

THE ANCIENT MONUMENTS AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL AREAS ACT 1979 819
ENTRY IN THE SCHEDULE OF MONUMENTS

The monument known as Victoria Gardens, cross slab 25m E of 1 Wingfield comprises a Pictish Class III sculptured cross-slab, dating probably from the 8th or 9th century AD on art historical grounds. The monument now stands in Victoria Gardens, Crail, at a height of around 40 m above sea level. It was moved from its original position near Sauchope in 1851, and moved again in 1929 to its current location. It is a roughly oblong block of sandstone which stands 1.4m high and is 0.6m wide. The stone is carved on both faces. On the S face the ornament comprises a hunting scene with two (or possibly three) figures on horseback and at least one dog. A haloed cross with two dogs beneath it has been carved on the N face. The area to be scheduled is circular on plan, with a diameter of 6m centred on the cross-slab. The scheduling specifically excludes the above-ground remains of the 1929 interpretation plaque and its concrete mount, to allow for their maintenance. The monument, which lies in the Parish of Crail and the County of Fife as shown in red on the Plan annexed and executed as relative hereto [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is hereby included in the Schedule of Monuments appearing to the Scottish Ministers to be of national importance compiled and maintained by them under section 1(1) of the Ancient Monuments and Archaeological Areas Act 1979.

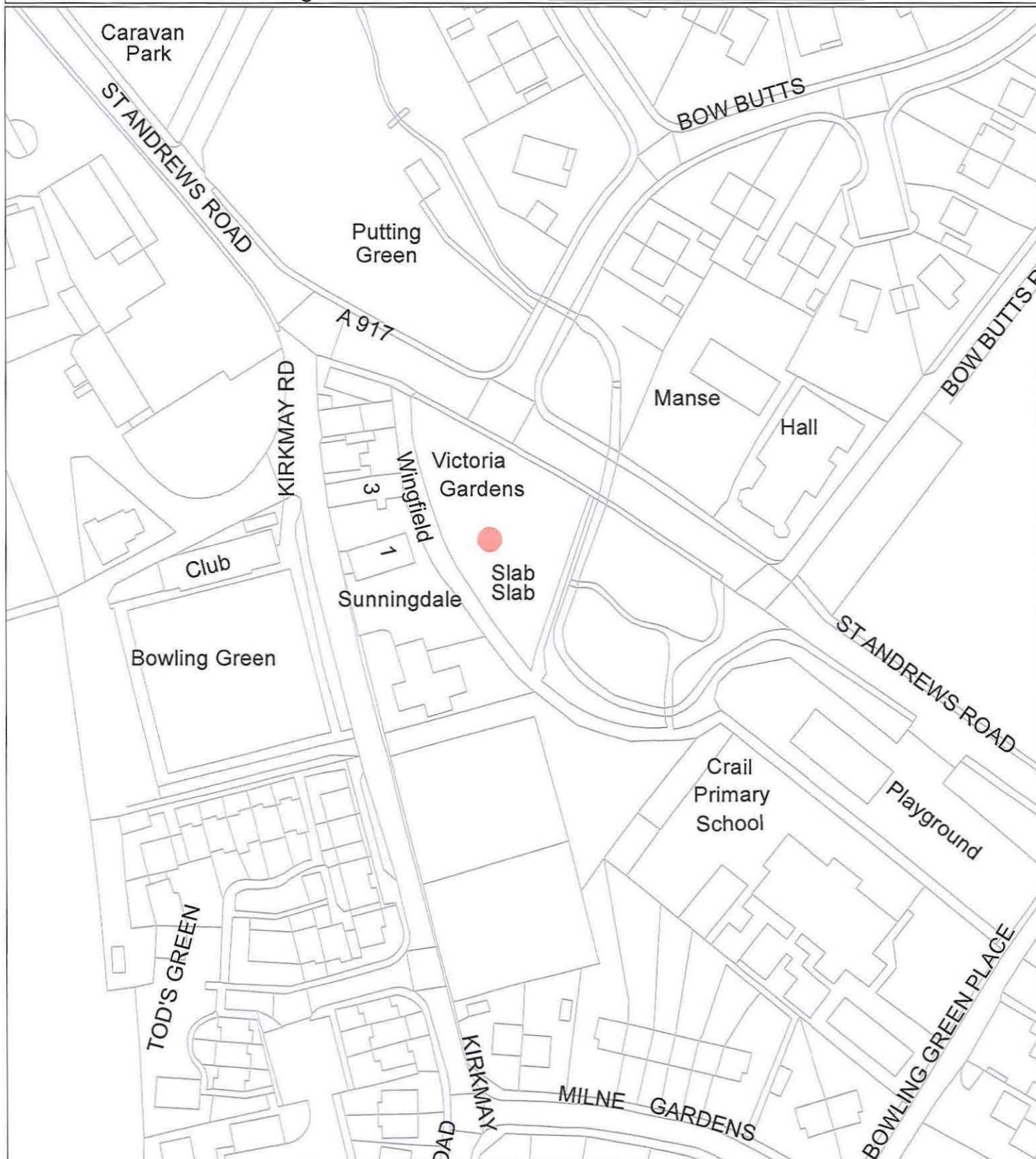
Subscribed by Deborah Mays, Director of Policy and Outreach with Historic Scotland, being an officer of the Scottish Ministers at Edinburgh on the 5 day of October Two thousand and eleven, before this witness Alasdair Young, of Longmore House, Salisbury Place, Edinburgh.

[REDACTED]
Witness

[REDACTED] Director of Policy and Outreach

This is the plan referred to in the entry in the Schedule affecting:
Victoria Gardens, cross slab 25m E of 1 Wingfield

dated: 5, 10, 11 and is signed as relative thereto.



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Victoria Gardens, cross slab 25m
E of 1 Wingfield

Crail Parish

Scheduled Area



N



Mapsheet(s):
NO60NW

Scale: 1:1,250

0 10 20 30 40 50
Metres

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2011

Re: The Monument known as
Victoria Gardens, cross slab
25m E of 1 Wingfield

in the Parish of Crail and
County of Fife

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