

**Name of memorial:** 1914 Gun-running memorial

**Inventory No. 1546**

**Place:** Kilcoole rail station.

**Address and map reference:** Rail station, Kilcoole Co. Wicklow.  
Map reference: O 312 079 (Sheet 56).  
Co-ordinates: N 53.1063°; W 6.0414°.

**Access:** at all times. **Parking:** adjacent. **Disabled access:** yes.

**Position:** at the beginning of the path to the beach behind Kilcoole Rail Station, on Sea Road.

**Description and dimensions:** metal plaque on a stone boulder.  
Height: appx. 40cms. Width: appx. 75cms.

**Recorded by:** Brian Smith 24 October 2024.

**Text:**

FÉ MAR A CHARLA I mBeann ÉADAIR, CUIREADH I DCÍR ANSO  
LEIS I 1914 SUNNAÍ LE HAGHAIOTH NA NÓGLACH. DEN AON  
LAST AMHÁIN SUNNAÍ BHINN ÉADAIR AGUS SUNNAÍ CHILL  
CHOMHGHAILL. AR BORD KELPIE CONOR O'BRIEN AGUS  
CHOTAH AN RÍDIRE THOMAS MYLES, AG DÉANAMH UAINÍOCHTA  
AR A CHÉILE DÓIBH, A TUGADH ANALL CHUGAINN SUNNAÍ  
CHILL CHOMHGHAILL. IS CHOMHAINMNEACHA SA STAIR ANOIS  
KELPIE, CHOTAH AGUS ASGARD.

### **Kilcoole Gun-Running**

A CARGO OF ARMS FOR THE IRISH VOLUNTEERS, WHICH  
HAD BEEN TRANSHIPPED FROM CONOR O'BRIEN'S KELPIE  
OFF THE WELSH COAST, WAS LANDED HERE BY  
SIR THOMAS MYLES' CHOTAH ON 2ND AUGUST, 1914,  
A WEEK AFTER THE HOWTH GUN-RUNNING.  
KELPIE AND CHOTAH JOIN THE ASGARD IN HISTORY.