



# HERs and the Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

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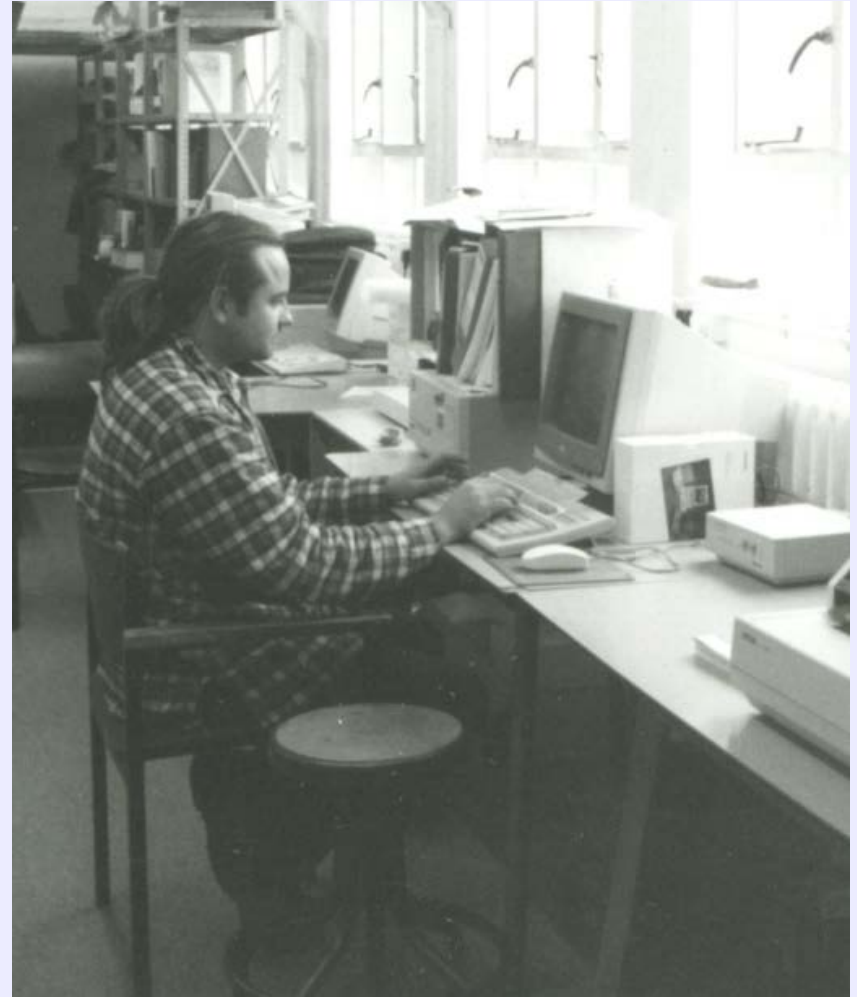
# The four Welsh HERs

- Four Welsh Archaeological Trusts
- Formed as educational charities in 1970s
- Each includes a curatorial section and a commercial section
- The curatorial sections of the Trusts manage the Historic Environment Record for their area



# HER Charitable Trusts

- Welsh HERs held in independent HER Charitable Trusts
- Managed by dedicated HER staff at Welsh Archaeological Trusts



# Welsh HERs Development

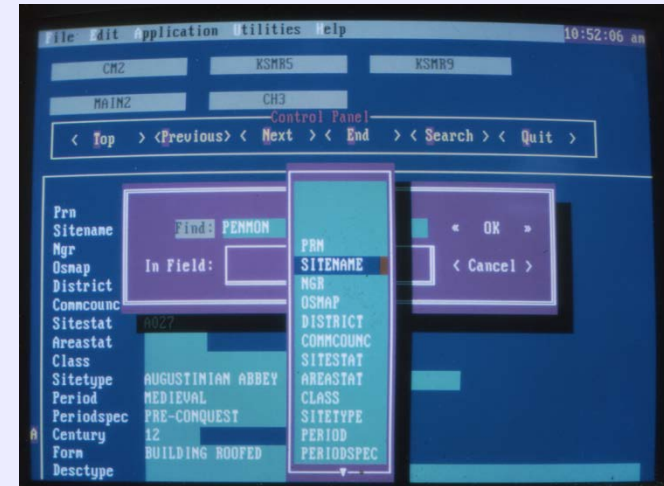
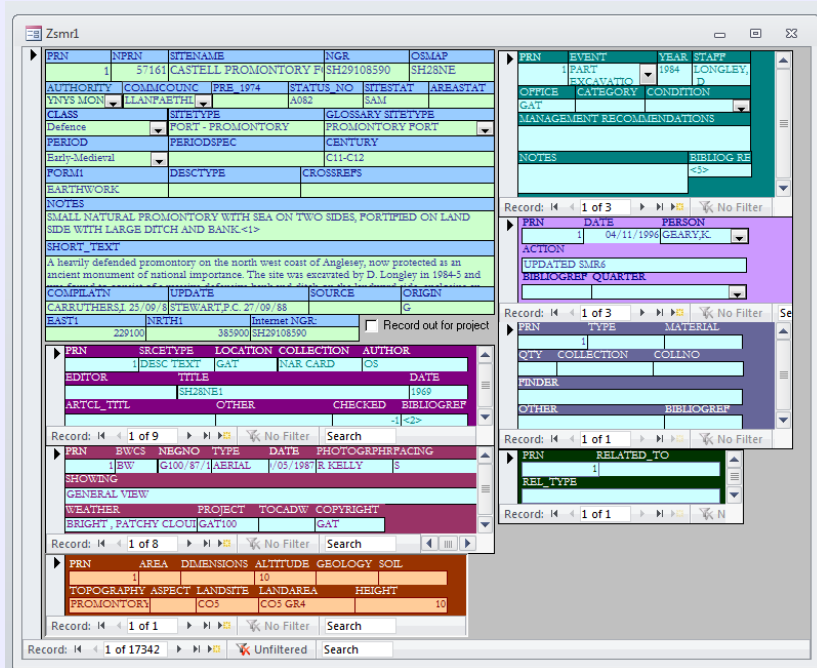
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Known as the Sites and Monuments Record (SMR)

# Welsh HERs Development

Primary source of historic environment information



Providing comprehensive information regarding the known archaeological and historical sites, monuments, buildings, artefacts and landscapes of Wales

# Welsh HERs Development

## Index to archaeological investigations (events)

The screenshot displays a web GIS interface with a map of the A55 road scheme and a detailed data table for archaeological events. The table includes columns for WAT PRN, Rank, Type, Type uncertainty, Period, and Broad class. The data is as follows:

| WAT PRN  | Rank | Type | Type uncertainty | Period   | Broad class |
|----------|------|------|------------------|----------|-------------|
| GAT62575 | 1    | PIT  |                  | IRON AGE |             |

The interface also shows a list of events on the left, including 'GAT44852 : PROJECT : A Corridor through Time : The Archaeology of the A55 Anglesey Road Scheme : Gwynedd Archaeological Trust (GAT)' and 'GAT62575 : A Corridor Through Time : The Archaeology of the A55 Anglesey Road Scheme : HER Library Record No. 1553 41'.



