Schotia brachpetala — Tree Fuschia

Scientific Name: Schotia brachpetala

Common Name: Tree Fuschia

Register Number: 8

Location of Tree: 6 Renner Street, Alice Springs NT

GPS: -23.69659, 133.88819

Categories of Significance: Rare

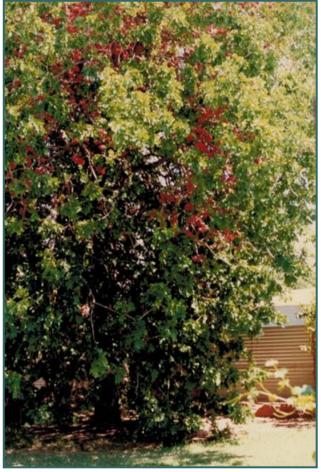
Date Planted: 1950's

Planted By: Bob Winkworth

Year Listed: 1986







This tree is located on the site that was the previous dwelling of CSIRO officer Bob 'Winky' Winkworth in the 1950's. It is thought that he planted the tree during this time.

The Fuschia, being a native of central Africa, also seems ideally suited to the Alice Springs climate.

To this day this specimen is still quite healthy, and the only of its type in the Alice Springs region.