

Birchhope shafts (2) A0462

Site Type	shafts (coal)
Site Name	Birchhope
Ownership	Charlton tbc.
Related Sites	A0461-A0467 inclusive

LOCATION

National Grid Reference	NY 8030 8704	Km Square	NY 8087
TAG 2006 Atlas : Map	M2	Air Photo. No	Run D--OS/74062--024

Modern Parish	Bellingham
Historic Parish & Township	Bellingham -- Charlton West

LISTINGS

Scheduled Ancient Monument	X	Listed	X
National Monument Record	X	English Heritage Pastscape	X
Historic Environment Record	X	HVA	X
Grundy	X	Tarset Books	MM- LX-

EVIDENCE

Identified by Air Photograph Interpretation. Not verified by Field walking. Shown as 'Pits (dis)' on current O.S. map. Not shown on 1st Edition of OS '6 inch' Map Northumberland Old Series Sheet 60 surveyed 1862.

DESCRIPTION

A group of shafts, probably bell pits. Workings considered by BGS (ref. 1) to be in the Plashetts Coal.

IMAGES

None.

NOTES

Site not in Tarset but clearly related to the groups of shafts to the north of the road.

REFERENCES

1	Frost, D.V. and D.W. Holliday, (1980) <i>Geology of the country around Bellingham</i> , Memoir for 1:50,000 geological sheet 13. Institute of Geological Sciences, HMSO. ISBN 0 11 884137 8	
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