

1998: Two male yews grow at this site. The largest is SE of the church and consists of two fragments separated by a large gap. The larger fragment is semi-circular joined by 2 smaller pieces at heights of 2' and 5'. There had been severe fire damage and the tree was also competing with elder, which grew against the bole and filled some of the hollow spaces. Girth was approximately 30' at 4'.

In 2013, when the photographs were taken, it appeared in excellent health, apart from a single dead branch. Girth around the main fragment between the ground and 1' was above 20'. Around the smaller fragment it was above 10' at 1', and around both fragments was above 28'.



The smaller girthed yew is the most easterly of the pair. In 1998 an approximate girth of 20' at 5' was recorded. In 2013 the tree could not be approached through thick elder growing close to the tree. It is on a considerable mound and from below its well established internal growth could be seen. Girth recorded

on this occasion was 15' 1" at the ground but above the roots, and 15' 4" at 1'. This is less than in 1998 because a dead section had separated from the tree. Another will soon decay, reducing girth further.

