

# HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



# FIELD MONUMENTS

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

1 SITE CODE														
H	N	G	8	4	S	W	0	0	1					
2 NGR								3 QUAL						
N	G	8	3	0	4	4	0	5	8					
6 SITE NAME														
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4 DISTRICT ROSS & CROMARTY			5 PARISH LOHCARRON		
7 AREA STATUS		8 SITE STATUS		9 REGIONAL STATUS	
11 CONCORDANCE OS NG 84 SW 1 NMR		12 FORM STANDING STRUCTURES		13 DIMENSIONS	
16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS			17 CONDITION INCOMPLETE		
20 LAND USE CEMETERY			21 GEOLOGY		
22 SOILS			23 VEGETATION		
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE			25 RELIEF MODERATE HILL SLOPES		26 ASPECT SSW = SW = WSW
					27 ALTITUDE 15 = 22m OD

28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)	
29 BIBLIOGRAPHY (AUTHOR: DATE: TITLE: JOURNAL OR PUBLISHER: VOLUME: DETAIL)	
1. ORDNANCE SURVEY: 1971: 1/10 000 MAP	
2. WATSON, W.J.: 1904: PLACE-NAMES OF ROSS & CROMARTY: p193	
30 GROUND PLAN NO.	31 GROUND PHOTO NO.
32 SLIDES NO.	33 HR. AR NO.
34 NMR. AP. NO.	35 OTHER AP. NO.: SOURCE
36 ARCHIVE AND LOCATION	
37 GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY	38 SAMPLES
39 PALYNOLOGY	40 NUMERICAL DATES: RANGE: LAB NO.
41 SMALL FINDS	42 MUSEUM/LOCATION
43 OTHER	

44 NAME & ADDRESS OF OWNER		45 ATTITUDE OF OWNER
46 NAME & ADDRESS OF TENANT		47 ATTITUDE OF TENANT

48 ACCESS & RESTRICTIONS			
49 NAME & ADDRESS OF FINDER/RECORDER: DATE		50 RECORDER: DATE HAR: 26.11.1985	51 CHECK: DATE GS: 19.12.1985

52 TEXT

"NG 8304 4058. Chapel (site of)." (1)

" 'Seipeil Donnain' or St. Donan's Chapel stood in the burying-ground at Courthill." (2)

"The turf-covered foundation of the W half of this chapel survives with the interior occupied by graves. The inner face of the wall can be seen intermittently giving a width of 3.5m. The N wall can be traced for a length of 7.0m and the S wall for 4.0m. The E half appears to have been destroyed to make room for modern graves. The dedication is not known locally. Some 5.0m S of the chapel stands a tapering pillar 1.2m high by 0.2m square with a small Latin cross inscribed on its S face. Alongside lies an oval stone 0.35m by 0.25m by 0.1m thick, which bears a cup-like hollow 0.12m in diam. and 0.06m deep, possibly a socket stone. The graveyard has been extended and is still in use."

(OSFI:AA:22.5.1974)

6. "\*\* Also known as 'SEIPEIL DONNAIN'."