

Good afternoon,

I am writing to let you know the Council have a Local Heritage Register which we welcome any nominations for inclusion on the list.

The register is intended to be a list of buildings, structures and sites which are of local heritage interest. Unlike listed buildings and conservation areas, this does not introduce any further planning controls, but the Council may consider designating an Article 4 Direction on any buildings to protect the architectural interest or appearance of the asset. There is a selection criterion in the attached supplementary planning document, but I've summarised the criterion below:

Buildings and Structures	Architectural Interest
	Historic Interest
	Group Value
	Landmark Buildings
Parks, gardens and cemeteries	Example of a style or layout or the work of an important designer
	Associated with locally significant persons or historical events
	Contribute to the character of the area
Archaeological Sites	Associated with locally significant persons or historical events
	Visible surviving features
	Well-documented
	Locally uncommon types of monument

The nominations we receive are considered by the Conservation Liaison Panel and, once formally signed off, the information will be published on the Council's website: [Other 'heritage assets' within the Moorlands - Staffordshire Moorlands District Council](#)

I am currently in the process of updating the website, so the information is not the most up-to-date. Nevertheless, we've had some recent nominations from Leek, Werrington, Biddulph and Ipstones which will be added to the list and information made available on the website hopefully shortly.

This is an ongoing process, and the local heritage register will continue to be updated and amended where necessary so you can nominate buildings or sites at any time.

If you are interested in making any nominations for inclusion on the Local Heritage Register, I've attached the nomination form which can be returned to conservation@staffs Moorlands.gov.uk or, alternatively, sent to Moorlands House, Stockwell Street, Leek ST13 6HQ.

Any questions, feel free to get in touch.

Kind regards,

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