

GLASTIR ADVANCED POST VISIT ASSESSMENT

DAT 105827

Site Name: Llanio Isaf

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Introduction and historic background

The Dyfed Archaeological Trust (DAT) was consulted by Glastir contract manager Amanda Harrison on 18/12/2013 regarding the repair of a farm building under the Glastir Advanced Restoration of Traditional Farm buildings option.

Llanio isaf is a predominately 19th century farmstead including a range of stone built white washed buildings and farm house under slate roofs. It is marked on the 1st edition OS map of 1888 although the farm name has been recorded in the 18th century, and even as far back as 1614.

The 19th century the plan form comprises two ranges of opposing farm buildings separated by a yard with the farm house set to one side. This shape is still maintained today.

The farmstead is located on the site of a Roman auxillary fort known as Bremia. It is not currently known whether the farm buildings incorporate any early remains however there is high probability the significant remains lie below ground.

Management Issues

The building subject to the Glastir proposal is a dairy/cow shed. It stands to 2 stories and the roof steps down part way along its length. At the step down the exposed gable spandrel is covered with ill-fitting corrugated metal. There are two small window openings and a door in the main elevation. The building is white washed with a red painted door, window surrounds and rain water goods. The roof structure requires some work and a temporary support has already been inserted.

The building is a typical 19th century farm building being part of a wider farmstead retaining many original features. As such it is worthy of repair under Glastir. When undertaking any repairs guidance in Technical Note 680: Repair of traditional buildings needs to be followed. Specifically the colour scheme of red and white needs to be maintained.



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