

## CUBBIE ROO'S CASTLE / ST MARY'S CHURCH - INTERPRETATION PLAN

High quality interpretation delivers on the key outcome of the Historic Environment Strategy, *Our Place in Time*, 'to ensure that the cultural, social, environmental and economic value of Scotland's heritage makes a strong contribution to the wellbeing of the nation and its people'. Following the principles and standards outlined in Historic Scotland's Interpretation Strategy, *The Magic of the Real*, this new interpretation will allow visitors intellectual access to Cubbie Roo's Castle, communicating the many stories we have to tell about this fascinating site, enhancing the visitor experience and promoting a powerful sense of place.

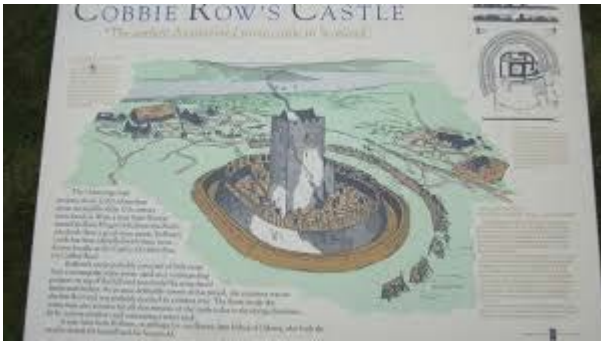
### Panels

**CUB1** – 420x594mm, wall-mounted. Remove old metal panel on opposite side of wall.



CNR: the present panel is of limited use for visitors, who will generally encounter it only on their exit from the monument. Removing it and installing a new panel on the opposite side of the wall will offer a better welcome to visitors. It will also enable useful visitor management messages to be provided early in the visit. Fixings will be into joints and so will have limited impact on the fabric of the monument. The design will also be in accordance with HS Interpretation Unit house style and so will insure the panel will be visually discreet. Its visual impact will therefore also be minimal.

**CUB2** – 840x594mm cairn-mounted – replace old graphic on existing cairn



CNR: this panel is a straightforward like for like replacement and has no new archaeological or setting implications for the monument. CNR are content with this panel.

**CUB3** – 420x594 – replace old metal plate panel on existing slab



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