

Matthew Bridge A0310

Site Type	footbridge
Site Name	Matthew Bridge over the Chirdon Burn
Other Name(s)	
Ownership	Snabdough Farm, Tasset, Hexham, NE48 1LB (Right Bank)
Related Sites	

LOCATION

National Grid Reference	NY 7756 8435	Km Square	NY 7784
TAG 2006 Atlas : Map	M3	Air Photo. No	Run F--OS/74062--109

Modern Parish	Greystead
Historic Parish & Township	Greystead : Chirdon --Smalesmouth

LISTINGS

Scheduled Ancient Monument	X	Listed	X
National Monument Record	78 SE 08	English Heritage Pastscape	15840
Historic Environment Record	7044	HVA	X
Grundy	X	Tasset Books	MM- LX-

EVIDENCE

See Pastscape

DESCRIPTION

Footbridge with remains of Medieval foot bridge. The stone abutments are well built of rubble in mortar and have the unusual feature of terminating in semi-circular ends facing across the stream. These abutments are of fashioned stone set upon rock in the banks of the Chirdon Burn, about 2.0m above the riverbed, and are about 2.0m in height. Their age cannot be accurately assessed. A modern iron trellis footbridge was laid upon the abutments in 1950 (there is a small plaque on the bridge to this effect), and the stonework has been re-pointed, probably at the same time.
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IMAGES

None.

NOTES

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REFERENCES

See Pastscape

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