Online relational database with multiple user-interfaces developed collaboratively by WATs from c.2003

# Archwilio – [www.archwilio.org.uk](http://www.archwilio.org.uk)

- A collaborative project across Wales
- Launched by the Welsh Heritage Minister in July 2010

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**Enquiries page.**

- HER sites shown on map
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- Click on site for full report

**Gwynedd Archaeological Trust**  
Regional Historic Environment Record

**Beaumaris Castle**

Primary Reference Number (PRN): 1573  
Trust: Gwynedd  
Site Type: CASTLE  
Period: Medieval  
Community: Beaumaris  
NMR: 84627305  
Legal Protection: scheduled ancient monument

**Summary**  
The last of Edward I's castles in Gwynedd, Beaumaris was never finished but remains, if not the most imposing, the most refined of the castles of Master James of St George. The site of the castle and the new English borough was close to the Welsh town of Llanfawr whose population were moved across the island to the 'Newborough' to make way for it.

Building work did not actually commence until 1296, after the crushing of a revolt led by Madog ap Llywelyn and sparked by the expulsion of the population of Llanfawr. Work was halted between 1300 and 1308 by Edward's wars in Scotland but then recommenced and continued until 1330. Although the planned accommodation was never completed, the defences were. Even so, it fell during the Glyndwr revolt and was held for two years by the rebels.

The castle was used as a prison during the 16th century and was held by the Royalists during the Civil War before falling to the Parliamentarians in 1648.

The castle consists of a square inner ward with north and south gatehouses and an octagonal outer ward with north and south gates offset from them. It is surrounded by a moat linked to the sea by a dock which allowed ships to berth right up to the castle walls. A mill, driven by the tide and by the moat sluice, was also part of the unique design.

**Description**  
Beaumaris Castle begun in 1296 by Edward I and completed circa 1298, but several parts unfinished between c1340. Garrisoned for the King during the Civil War, but surrendered 1648. New defences placed in rubble masonry 1520s <->  
Beaumaris Castle Illustrated guide <->  
Condition unchanged. Survey of 1219&T correct <->  
14th century oratory with vaulted roof <->

**Source(s)**  
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**Events**  
42029: Report on the Excavations from Most Settlements at Beaumaris Castle (year: 2003)  
42077: An 001 Fine Site Visit (year: 1964)

**Related PRNs**

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Period: Any  
Community: Any  
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Matching Records: 100 (maximum 100 fetched)

| Primary Reference Number | Period        | Name                                      | Type   | Community              | Legal                      |
|--------------------------|---------------|---|--------|------------------------|----------------------------|
| 2908                     | Medieval      | Harlech Castle                            | CASTLE | Harlech                | Scheduled Ancient Monument |
| 1573                     | Medieval      | Beaumaris Castle                          | CASTLE | Beaumaris              | Scheduled Ancient Monument |
| 2851                     | Medieval      | Conwy Castle                              | CASTLE | Conwy                  | Scheduled Ancient Monument |
| 3095                     | Medieval      | Caernarfon Castle                         | CASTLE | Caernarfon             | Scheduled Ancient Monument |
| 3725                     | Medieval      | Dolwyddelan Castle                        | CASTLE | Dolwyddelan            | Scheduled Ancient Monument |
| 4103                     | Post-Medieval | Cymmer Castle, Remains & Possible Site of | CASTLE | Llanelltyd             | Scheduled Ancient Monument |
| 4931                     | Medieval      | Castle, Castell y Bere                    | CASTLE | Llanfihangel y Pennant | Scheduled Ancient Monument |

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**Changes to legislation:** There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016.

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*Scheduled monument consent*

5. Simplification of process

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# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

## 35 Historic environment records

(1) The Welsh Ministers must compile and keep up to date a historic environment record for each local authority area in Wales.

Duty discharged  
through Welsh  
Archaeological Trusts'  
Regional Historic  
Environment Records



# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

## 35 Historic environment records

(2) A historic environment record is a record which provides—

- (a) details of **every building in the authority's area which is included in a list** compiled or approved under section 1 of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (c.9),
- (b) details of **every conservation area in the authority's area** which is designated under section 69 of that Act,
- (c) details of **every monument in the authority's area which is included in the Schedule** compiled and maintained under section 1 of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979 (c.46),
- (d) details of **each of the grounds in the authority's area which are included in the register of historic parks and gardens** compiled and maintained under section 41A of that Act,
- (e) details of **every conflict site in the authority's area** which the Welsh Ministers consider to be of historic interest,
- (f) where a public authority (whether by itself or jointly with other persons) maintains a list of historic landscapes in Wales, details of **every historic landscape in the local authority's area** which is included in the list,
- (g) details of **every world heritage site** in the authority's area,
- (h) details of **every other area or site or other place in the authority's area** which the authority or the Welsh Ministers consider to be of local historic, archaeological or architectural interest,
- (i) information about the way in which the historic, archaeological or architectural development of the authority's area, or any part of it, has contributed to **the present character of the area** or part and about how that character may be preserved,
- (j) details of **relevant investigations carried out in the authority's area and of the findings of those investigations**, and
- (k) a means of accessing details of **every historic place name in the authority's area** which is included in the list compiled and maintained under section 34.

# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

Welsh HERs now:

- include additional information formally within *Archwilio*
- link to additional data sources
- present bilingual records – adhere to Welsh Language Act compliance for Cadw
- include bilingual summaries for all new records created after May 2016

These additional requirements are presented via  
*Archwilio*

# Archwilio – [www.archwilio.org.uk](http://www.archwilio.org.uk)

- Relunched in 2017
- Includes all statutory content for Welsh HERs

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Matching Records : 336

| Ref   | Period        | Name  |
|-------|---------------|---|
| 20061 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Penrhyn Slate Quarry, Llandygai : GAT             |
| 20045 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Bryn Hafod y Wern Slate Quarry, Llanllechid : GAT |
| 20063 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Tŷn y Ffridd Slate Quarry, Llanllechid GAT        |
| 20057 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Dr Hughes : GAT                     |
| 20058 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Moel Faban Slate Quarry, Rachub : GAT             |
| 20056 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Gallt Y Mawn : GAT                  |
| 20055 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Ffridd : GAT                        |
| 20054 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Dolpistyll : GAT                    |
| 20053 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Dolgoch Slate Quarry, Bethesda : GAT              |
| 20062 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Tan y Bwlch Slate Quarry, Llanllechid GAT         |
| 20048 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Coetmor Slate Quarry, Bethesda : GAT              |
| 20047 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Coed : GAT                          |
| 20046 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Chwarel Las : GAT                   |
| 20044 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Bronydd Isaf : GAT                  |
| 20043 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Bronydd : GAT                       |
| 20059 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Pant Dreiniog Slate Quarry, Bethesda GAT          |
| 20060 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Pant y Darren : GAT                 |
| 20049 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Quarry, Crymlyn : GAT                       |

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# Archwilio – detailed record

## Gwynedd Archaeological Trust Regional Historic Environment Record

### Bryn Hafod y Wern Slate Quarry, Llanllechid

**Primary Reference Number (PRN)** : 20045

**Trust** : Gwynedd

**Community** : Llanllechid

**Unitary authority** : Gwynedd

**NGR** : SH63106930


**Site Type (preferred type first)** : POST-MEDIEVAL SLATE QUARRY

**Status** :


#### Description :


Remains: The pit is now filled with water and the buildings are ruinous but it is relatively undisturbed. The foundations of buildings, incline formations and tramway layout are clear. The financial constraints are shown by the traces of wagons having run on slate ways. There is a pleasing pointed arch providing access to the upper mills area under the landing platform. Bryn Hall, the owner's house has a fine arched entrance gate and is still in occupation. The long leat from the river Caseg to the two reservoirs may be traced, and the launder pillars and underground supply relief pipe are prominent. (Davidson, Gwyn, Jones & Riley, 1994)


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#### Events :

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44103 : The Maritime Archaeology of the Welsh Slate Trade (year : 2009)

44419 : Gwynedd Slate Quarries: An Archaeological Survey 1994-5 (year : 1995)

**Related PRNs** : 400680

**Compiled date** : 24-09-1999

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GWYNEDD SLATE QUARRIES  
AN ARCHAEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
1994-5

REPORT NO. 154

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GWYNEDD ARCHAEOLOGICAL TRUST



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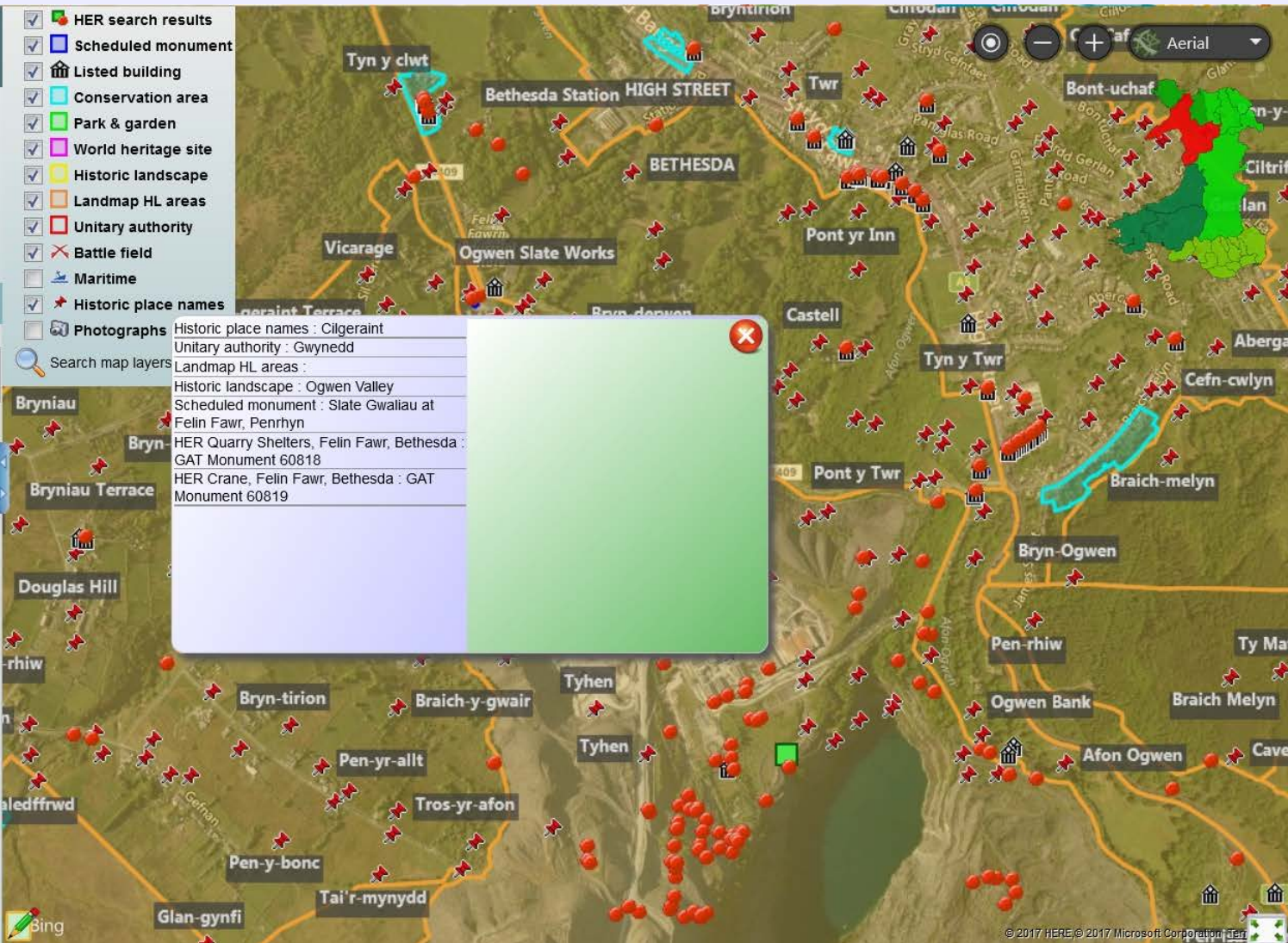
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| Ref   | Period        | Name  |
|-------|---------------|---|
| 33373 | Modern        | Slate Mills, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT                       |
| 21947 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Felin Fawr Slate Works, Bethesda : GAT                  |
| 60818 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Quarry Shelters, Felin Fawr, Bethesda : GAT             |
| 60814 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Mill, Felin Fawr, Bethesda : GAT                  |
| 60812 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Slate Mill, Felin Fawr, Bethesda : GAT                  |
| 60133 | Post Medieval | Mill, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT                              |
| 60026 | Post Medieval | Gwaliau, Agor Boni, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT                |
| 60023 | Post Medieval | Gwaliau, Agor Boni, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT                |
| 60004 | Post Medieval | Mill, Red Lion Level, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT              |
| 60062 | Post Medieval | Gwaliau, Ponc Blue, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT                |
| 60042 | Post Medieval | Circular Blast Shelter, Twllyndwr, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT |
| 20824 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Pen Isa'r Nant Quarry, Braichmelyn : GAT                |
| 20822 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Tan Ysgafell Quarry, Bethesda : GAT                     |
| 20821 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Pont Samau Quarry, Bethesda : GAT                       |
| 20820 | POST-MEDIEVAL | Quarry, Bont Uchaf, Bethesda : GAT                      |
| 60130 | Post Medieval | Shelter, Remains of, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT               |
| 60019 | Modern        | Fullersite Plant, Red Lion Level, Penrhyn Quarry : GAT  |
| 62206 | UNKNOWN       | Small Quarries, Ogwen Valley : GAT                      |
| 15840 | MULTI-PERIOD  | Penrhyn Quarry, Landscape : GAT                         |

