



Example of conservation work able to be supported by the Endowment Fund

“Since the age of six Labassa has been an important part of my life. For more than 20 years it loomed in front of me, every day, a mysterious and exciting place. It was a European outpost in the suburbs dating from the post-Gold Rush era of ‘Marvellous Melbourne’.

Historically, culturally, architecturally Labassa is of great heritage significance. It needs, and deserves, strong community and philanthropic backing.

I encourage you to support the Labassa Endowment Fund.”

Hon. Barry Jones, AC

Australian Representative
UNESCO, Paris 1991-95

Vice-President
World Heritage Committee 1995-96

“I am proud and delighted to support the Labassa Endowment Fund.

Labassa is truly integrated into the rich fabric of our community and tells many unique and inspiring stories. I believe Labassa to be one of the the most outstanding and important buildings in Australia.

We can all play a part in preserving and celebrating our heritage. Please join me in supporting this exciting opportunity through the Endowment Fund.”

Simon Molesworth

Former Chairman
National Trust of Australia (Victoria)

Foundation Chairman
International National Trusts
Organisation



The National Trust of Victoria Foundation is most grateful for the generous donations made to the Labassa Endowment Fund.

Labassa Endowment Fund

— Giving the past a future —

Dear Supporter,

Through the Labassa Endowment Fund, which is held in the National Trust of Victoria Foundation, we invite you to make a lasting financial contribution to preserve Labassa for future generations.

The most outstanding aspect of Labassa is that it remains largely intact, both inside and out. No other mansion in Australia can boast such a range of elaborate interiors with so many rooms retaining their original decoration.

Labassa also has an important story to tell Australians, international visitors and school children. Over 700 people have lived at the mansion including Gold Rush millionaires, silent movie stars, post war migrants and even hippies.

Significant investment has been made in recent years, creating local employment and encouraging heritage skills training. We must ensure that Labassa is well preserved and maintained for generations to come. Any donation that is made to the Labassa Endowment Fund will be held in perpetuity, helping us to build a corpus and will be used solely for the benefit of this property. Making a bequest to the Labassa Endowment Fund, through the Foundation, is another way to ensure a lasting legacy for Labassa.

Thank you for your commitment to:
GIVING THE PAST A FUTURE.



Trompe l'oeil



Internal staircase

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I am pleased to donate to the Labassa Endowment Fund.

- \$10,000 \$5,000 \$2,500
 \$1,000 \$500 Other \$ _____
- One single donation/ or \$ _____ Annually over (1,2,3,4 or 5) years
- I am considering making a gift in my will to the Endowment Fund

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Thank you again for giving the past a future

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