

Name of memorial: National War Memorial and Garden of Remembrance

Place: Irish National War Memorial Park,

Address and map reference: South Circular Road, Islandbridge, Dublin 8. Map reference O122 339

Position: N/A

Description and dimensions: A 20-acre site on the south bank of the River Liffey contains a War Stone identical to those in war cemeteries on the Continent and elsewhere, together with a cross about 9 metres high. Granite pergolas separate a central lawn from two terraced rose gardens and two Book Rooms in which are kept books containing the names of nearly 50,000 Irishmen who died in the Great War.

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Text:

On the Cross:

1914 – 1918

1939 – 1945

On the coping of the wall behind the Cross:

I NDÍL-CHUIMHNE AR 49,400 ÉIREANNACH DO THUIT SCHOHADH MHÓR 1914 - 1918

TO THE MEMORY OF 49,400 IRISH MEN WHO GAVE THEIR LIVES IN THE GREAT WAR 1914 – 18.

On the War Stone

THEIR NAME LIVETH FOR EVERMORE