# Hartwell House

1960 - 1970

# **Details**

Hartwell House was a Dr Barnardo's family group home for boys and girls that opened in 1960 at Kiama. It closed in 1970.

In 1994 a former housemaster of Hartwell House, Vic Holyoak, was sentenced to 10 years jail for sexually abusing children placed in his care.

Hartwell House was sold by Barnardo's and became a private residence.

## Gallery



### **Hartwell House**

**Description:** This is an image from the Nardy - Old Boys & Girls Reunion Club website Cottage Homes Album. This image shows the front porch of Hartwell House, a Barnardo's family group home in Kiama. This photo is undated, the date included is an estimate.



### Hartwell House Kiama

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• Dr Barnardos in Australia (1966 - c. 1995)

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• Child Migration (1800s - 1970s)

## Resources

- Remmer, Clifford, Nardy Old Boys & Girls Reunion Club, 2005
- Welfare official arrives, The Sydney Morning Herald, 20 September 1966
- Matthews, Bernie, Unintended Consequences for State Raised Children, No date

# Records

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## Records

- Barnardos Australia, Records (c. 1883 current)
- Dr. Barnardo's in Australia, records (c. 1921 1985?)

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