

Woodland Creation: Consultation Advice Form
Site Visit Report
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CRN	A0000225
EOI	7764879
Application Name	Ty Newydd, Myddfai
Parcel No.	
NGR	SN787288
Option Number (if known)	P004
Woodland category	Enhanced Mixed Woodland
Woodland Planner	Bronwin & Abbey Ltd
Service Provider	Dyfed Archaeology
Officer	AMP
HEF UID	N/A
Advice (If the proposal is considered to be inappropriate at this location please provide an explanation) The application area lies wholly within the Registered Historic Landscape; Black Mountain & Mynydd Myddfai HLW (D), and the Historic Landscape Character Area description depicts it as 'open uninhabited moorland with rough grazing at lower levels and blanket peats at higher elevations'. https://dyfedarchaeology.org.uk/HLC/Myddfai/area/area240.htm	



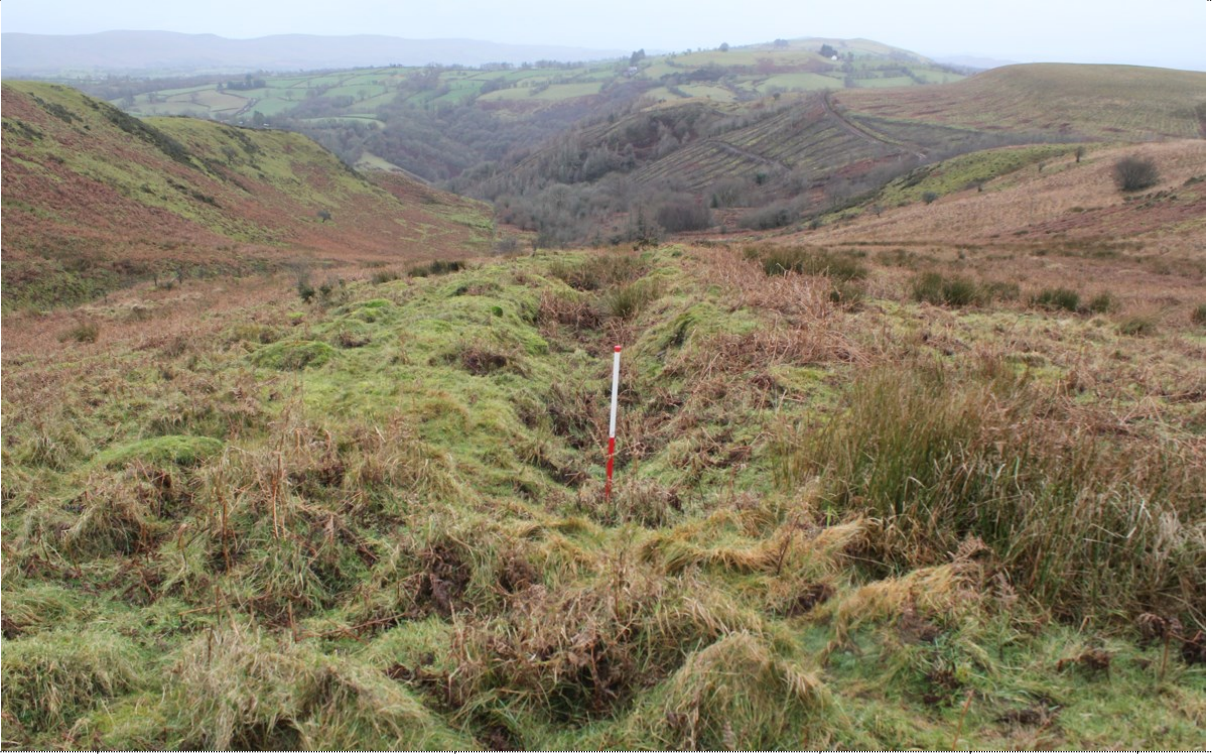
Currently there is little existing woodland, except at lower elevations, and the trees that are present are native broadleaf, shrubby in nature, and very low density.

The introduction of a conifer plantation within the Registered Historic Landscape of Black Mountain & Mynydd Myddfai HLW (D) would be detrimental to the landscape character, therefore it is recommended that no conifers are planted in this area.

However, a low-density introduction of native broadleaf shrubby trees may be appropriate, avoiding those historic environment features which have been identified and marked on the map below.

PRN	Summary	Description	Period	Type	NGR
283	<p>Remains of a longhouse are situated at this location on moorland at 348.0m above OD, in a sheltered place with higher ground to the north and east, overlooking a valley to the south west. The turf covered wall foundations of small stones and boulders indicate a building 8.5m in length orientated WSW-ENE-, and 6.5m in width. There is a subdividing wall 2.5m from the east end and a possible extension 2.5m further west is likely, though no walling is visible. The entrance was probably on the north side. Except at the SE corner where a mound of stone reaches 0.6m in height, elsewhere the walling does not exceed 0.1m in height.</p>		Medieval	Settlement	SN78962879



130060	A linear quarry.	A linear quarry approximately 55 meters long dug into bedrock, around 1m deep with spoil banks to either side, creating an earthwork approximately 6m wide. Follows a NE-SW course and is parallel to the Tile stone quarry (PRN 7488) around 200meters to the southeast, suggesting the exploitation of similar stone.	Unknown	STONE QUARRY	SN78952862
					