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 Unitary authority : Gwynedd  
 Landmap HL areas :  
 Historic landscape : Ogwen Valley  
 Scheduled monument : Slate Gwaliau at Felin Fawr, Penrhyn  
 HER Quarry Shelters, Felin Fawr, Bethesda : GAT Monument 60818  
 HER Crane, Felin Fawr, Bethesda : GAT Monument 60819



# Archwilio – place names (RCAHMW)



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List of Historic Place Names

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## Recorded name: Cilgeraint



OS six-inch to the mile 1889-1913 from the National Library of Scotland

|                  |   |
|------------------|---|
| Head Name        | Undefined                                       |
| Type             | Field   |
| Grid Reference   | SH 61462 66458                                  |
| Parish           | Llandygai                                       |
| County           | Caernarfonshire                                 |
| When recorded    | Circa 1840                                      |
| Primary Source   |   |
| Secondary Source | <a href="#">Cynefin Project</a>                 |
| Notes            | Imported from Cynefin interim supply 24/11/2016 |

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# Archwilio – Unitary Authorities and Conservation Areas

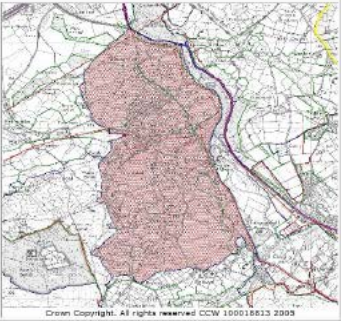
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HER Crane, Felin Fawr, Bethesda : GAT Monument 60819

| Unitary authority |         |
|-------------------|---------|
| name_e            | Gwynedd |
| name_w            | Gwynedd |
| ogc_fid           | 10      |

Unitary authority : Gwynedd  
Landmap HL areas :  
Historic landscape : Ogwen Valley  
Conservation area : 35

| Conservation area |                        |
|-------------------|------------------------|
| gid               | 35                     |
| localplann        | GWYNEDD                |
| inspireid         | WAL/GWYN/9             |
| sitename          | TANYSGAFELL - BETHESDA |
| designatio        | 1989-05-08             |
| update            |                        |
| designat0         |                        |
| notes             |                        |
| url               |                        |
| link              |                        |

# Archwilio – Landmap (NRW)

| Historic Landscape   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
|--|---|--|---|---|---|---|
| Aspect Area Name   | Sling   |  |   |   |   |   |
| Aspect Area Classification   | Built environment/Settlement/Non-nucleated Settlement (Level 3) |  |   |   |   |   |
| Aspect Area Code   | GWND0HL800  |  |   |   |   |   |
| Date Of Survey   | 14/03/2004  |  |   |   |   |   |
|   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Marginal Land   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Non-nucleated Settlement  |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Communications  |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Monitoring</b><br>Has the information ever been verified in the field? <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>Does this area have a special or functional link with an adjacent area? <input type="checkbox"/> No   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Description</b><br>Which traditional boundary types prevail in the area? (Tick all that apply) <table border="1"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Dry Stone Walls</td> </tr> </table> What is the nature of any significant archaeological interest in the area? (Tick all that apply) <table border="1"> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Buildings &amp; Structures</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Documentary</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Archaeology</td> </tr> <tr> <td><input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Remains</td> </tr> </table> Which chronological period is dominant in the area?<br>Has a Historic Landscape Characterisation been undertaken here? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (GAT report 201, 2009)<br>Are there SMR sites here? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br>Are there SAIAs here? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes (CH202 Parc Gelli Hut Group and Ancient Fields; CH220 Pen Dinas Camp; CH119 Sling Burial Chamber...)<br>Are there Listed Buildings here? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br>Are there Registered Historic Parks and Gardens here? <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>Are there Conservation Areas here? <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>Are there World Heritage Sites here? <input type="checkbox"/> No<br>Is the area within a Registered Landscape of Historic Interest? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Dry Stone Walls       | <input type="checkbox"/> Buildings & Structures | <input type="checkbox"/> Documentary              | <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Archaeology | <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Remains |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Industrial Remains  |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Aspect Area Boundary</b><br>To what level was this information site surveyed? <input type="checkbox"/> Level 3<br>At 1:10,000, how much of the Aspect Area boundary is precise? <input type="checkbox"/> All<br>What baseline information source was used for Aspect Area boundary mapping?<br><input type="checkbox"/> OS Landline<br>If OS Data was used, what was the scale?<br><input type="checkbox"/> 1:10,000 and 1:25,000<br>What is the justification for the Aspect Area boundaries?<br><input type="checkbox"/> Are of distinctive later settlement...   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Bibliography</b><br>List the key sources used for this assessment: <input type="checkbox"/> Refer to technical report...  |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Assessment</b><br>Additional Assessments:<br>Additional Comments:   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Evaluation Matrix</b><br>Evaluation Criteria: Overall Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding (as part of the pattern of workers' settlement in the area.)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Of national importance as part of the pattern of workers' settlement in this area.   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Evaluation</b><br>Condition: <input type="checkbox"/> Good<br>Value: <input type="checkbox"/> Outstanding<br>Trend: <input type="checkbox"/> Constant   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Recommendations</b><br>Existing management: <input type="checkbox"/> Generally Appropriate<br>Existing management remarks: This aspect area lies within the Dyffryn Ogwen Registered Landscape of Outstanding Historical Interest. The most significant historic assets are protected as scheduled monuments or listed buildings.<br>Principal management recommendations: Maintain current historic environment protections<br>Guidance: Long Term   |   |  |   |   |   |   |
| <b>Description</b><br><small>As seen from the east of the Register site, and facing south of Rhobell to the village of Sling.</small>  |   |  |   |   |   |   |

