

BELVEDERE CLUB 2019 ARCHITECTURAL INVENTORY



Site: 147

Historic Name N/A

Year Built c. 1908

Architectural Style Prairie style massing, Craftsman style porches

The two-story tall cottage with a roughly square footprint, low-pitched hipped roof with deep overhanging eaves and the use of both clapboard and shingle siding are all indicative of the Prairie Style which originated in Chicago and is common throughout Michigan.

Significant Features

- The symmetrical façade centered around the gable front projecting over the second story porch with its flared walls clad in wood shingles.
- The large front porch with its simple posts and railing create a more delicate appearance to the façade and contrast with the heaviness of the second-floor porch.
- The small shed roof supported by brackets over the south side door leading out to the wrap around porch is typical of the Craftsman style. The lattice skirting around the porch is popular in the community.
- The shallow pitch hipped roof with deep eaves and roughly square footprint are typical of the Prairie style.
- This cottage retains some of its original multi-pane windows at the second floor, as well as a multi-pane front and side doors which are likely original.
- The combination of wood shingles on the first floor and in the second-floor porch and clapboard siding at second floor is a common cladding pattern for Craftsman style residences.
- The window and door trim, front and south side dining room doors and the exterior brick chimney on the north side all contribute to the historic appearance of the cottage.

Condition

The cottage is in good repair with no obvious condition issues.

ADDITIONAL PHOTOS

2007



2019 - Front (east)



North and west



West



South

