

Bennette Park

Scientific Name:

Calophyllum inophyllum,
Samanea saman

Common Name:

Beauty Leaf, Raintree

Register Numbers:

35, 36, 37, 38 & 39

Location of Tree:

Bennette Park, Lot 4820
Bennett Street, Darwin NT

GPS:

-12.46546, 130.8429

Categories of Significance:

Aesthetic
Size
Unique Location

Date Planted:

1883

Planted By:

The Jolly Family

Year Listed:

1988



These trees were planted by the Jolly Family. A.E. Jolly came to Darwin in 1883 and established a General Store where the Reserve Bank now stands. The store was quite beneficial to Darwin, as it sold everything from pencils to cars. After World War II it was re-built on the corner of Knuckey and Smith Streets where Woolworths now stands.

