

# HIGHLAND REGIONAL COUNCIL



# FIELD MONUMENTS

## ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES AND MONUMENTS RECORD

1 SITE CODE	H	N	D	1	3	S	E	0	0	3
2 NGR	N	D	1	8	4	4	3	1	6	8
3 QUAL	CE									
6 SITE NAME	KNOCKKINNON									

4 DISTRICT CAITHNESS	5 PARISH LATHERON	9 REGIONAL STATUS	10 GENERIC TYPE BURIAL CAIRN, ROUND, CHAMBERED
7 AREA STATUS	8 SITE STATUS SCHEDULED 3.2.92	12 FORM STANDING STRUCTURE	13 DIMENSIONS 18.0m DIAMETER
11 CONCORDANCE ND 13 SE 3	14 PERIOD/DATE NE	15 DATING METHOD TYP	16 RELATIONSHIP OF ELEMENTS
NMR	17 CONDITION INCOMPLETE (ROBBED)	18 SHAPE CIRCULAR	19 THREAT AND DATE
20 LAND USE ENCLOSED PASTURE	21 GEOLOGY	26 ASPECT SE	27 ALTITUDE 60 = 70m OD
22 SOILS	23 VEGETATION	25 RELIEF STEEP TO MODERATE HILLSLOPE	
24 HYDROLOGY/DRAINAGE			

28 EXCAVATION (EXCAVATOR: DATE: EXTENT: QUALITY)

29 BIBLIOGRAPHY (AUTHOR: DATE: TITLE: JOURNAL OR PUBLISHER: VOLUME: DETAIL)

- ORDNANCE SURVEY: 1979: 1/10,000 MAP
- HENSHALL, AS: 1963: CHAMBERED TOMBS OF SCOTLAND: E.U.P.: Vol 1: No 33, p278
- BATEY, C.E.: CAITHNESS COASTAL SURVEY 1980-82: Durham Univ. Occ. Paper No. 3: p.93, LAT 1984 276

30 GROUND PLAN NO.	31 GROUND PHOTO NO.
32 SLIDES NO.	33 HR. AP. 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 PB: 3.2.1986	51 CHECK: DATE A.M.M. 14/2/1986

52 TEXT

"ND 1844 3168. Chambered Cairn." (1)

"An extremely ruined cairn now reduced to an indefinite grass-grown mound. A large upright stone facing E-W stands 4ft 8" (1.4m) high, 2ft 6" (0.8m) wide and 1ft 3" (0.4m) thick about the centre of the cairn. To the E of it, a long parallel slab, and to the S a smaller parallel slab, show through the turf; these might be the end-stone and the divisional stone of a chamber. (2) "A robbed chambered cairn, 18.0m in diameter and 0.8m high. Four slabs of the chamber remain. (OSFI:NKB:14.3.1968)

"W of the upright at a distance of 1.2m is a parallel slab showing to 0.4m long and 0.4m high. This appears to be another divisional slab of a chamber. The chambered cairn is otherwise as described above." (OSFI:JM:13.10.1982)

52. CAIRN (Chambered) Latheronwheel. Dimensions, diameter 18.0m., height 0.8m. Very ruinous grass-covered mound with upright slab at centre of cairn. As described. Elevation c.60m OD. (3)