130066	A linear quarry, a possible extension of the quarry PRN 130060.	Observed on LiDAR DSM 1m 2023.	UNKNOWN	STONE QUARRY	SN78852853
130067	A couple of terraced platforms located in a slope above a stream.	The upper terraced area is c.4m wide (NW-SE) and c 12m long (NE-SW), below and to the southwest is a further terrace c5m wide (NW-SE) and c18m long (NE-SW) with a possible stone mound in the centre which may represent a dividing wall or chimney.	UNKNOWN	DESERTED RURAL SETTLEMENT	SN79052867



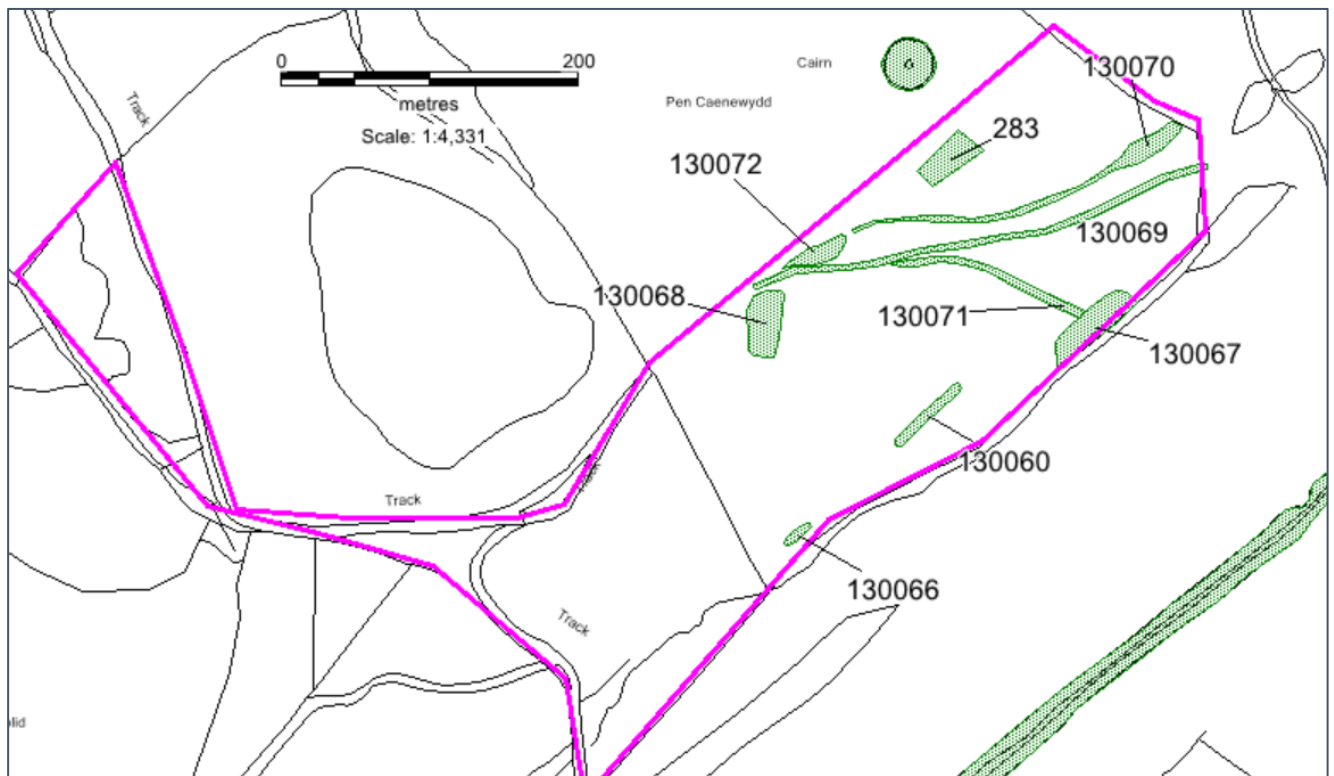
130068	A couple of building platforms located adjacent to trackway.	The northern platform is oriented NE-SW 15m x 6m. The southern platform is oriented N-S 20m x 8m. Both are terraced into the slope below a trackway.	UNKNOWN	DESERTED RURAL SETTLEMENT	SN78832867
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130069	A trackway surviving as a linear earthwork which leads towards a disused quarry or mine (SN79182884)	The trackway is approximately 312m before it ends being cut by a field bank. A Pyper 2024.	UNKNOWN	TRACKWAY	SN79062876
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130070	A linear earthwork that forms part of a trackway over 200 m long.	The trackway divides and leads to a quarry or mine at (SN79182884).	UNKNOWN	TRACKWAY	SN79082878
130071	A trackway approximately 140m long splitting off from trackway PRN30069 and leading to a possible deserted rural settlement PRN130067 beside the river.		UNKNOWN	TRACKWAY	SN79002870
130072	An earthwork of a possible quarry beside the trackway PRN130069.		UNKNOWN	QUARRY?	SN78872872



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**Further Assessment
Required?**

Any revised proposals should be forwarded to Dyfed Archaeology for comment.

Map attached?

Yes

Date received

Date replied

16/01/2024