

In 1955 a girth of 14' 6" at 3' was recorded. Notes from an unknown source say that branches were lost because of ice in 1940, and more in the gales of 1959, 1974 and 1976.

In 2011 girth had diminished to 13' 5" at 2'. One side of the tree is lost, exposing its innards on the outside. Present growth is on two large branches, both on the same side of the tree, giving it a lopsided appearance. Ivy stems had been cut through.



A younger yew (below) also grows here, its girth 9' 2" at the height of an embedded nail - about 18". A large branch has split from the tree and now helps to support it, being firmly embedded in the ground.

