

2003: The yew has a bole of about 6' from which develop two main growth areas, with a large number of branches having been sawn off. I estimated girth to be between 12' and 13'.

It is seen in the engraving of 1874, thought to be in Hutchins' *History and antiquities of the county of Dorset*.

In 2010 Peter Norton photographed the yew and recorded girths of 12' 2" at the root crown and 12' 6" at 3'. He described a female yew with advanced hollowing and small internal growth, whose appearance suggests that it will eventually split into three fragments.



Also recorded in 2010 was a male yew, north of the church, with a girth of 9' 6" at 1'.