Name of memorial: Dave Gallagher Memorial

Inventory No. 680

Place: Ramelton

Address and map reference: The Mall, Ramelton, Co. Donegal. Map reference: C 227 211 (Sheet 6). Co-ordinates: N 55.0373°; W 7.6472°.

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

Position: In a paved garden, Gallagher Park.

Description and dimensions: A metal screen in the shape of a rugby ball, and an engraved limestone slab. Height: appx. 150cms. Width: appx. 250cms.

Recorded by: Michael Pegum and Edward Bourke.

Text: At the gate:

Pairc Ui Ghallchobhair

officially opened by

Cllr. Padraig Mac Lochlainn

Deputy Mayor of County Donegal

27th July 2010

On the rugby ball:

1873 DAVE GALLAGHER 1917

THE ORIGINAL ALL BLACK

On the margin of a raised flowerbed:

DAVE GALLAHER was born in Ramelton and his family emigrated to Katikati in New Zealand. In an outstanding Rugby career he gained fame as captain of the legendary Original All Blacks team that toured Britain, France and North America in 1905. He died in the Great War. Image of a player holding a Rugby ball, and the coat of arms of Katikati Rugby & Sports Club.