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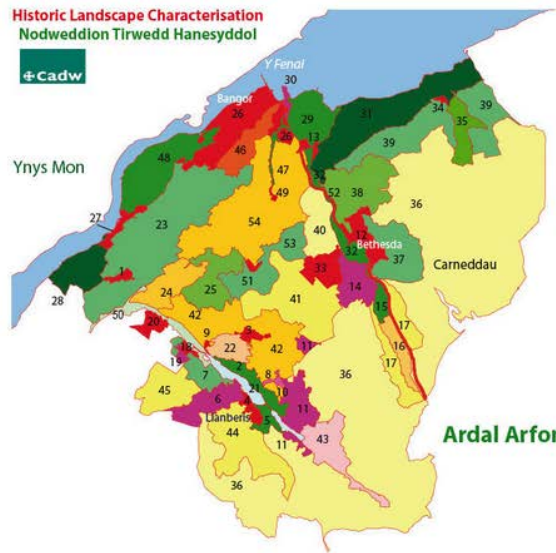
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### Historic Landscape Characterisation - Arfon

Click on the numbers on the map or the name of the area in the list below for details of the area.

#### Historic Landscape Characterisation Nodweddion Tirwedd Hanesyddol



#### Areas

- 1 Bethel and Saron
- 2 Fachwen Woods
- 3 Deiniolen and Clwt y Bont
- 4 Uanberis

#### Historical Themes

- Agriculture
- Relict Archaeology

# Archwilio – Scheduled Monuments (Cadw)

## Scheduled Monuments- Full Report



### Summary Description of a Scheduled Monument

| Reference Number | Name                                 | Date of Designation | Status     |
|------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|------------|
| CN297            | Slate Gwaliau at Felin Fawr, Penrhyn | 03/08/1998          | Designated |

### Location

| Unitary Authority | Community | Easting | Northing |
|-------------------|-----------|---------|----------|
| Gwynedd           | Llandygai | 261481  | 366428   |

| Broad Class | Site Type | Period               |
|-------------|-----------|----------------------|
| Industrial  | Wall      | Post Medieval/Modern |

### Description

#### Summary Description and Reason for Designation

The following provides a general description of the Scheduled Ancient Monument. The monument consists of an exceptionally well preserved group of gwaliau or slate-makers' booths which were used in conjunction with the important Felin Fawr slate mills of Penrhyn Quarry. There are six booths in a curving row, with mono-pitched roofs, open-fronted to the east. An unusual awning survives to the fronts of some of the booths. A stock of slate slabs is left at the north end. The mill complex produced slabs and most roofing slates were made at the quarries themselves. The gwaliau here may have trimmed slates broken in transit or remainders from the slab mills, but it is likely that they operated as a 'showcase' for visitors to the quarries. Penrhyn was the largest slate quarry in the world by the early nineteenth century. It was connected to Port Penrhyn by a railway built in 1801, and the Felin Fawr mills were established by 1803 where the railway crossed a river. The monument is an exceptionally well-preserved and prestigious example of these key slate quarry structures and is of national importance for its potential to enhance our knowledge of construction practices and defensive organisation. It retains significant archaeological potential, with a strong probability of the presence of associated archaeological features and deposits. The scheduled area comprises the remains described and areas around them within which related evidence may be expected to survive.

# Archwilio — Listed Buildings (Cadw)

| Full Report for Listed Buildings  |   |          |             |                     |                   |  |
|---|---|----------|-------------|---------------------|-------------------|---|
| <b>Summary Description of a Listed Buildings</b>  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Reference Number  | Building Number   | Grade    | Status      | Date of Designation | Date of Amendment |   |
| 4153  |   | II*      | Designated  | 11/04/1990          | 21/09/2002        |   |
| Name of Property  |   | Address  |             |                     |                   |   |
| Western Slat Mill at Felin Fawr Slate Works   |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| <b>Location</b>   |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Unitary Authority   | Community   | Town     | Locality    | Easting             | Northing          |   |
| Gwynedd   | Llandygal   | Bethesda | Coed-y-parc | 281431              | 366361            |   |
| Street Name   | Location  |          |             |                     |                   |   |
|   | Situating on the western side of the Felin Fawr Slate Works, which adjoin the former Penrhyn Slate Quarry Railway and the west bank of the Afon Galedfwd. |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| <b>Description</b>  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Broad Class   |   | Period   |             |                     |                   |   |
| Industrial  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| History   |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| First references to a mill here date from 1798, when 'Y Felin Fawr' was planned. It was operational by 1803 and maybe earlier; new mills were built in the 1830s and 40s, but again superceded by the present buildings in 1865-6. The mill complex was once the principal slate and slat manufacturing yard for the Penrhyn Slate Quarry, one of the most productive in Wales.   |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Exterior  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Long rectangular building, aligned roughly north-south. Sneked rubble stone with hammer-dressed quoins and voussairs; gable-ended slate roof with slate coping and oversailing eaves. Slate slat construction to lower and narrower engine house on south. Five regularly spaced and opposing segmental arched openings with stone voussairs over deeply recessed doors; circular scalloped brace-plates to both walls; large rooflights with glazing bars in both slopes. Engine house has infilled pointed arch in south gable end. |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Interior  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Interior retains 7 massive timber roof trusses of queen-strut type with tie-beams supported by open-work cast-iron wall brackets.   |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Reason for designation  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Included at grade II* as an especially fine slat mill which, together with the eastern slat mill, is an integral part of the remarkable complex of buildings at the Felin Fawr Slate works; the mills are amongst the finest of their kind in Wales. The site is historically important as marking the introduction of industrial processes to the sawing of slates.  |   |          |             |                     |                   |   |
| Cadw : Full Report for Listed Buildings   |   |          |             | [ Records 1 of 1 ]  |                   |   |

