

# Blaenau Gwent Wildlife Site/SINC Notification Form

## SITE SUMMARY

SITE NAME:

GRID REF: SO130105

SURVEYOR(S):

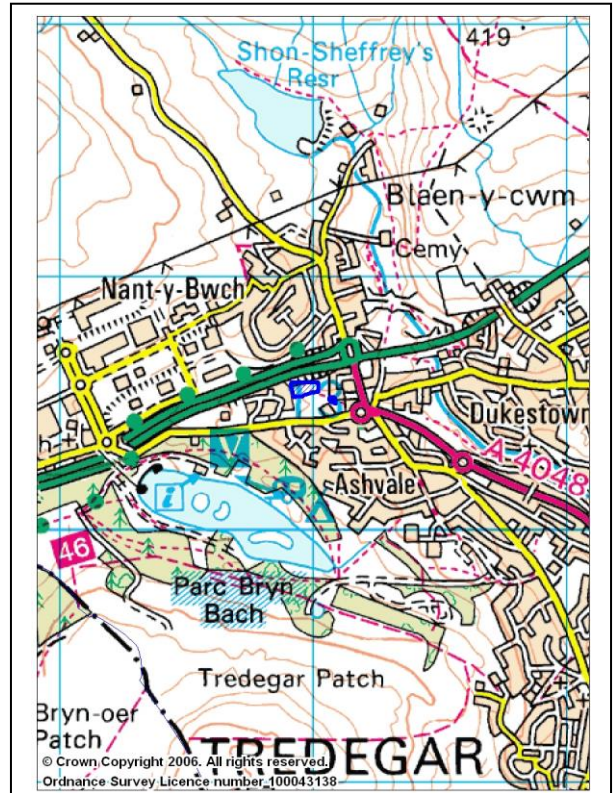
SIZE (approx.):

DATE OF SURVEY:

LOCAL AUTHORITY AREA:

WARD:

### SKETCH MAP OF SITES LOCATION:



### MAIN HABITAT TYPES PRESENT:

Habitat types	NVC type	Area (ha)
Neutral Grassland		
Acid Grassland		
Marshy Grassland		
Scattered Trees		
Scrub		
Running Water		

### FULL DESCRIPTION OF SITE (including topography, adjacent land use, access and boundaries etc.):

Two separate areas within the grounds of Bryn bach School constitute the Local Wildlife Site. Area A is the largest with a mixture of neutral, acid and wet grassland with some scrub and scattered trees. Grassland species include *Succisa pratensis* (Devil's-bit scabious), *Calluna vulgaris* (Ling), *Lychnis flos-cuculi* (Ragged robin) and *Serratula tinctoria* (Saw-wort) and the whole area is botanically diverse.

Area B lies to the east of the school with a stream running through it and a bank with species-rich grassland including *Leucanthemum vulgare* (Ox-eye daisy), *Lathyrus pratensis* (Meadow vetchling) and *Rhinanthus minor* (Yellow rattle). Although small it is a botanically rich area with several habitats adding to its value.

A further area (Area C) is quite botanically poor and is not included within the Local Wildlife Site Boundary. The school is planning to use the areas as an educational resource and plan a path through Area A.

#### Section(s) of the Wildlife Site Guidelines that this site qualifies under:

Mosaic Habitats (H20)

#### Qualifying Habitat types

Neutral grassland  
Acid grassland  
Marshy grassland

**Official Use Only:** Site selected as a Wildlife Site/SINC? YES  NO  Date: \_\_\_\_\_