

Name of memorial: Michael Collins Memorial

Inventory No. 1280

Place: Clonakilty National School

Address and map reference: Clonakilty National School, Western Road, Clonakilty,
Co. Cork.

Co-ordinates: N 51.6231°; W 8.8930°.

Access: visible from road. **Parking:** in adjacent church grounds. **Disabled access:** yes.

Position: on the wall of the school facing the road.

Description and dimensions: two stone plaques.

Height: appx. 100cms and 50cms. Width: appx. 100cms and 60cms.

Recorded by: Edward Bourke, 3 June 2019.

Text:

**Michael Collins
Woodfield
Attended this school from
Oct. 1903 – Feb. 1906
and sat the Post Office
examination at U.C.C.
on Feb. 6th 1906.
He went on to become
one of Ireland's greatest
soldiers and statesmen.
Laoch de laochra móra
na fichiú aoise**

[A warrior among great warriors of the 20th century]

**CUMANN SEANCHAIS
CLOCH NA gCOILLTE**

ÉIRÍ AMACH NA CÁSCA

**THREE PAST PUPILS OF
THIS SCHOOL
FOUGHT IN DUBLIN
DURING THE RISING OF
1916
MICHAEL COLLINS
WOODFIELD
(FOUGHT AT THE G.P.O.)
CON O'DONOVAN
CASHELISKEY
(FOUGHT AT THE FOUR COURTS)**

SEÁN HURLEY
DRINAGH
(FATALLY WOUNDED AT CHURCH STREET)

AR SON SAOIRSE NA hÉIREANN
[For Irish freedom]