# Archwilio – Battlefields (RCAHMW)

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RCAHMW

The Inventory of Historic Battlefields in Wales  
Rhestr o Feysydd Brwydro Hanesyddol yng Nghymru

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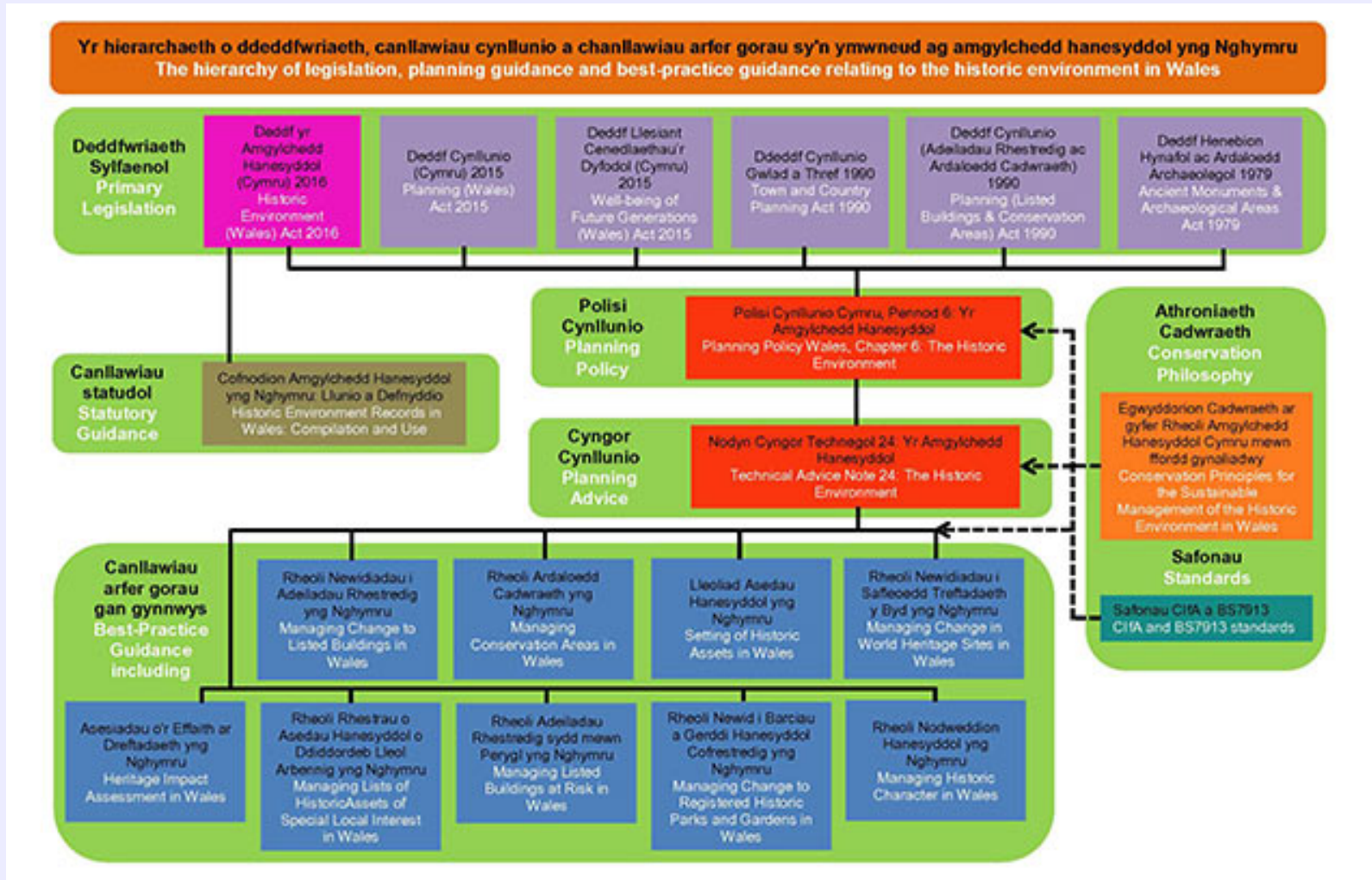
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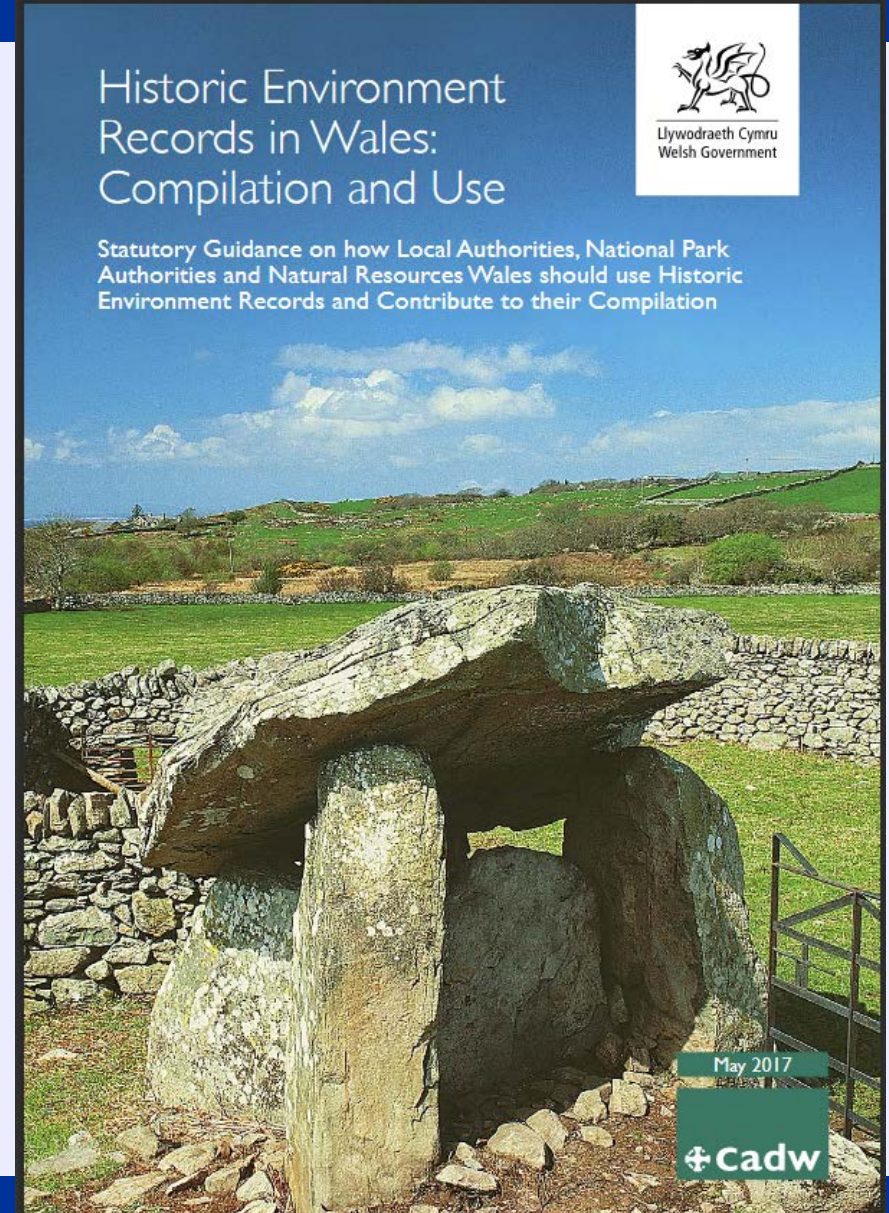


# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016



# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

- WAT HER staff invited to input into Cadw HER Guidance
- Guidance primarily aimed at public bodies under section 37 of Act



# Historic Environment Benchmarks 2015

- New Benchmarks created 2015 by Cadw/RCAHMW in consultation with HERs to align HER service and practices with incoming legislation
- 3<sup>rd</sup> quinquennial audits undertaken by Welsh HERs demonstrated adherence to new Benchmarks  
<http://cadw.gov.wales/historicenvironment/recordsv1/historicenvironmentrecords/?skip=1&lang=en>
- **Pros:** improved service in line with incoming historic environment legislation; focussed on Welsh context
- **Cons:** further divergence from practice across the rest of the UK; less compatible with earlier audits for tracking progress

# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

## 36 Access to historic environment records

(1) The Welsh Ministers—

(a) must make each historic environment record available for public inspection in such manner as they consider appropriate;

(b) must, where a person requests a copy of part of a historic environment record or details accessed by means of such a record, and it appears to the Welsh Ministers that the request is reasonable, provide the person with a copy of that part of the record or those details;

(c) must make available to a person wishing to inspect a historic environment record advice on or assistance with retrieving and understanding information provided in the record or accessed by means of the record;

(d) must, where a person requests the retrieval of information provided in a historic environment record or accessed by means of such a record and it appears to the Welsh Ministers that the request is reasonable, compile for the person a document containing the information.



# Impact of New Legislation– GGAT Case Study



New records created within the GGAT area since implementation of the Act:

- Core records: 432 (total 30384)
- Event records: 412 (total 5530)



# Bilingual Records



Archwilio is now searchable via a Welsh language interface and includes Welsh records

The screenshot displays the Archwilio website interface. At the top, there is a language selector with 'English' and a Welsh flag icon. Below this, the title 'Archwilio' is followed by 'Cofnodion Amgylcheddol Hanesyddol Cymru'. The main search area includes dropdown menus for 'Unedol' (set to 'Caerffili'), 'Cymuned' (set to 'Unrhyw'), and 'Oes' (set to 'Unrhyw'). A search box for 'Term chwiliad' is present, along with a checkbox for 'Chwilio'r map yn unig' and a 'Chwilio' button. A list of filters on the right includes 'Canlyniadau chwiliad HER', 'Heneb Gofrestredig', 'Adeilad Rhestredig', 'Ardaloedd Cadwraeth', 'Parc a gardd', 'Safle Treftadaeth y Byd', 'Tirwedd hanesyddol', 'Ardaloedd LANDMAP', 'Awdurdod Unedol', 'Maes brwydro', 'ARFOROL', 'Historic place names', and 'Ffotograffau'. The 'Awdurdod Unedol' filter is checked. Below the filters, there is a 'Chwilio haenau map' button. The map shows a satellite view of the Caerffili area, with a red outline indicating the search boundary. A red square on the map highlights a specific location. The map includes labels for various locations such as Tredegar, Blaenavon, Cwmavon, and Caerphilly.



## The Glamorgan-Gwent Archaeological Trust Historic Environment Record



Darparwyd y wybodaeth a ganlyn dan amodau a thelerau mynediad y manylir arnyw nhw ar wefan GGAT. [www.ggat.org.uk](http://www.ggat.org.uk). Cedwir hawlfraint ar yr holl ddata a gyflenwir gan Ymddiriedolaeth Elusennol CAH GGAT. Rhaid i unrhyw beth a gynhyroir o ganlyniad i ddefnyddio'r data gydnabod y ffynhonnell fel a ganlyn:-

**Yn deillio o wybodaeth y mae gan Ymddiriedolaeth Elusennol CAH GGAT hawlfraint arni.**

Luniwyd y data isod i'w defnyddio at ddibenion gwybodaeth ac ymohwil yn unig, ac nid i'w defnyddio fel rhan o brosiect masnachol. Os hoffech ddefnyddio gwybodaeth sy'n deillio o ddeunydd y mae Ymddiriedolaeth Elusennol CAH GGAT yn ei ddal i'w chyhoeddi ar ffurf brintiedig neu amlygfrwng neu i lunio adnoddau at ddefnydd masnachol, mae'n rhaid siorhau caniatâd ysgrifenedig ymlaen llaw. I gael mwy o wybodaeth neu i drefnu ymweliad â'r Ymddiriedolaeth, anfonwch ffurflen ymholi [http://www.ggat.org.uk/her/english/enquiry\\_form.html](http://www.ggat.org.uk/her/english/enquiry_form.html) to [her@ggat.org.uk](mailto:her@ggat.org.uk).

