

CITY AND COUNTY OF SWANSEA

LISTED BUILDING	Limekiln in Bovehill Wood, Landimore, Swansea
Grade:-	II
Date of Notification:-	03.03.00
National Grid Reference:-	SS 464593394
O.S. 1:10,000 Sheet No.:-	SS 49 SE
CADW Reference No.:-	22878
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Notes:-

Location:-

At roadside to north of hamlet of Landimore.

History:-

A limekiln probably built after 1846 and in production by 1878; disused by 1913.

Exterior:-

A limekiln probably built in local rubble limestone, about 4m high. There are two working recesses, each about two metres wide, with vertical sides but deeply corbelled over the working holes. An iron beam surves over the left working hole. As the right side of the right working recess is a hollow in the wall, perhaps a candle recess. The kiln stands against a bank with a short length of bank revetment to left and to right.

Listed:-

Included for historic interest as a well preserved small C19 rural limekiln.

Reference:-

L A Toft, Gower Lime Burning Industry, Gower XXXIX (1988) p.64ff
Tithe Survey of Cheriton (1846)
25" Ordnance Survey sheet XXII-5 (Surveyed 1878)
NMR Wales: File Industrial SS49