

Monument Title Blyth New Bridge, Blyth

Other Refs N682, T4864 **Old SMR No** 4782
Mon NMR 0 **Mon NAR** SK 68 NW 28 **EH Sam No** 11

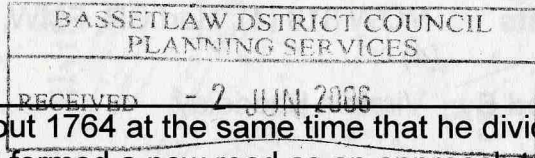
Monument Types Bridge **Confidence %** 100

Use Period: From P Med **Use Period: To** Modern **Centuries**
Use Date: From/To 1764 x 2000 **In use** c.1764

Form Type Other structure

NGR 461730 387200 **Qualifier** FCE

District Bassetlaw **Parish** Blyth



Blyth Bridge was built by Wm Mellish Esq about 1764 at the same time that he divided the River Rhyton, enlarged the lake, diverted and formed a new road as an approach to the bridge and further road of the Priory of Blyth. The distant view of the bridge from the Priory is very handsome. (1)
 Stone balustrade in the centre over arch and wrought iron railings. (2)
 A once fine magnesian limestone built bridge and balustraded parapets with bulbous ballisters - many broken and replaced or gaps covered with pole fence and wire with temporary red tape. No road restrictions. 3 arches over the river and side walls. (3)
 Very elegant 3 arch bridge. (4)
 The ... surviving bridge of 1770 [was] probably built by John Carr, a great friend of William Mellish. (5)

Sources

Author	Date	Title	Page/Passage	Other Refs	Source
MOW		819			1
Reedman K	1977	Pers Comm			2
Hart CR	1984	AM107			3
Samuels JR	1985	AM107			4
Pevsner N	1979	The Buildings of England: Nottinghamshire 2nd ed.	p 79		5

Associated SAM

EH County Number

Blyth New Bridge

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Element No	Element Title
L 4782	Structure at Blyth

Building No	Gen Ref	Building Title
B 1907	1.5.5	BLYTH NEW BRIDGE

Event No	Event Title
E 2092	Field Observation of Blyth New Bridge, Blyth by Hart
E 4979	Field Observation of Blyth New Bridge, Blyth by MOW

This Monument:

Data Held	Details
Ground Photograph	5 colour print, negs B47/1,2, SMR
Data Held	(2), Ind Arch File

Land Use and Site Status Information

Geology	Alluvium
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Associated Names

Carr, John Architect
 Mellish, William Patron

Site Visits MOW 819 (1); Hart CR, FMW, --/--/1984 (3); Samuels JR, FMW, 29/09/1985 (4)

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Peaterson K	1979	The Buildings of England, Northamptonshire	p 12
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E 4879	Field Observation of Blyth New Bridge, Blyth by MOW
E 2092	Field Observation of Blyth New Bridge, Blyth by Hart