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AH No.	AH 1
RMP No.	WI040-051
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM Ref	723623 675021
Classification	Burnt spread
Dist. from Development	0m
Description	This is the record for three adjacent spreads of burnt mound material excavated by Brendán Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The burnt material was present in shallow pits/depressions and the only finds recovered were some pieces of unworked flint and fragments of burnt bone.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 2
RMP No.	WI040-055
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Coolboy
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	724637 675857
Classification	Excavation - miscellaneous
Dist. from Development	c. 25m
Description	This is the record for the shallow pits excavated by Brendán Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The shallow depressions were filled with a mixture of ash, charcoal and soil and two of them contained large quantities of shards of pottery identified as Neolithic in date. A number of flint artefacts were also found including two scrapers. (Ó Riordáin 1999)
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 3
RMP No.	WI040-021002
Statutory protection	RMP

Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	723831 675043
Classification	Graveyard
Dist. from Development	c. 30m
Description	Situated on a level area on a very gentle SW-facing slope overlooking the Avoca River. No trace of the church remains described in the OS Letters (O'Flanagan 1928, 133) nor of any other early features other than some eighteenth-century headstones in the heavily overgrown graveyard. The mausoleum named on the map is dedicated to Frances Parnell.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 4
RMP No.	WI040-021001
Statutory protection	RMP
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	723813 675030
Classification	Church
Dist. from Development	c. 30m
Description	Situated on a level area on a very gentle SW-facing slope overlooking the Avoca River. No trace of the church remains described in the OS Letters (O'Flanagan 1928, 133) nor of any other early features other than some eighteenth-century headstones in the heavily overgrown graveyard. The mausoleum named on the map is dedicated to Frances Parnell.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 5
RMP No.	WI040-054
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Coolboy
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	724499 675794
Classification	Burnt pit
Dist. from Development	c. 30m

Description	This is the record for the burnt pit excavated by Breandán Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The pit was filled with tightly packed burnt mound material. The only finds recovered were two pieces of chert. (Ó Riordáin 1999)
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 6
RMP No.	WI040-050
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	723531 674863
Classification	Furnace
Dist. from Development	c. 35m
Description	This is the record for the furnace excavated by Breandán Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The remains occupied a space of 1.1m x 0.85m with a max. depth of 0.5m. The furnace had a lining of two stones, one on either side, and a crescent wall of solid iron slag. No finds other than fragments of slag and waste iron were recovered.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 7
RMP No.	WI040-021004
Statutory protection	Proposed RMP
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	723831 675032
Classification	Mausoleum
Dist. from Development	c. 40m
Description	At the centre of a graveyard (WI040-021002-). A rectangular structure with a colonnaded façade on its N face and built into a low hillside at S. A partially legible inscription records its dedication, 'To the memory of Frances Parnell'. A second mausoleum, erected in 1785 by Ralph, Viscount of Wicklow, (according to the inscription it bears) stands to the NE of the former and is in the form of a low, rectangular structure supporting a pyramid.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 8
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RMP No.	WI040-021003
Statutory protection	Proposed SMR
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	723827 675025
Classification	Redundant record
Dist. from Development	c. 40m
Description	This record was previously classed as a possible ecclesiastical enclosure, however there is currently no evidence for its existence.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 9
RMP No.	WI040-049
Statutory protection	Proposed RMP
Townland	Coolboy
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	724825 675976
Classification	Burnt mound
Dist. from Development	c. 60m
Description	This is the record for a burnt mound excavated by Colin D. Gracie (97E303) on the Arklow bypass scheme. A horseshoe-shaped spread of burnt material (diam. 5–6m) was excavated but no trace of a hearth or trough was found. The only find was a flint flake from the surface of the burnt spread.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 10
RMP No.	WI041-006001-5
Statutory protection	RMP (ZON)
Townland	Johnstown South
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	Various
Classification	Enclosure (x5)
Dist. from Development	c. 80m

Description	Four circular enclosures (diams. c. 10-20m) and one rectangular enclosure (dims. c. 20m x 35m) situated on a gentle E/SE-facing slope. Visible as cropmarks on aerial photograph (CUCAP, BDE 11). Not visible at ground level.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 11
RMP No.	WI040-048
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	723440 674772
Classification	Habitation site
Dist. from Development	c. 95m
Description	This is the record for the Bronze Age settlement site excavated by Thaddeus Breen (97E0324) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The site consisted postholes representing an oval structure (diam. 7.5m) and an assortment of other postholes forming no discernible pattern. No hearth was found but the site had been heavily truncated. Associated with these postholes were struck flakes of poor-quality flint and pottery sherds from Beaker, Cordoned Urn and Vast vessels, dating the site to the Bronze Age.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 12
RMP No.	WI040-052
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	724042 675515
Classification	Burnt mound
Dist. from Development	c. 140m
Description	This is the record for a burnt spread excavated by Brendán Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. It consisted of an area c. 4m x c. 4m which contained burnt stone and charcoal and patches of grey and yellow marl. (Ó Riordáin 1999)
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 13
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RMP No.	WI040-044
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Kilbride
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	724183 675076
Classification	Font
Dist. from Development	c. 180m
Description	A red sandstone block (33.5cm x 15.5cm; H 15.5cm-16.5cm) which an oval basin (13cm x 25cm; D 0.08m-0.09m) in the top centre and a small heavily weathered stone head carving on one corner. Located in the E transept of St. Patrick's church when inspected by ASI in 1999 (see WI035-058---- for present location record) but had previously been located here.
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 14
RMP No.	WI040-053
Statutory protection	Proposed RMP
Townland	Coolboy
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	724261 675661
Classification	Burnt mound
Dist. from Development	c. 185m
Description	This is the record for a spread of burnt material partially excavated by Brendán Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The spread had a depth of 0.25m. Excavation ceased when the area became flooded. The area was then backfilled and left undisturbed. (Ó Riordáin 1999)
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie

AH No.	AH 15
RMP No.	WI040-058
Statutory protection	SMR
Townland	Templerainy
Parish	Kilbride
Barony	Arklow
ITM	725053 676114

Classification	Cremation pit
Dist. from Development	c. 185m
Description	This is the record for four adjacent pits (Site M) excavated by Brendan Ó Riordáin (97E0083) on the Arklow bypass road scheme. The pits contained cremated remains and sherds of Beaker pottery, as well as flint artefacts. This pottery would place the burials in the late Neolithic/early Bronze Age period. (Ó Riordáin 1999)
Source	SMR File/ www.archaeology.ie