
George Munte  
W. H. M.

John D. Dwyer  
Robert Munte  
James Boyd MD  
John D. Dwyer

William James  
W. J. Dillon  
M. M. M.  
John D. Dwyer

Duke Blue  
M. M. M.  
View Street  
Corona Road  
Lynn B. Ark  
Sandhurst  
Sandhurst  
Sandhurst  
Sandhurst  
Lynn B. Ark

Longgrave Street  
Dwight Street  
High Street  
Bath Lane  
View Point  
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