

Coracle Stories

The Boat House

On Old Station Road, opposite Danybanc, the modern day coracler still makes and repairs coracles.

Malcolm Rees, son of Raymond, goes about his business in the coracle boat house.



Repairs

Whilst the current coracle boat house was under repair in the 1980's, Raymond Rees rented out a property in Mill Street, overlooking the Quayside, to carry out his coracle building and repairs.

Here you can see him repairing several coracles in what looks like the living room.



Fixing Holes

Bryn Richards and Steve 'Dwr' Thomas repairing a hole in the coracle.

Steve is holding a lit piece of paper to melt the pitch.

Bryn has the repair patch in his hand.

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