### Tyllau postyn annyddiedig ger Saltmarsh

Rhif Gyfeirnod (PRN) : 11192g

Ymddiriedolaeth : Glamorgan Gwent

Cymuned :

Awdurdod Unedol : Newport

CGC : ST3499181840

Teip o safle (teip dewisol cyntaf) : ANHYSEBYS TWLL POSTYN

Statws :

#### Crynodeb :

Fel rhan o'r Cynllun Moroedd Glas i wella'r amgylchedd yn sgil y Gyfarwydddeb Trin Dŵr Gwastraff Trefol, mae'r Strategaeth Arfordirol De-ddwyrainiol yn gynllun y'i bwriadwyd i gael gwared â'r arllwysladau crai i'r afon Gwy ac ymdrin â'r holl elifant o'r gwaith trin dŵr gwastraff presennol rhwng Sedbury a Threfonnen trwy godi pibell newydd i gymryd y garthffosiaeth o bobman fel bod un gwaith trin dŵr gwastraff o safon uchel yn ymdrin â hi yn Nhrefonnen, cyn iddi gael ei harllwys i'r môr. Mae Strategaeth Arfordirol y De-ddwyrain wedi'i rhannu'n dair rhan. Mae'r adroddiad hwn yn ymwneud â rhan 3 rhwng Cil-y-coed a Threfonnen, yn cynnwys Magwyr.Briff gwyllo yn Ffos Trosglwyddo Morfa Heli rhwng Coldhabour Pill a Gwaith Trin Dŵr Trefonnen: Ffos ddraenio ôl-ganoloesol ger Morfa Heli

#### Disgrifiad :

As part of the Green Seas Initiative to improve the environment following the Urban Waste Water Treatment Directive, the South Eastern Coastal Strategy is a scheme designed to remove the crude discharges to the River Wye and deal with all effluent from existing waste water treatment works (WWTW) between Sedbury and Nash by constructing a new pipeline to take the sewage from all to be dealt with by one high standard WWTW at Nash, prior to being discharged to the sea. The South Eastern Coastal Strategy has been divided into three sections. This report covers Section 3 between Caldicot and Nash, including Magor. Watching brief at Saltmarsh Transfer Ditch between Coldhabour Pill and Nash Water.

Features observed along the length of the Saltmarsh Transfer Ditch (STD), E-W orientated ditch cut parallel to the pipeline and the sea wall. Features located by measuring the distance of the feature from the western end of the STD.

6 post/stake holes within base of the trench between 1180m - 1190m. Unexcavated but all measured approximately 0.30m in diameter. Likely to be part of a structure or structures of considerable antiquity as cut into lowest level of alluvium visible in the trench.

(Bradley and Bond 2002)

#### Ffynonellau :

Bradley T and Bond J., 2002, Part 2: An assessment of the archaeological excavations, evaluations, test pits, field surveys and watching briefs along the South East Coastal Strategy Pipeline between Magor and Nash South Wales

#### Digwyddiadau :

E004930 : Watching brief at SECSP transfer ditch Saltmarsh (year : )

#### PRNs gysylltiedig :

A luniwyd ar : 20-07-2016



# Closer relationship with Unitary Authorities



- Offered each UA training on the content and use of the HER
- Range of ways to access the data
- A third of UAs in GGAT area now have direct access to the HER
- Further UAs in discussions regarding better access





# Submitting Data to the HER



The screenshot displays the Archwilio website interface. At the top, there are logos for CPAT, DYFED archaeological trust, GAT, Ymddiriedolaeth Archaeolegol Gwynedd, and Cadw. The main heading reads "Guidance for the Submission of Data to the Welsh Historic Environment Records (HERs)". Below this is a map showing a field system with numbered points (62, 63) and labels like "Bronydd Isaf" and "Ffridd Fedw". A table below the map lists site details:

| Site Name                                    | NGR        | Unitary Authority | Community |
|--|------------|-------------------|-----------|
| 62 Hollow Way, Tyddyn Stebyn, Llangristiolus | SN42007000 | Dewydd            |           |

The website footer includes a "Welcome to Archwilio, the Welsh Historic Environment Records online" message and navigation links for Home, What is Archwilio?, Conditions of Use, Links, and News.

Forthcoming guidance (early 2018) aims to support anyone creating information about the historic environment of Wales in order to present this to the HERs, and to promote good practice for the submittal of this information in a format which:

- meets national standards for data management
- will make it accessible to a wide audience
- is easy to manage, maintain and preserve as well as easy and more cost-effective to accession.



Funded projects should supply the elements listed below, where relevant to the project type. Section 4 sets out the specifications of data format, recording standards and guidance, and minimum metadata requirements for each element. All information should be sent to the relevant HER digitally via email or file sharing service<sup>3</sup> unless otherwise arranged with staff.

### HER data submission checklist

- ✓ Digital report, where relevant
- ✓ Bilingual information, as described below
- ✓ Details of archive deposition
- ✓ Digital photographs, where available
- ✓ Event polygon(s) depicting the area of study/project area, where available
- ✓ Historic Asset polygon(s) depicting extent of resource where part of the project remit
- ✓ Associated project database where relevant e.g. MS Excel, GIS table or use of HEROS Lite data collection app
- ✓ Information Submission Form, where relevant
- ✓ Metadata
- ✓ Data Submission Agreement (for first submissions by an organisation or individual)
- ✓ Copyright notice or Data Exemption form, where relevant

Figure 1 below gives an overview of requirements for some types of project. This is not exhaustive, so please contact the relevant HER for clarification if your project type or work is not represented in the table. Contributors should refer to the full details in the relevant sections below relating to format and content.

# Historic Environment (Wales) Act 2016

## Welsh HERs - Summary:

- Listed Buildings (Cadw)
- Conservation Areas (Local Authorities; [www.lle.gov.wales](http://www.lle.gov.wales))
- Scheduled Monuments (Cadw)
- Registered Parks and Gardens (Cadw)
- Conflict Sites (RCAHMW)
- Historic Landscapes (Cadw/WATs)
- World Heritage Sites (Cadw)
- Every Other Area or Site (i.e. undesignated HER Records)
- Characterisation (WATs/Landmap – NRW)
- Events (HER data)
- Placenames (RCAHMW)
- Maritime data (RCAHMW)
- Bilingual information
  
- Closer links to local authorities
- Benchmarks linking HER service provision to legislation

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