

Monitoring Report No. 08

BALLYMACDERMOT CAIRN
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COUNTY ARMAGH

AE/04/137

NICHOLAS BEER

Site Specific Information

Site Name: Ballymacdermot Cairn

Townland: Ballymacdermot

SMR No: ARM 026:015

State Care $\sqrt{}$ Scheduled Other

Grid Ref: J 06562402

County: Armagh

Excavation Licence No: AE/04/137

Dates of Monitoring: 26/08/04

Archaeologist Present: Nicholas Beer

Brief Summary: Monitoring carried out in advance of the erection of an information board, on behalf of Regeneration of South Armagh (ROSA). Nothing of archaeological significance encountered.

Type of monitoring: Single trench excavated by hand.

Size of area opened: 0.3 m x 0.35 m.

Current Land Use: Monument in State Care.

Intended Land Use: N/A

Plan of site showing extent of area monitored:

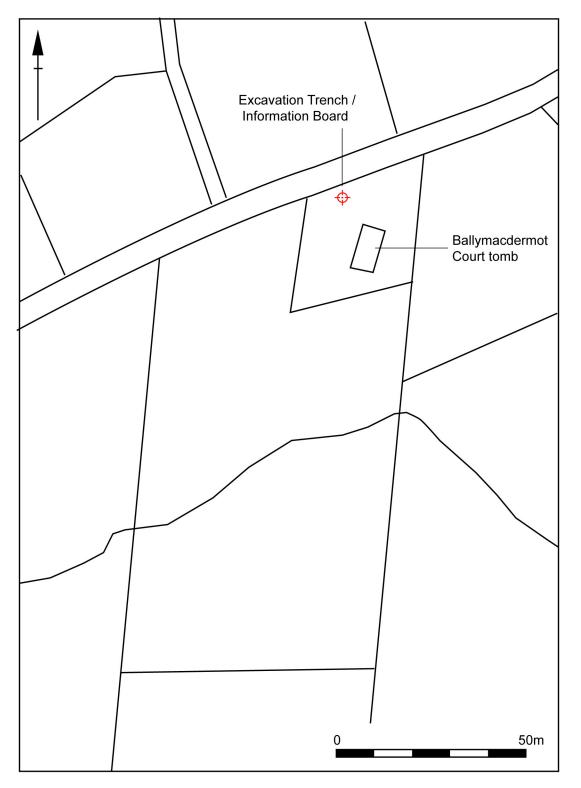


Figure One: Plan of approximate location of Ballymacdermot Court Tomb information board

Account of monitoring results.

A small trench (0.3 m \times 0.35 m) was excavated to a depth of 0.75 m for the installation of an information board at Ballymacdermot Cairn, County Armagh. During the excavation one deposit was discovered.

The first deposit (Context No. 101) was a light brown humic deposit, which extended to a depth of 0.75 m, where excavation terminated.

No features or finds of archaeological importance were uncovered during this excavation.

Archive:	
Finds: N/A	
Photographs: 3 slide images held by CAF.	
Plans / Drawings: N/A	
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