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Summary

In August and September 2012 Oxford Archaeology carried out a trial trench evaluation on land at the former Queen Elizabeth Barracks in Church Crookham, Hampshire. The evaluation formed part of a series of ongoing archaeological works.

Struck flints were recovered from the subsoil or the fills of later features but none from in situ deposits.

The evaluation uncovered possible enclosure ditches of Iron Age or Roman date in two trenches, but no associated features. The majority of ditches recorded were undated and highly truncated although one contained pottery with a date range of 1350-1525, and another a piece of brick of 17th -18th century date. Several postholes were uncovered in the south of the site - these are likely to be of 20th century date.



1 Introduction

1.1 Location and scope of work

- 1.1.1 From the end of July until September 2012 Oxford Archaeology (OA) carried out a trial trench evaluation of land at Queen Elizabeth Barracks, Church Crookham, Hampshire, on behalf of Taylor Wimpey (West London). The evaluation was undertaken prior to the construction of residential units, business units, sports facilities and other community facilities, for which planning permission has been granted (ref: 11/00001/MAJOR).
- 1.1.2 This evaluation formed Phases 2 and 3 of an ongoing series of archaeological works. The results of the previous phase of evaluation form the content of separate documents (OA 2011b, OA 2012b). Evaluation trenches from this phase of works, within the northeast of the development area under the footprint of the School Site (Trenches 56 to 75) also form the content of a separate report (OA 2012c).
- 1.1.3 This phase of evaluation was conducted in two stages (late July to early August, and early to mid September) due to ecological constraints restricting access to some trench locations.
- 1.1.4 The works were carried out in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation (OA 2012b) which was recommended for approval to the Local Planning Authority by the Senior Archaeologist at Hampshire County Council.

1.2 Geology and topography

- 1.2.1 The site consisted of both areas occupied by the former barrack blocks and areas of grassland. The land was generally flat to the north and east, and sloped down towards the south-west.
- 1.2.2 The geology of the site is the Bracklesham and Bagshot Beds, which manifested as gravel rich sands with a high clay content, with clay to the west of the development area, and banded alluvium, peat and sands overlying gravel in the lower lying areas to the south-west.

1.3 Archaeological and historical background

- 1.3.1 The archaeological background of the development area has been examined in detail in a desk based assessment (OA 2004), and also in Chapter 12 of the Environmental Statement (OA 2012a) and will not be reproduced here.
- 1.3.2 The previous phase of evaluation revealed a focus of Iron Age activity within the area to the north of the trenches reported on here, although the majority of the trenches were empty or contained features of recent date.

1.4 Acknowledgements

1.4.1 OA would like to thank Mark Leahy, the Site Manager for Taylor Wimpey, for his assistance during the evaluation, and Dr Hannah Fluck of Hampshire County Council, who monitored the archaeological works. The evaluation was managed for OA by Ken Welsh, and the fieldwork was directed by Gerry Thacker with the assistance of Lee Sparks, Mike Donnelly, Dave Jamieson, Victoria Skipper, Gemma Stewart and Lee Grana.



2 EVALUATION AIMS AND METHODOLOGY

2.1 Aims

- 2.1.1 The aims of the evaluation were:
 - (i) To determine the presence or absence of any archaeological remains which may survive.
 - (ii) To determine or confirm the approximate extent of any surviving remains.
 - (iii) To determine the date range of any surviving remains by artefactual or other means.
 - (iv) To determine the condition and state of preservation of any remains.
 - (v) To determine the degree of complexity of any surviving horizontal or vertical stratigraphy.
 - (vi) To assess the associations and implications of any remains encountered with reference to the historic landscape.
 - (vii) To determine the potential of the site to provide palaeoenvironmental and/or economic evidence, and the forms in which such evidence may survive.
 - (viii) To determine the implications of any remains with reference to economy, status, utility and social activity.
 - (ix) To determine or confirm the likely range, quality and quantity of the artefactual evidence present.

2.2 Methodology

- 2.2.1 As stated within the Written Scheme of Investigation (OA 2012b), a sample of 1% of the available area was investigated in the western areas of the site where truncation from the former barrack blocks was anticipated. The remaining undisturbed areas of the site were subject to a 4% sample.
- 2.2.2 Trenches were excavated to the top of the geological horizon using a tracked 360° excavator under close archaeological supervision.
- 2.2.3 Certain trench locations were not accessible due to the ongoing construction programme or the presence of mature trees.
- 2.2.4 Trenches 97, 102, 104 and 105 to the north-west of the site were within the area of concrete hard standing of the former parade ground, currently used to stockpile crushed brick and concrete, and could not be opened. Trench 98 was moved from its intended location to an area of open ground on the west side of the parade ground.
- 2.2.5 Trenches 1, 32, 108, 114 and 115 were moved from their original locations due to on site obstructions.
- 2.2.6 Trenches 99, 116, 117, 118 and 119 were located in the former vehicle repair area, an area of concrete hard standing, and of these only Trenches 117, 118 and 119 were opened, and these were moved from their original location.
- 2.2.7 Trenches 92, 93 and 94 were located beneath an area of hard standing used to stockpile delivered construction materials and were not opened.
- 2.2.8 Trenches 83, 88 and 90 were almost entirely situated beneath the footprint of an active road and were not opened.



- 2.2.9 Trench 6, 8, 11, 18, 20, 24, 25, 27, 30, 39, 40 and 55 were all situated within areas of mature trees, which are to be retained as part of the development, and were not opened.
- 2.2.10 Additional trenches 120 and 121 were excavated in order to trace the route of ditch 503 which was uncovered within Trench 5. Also for this purpose, Trench 72 (within the School Site, see OA 2012c) was extended in a westerly direction.



3 Results

3.1 Introduction and presentation of results

3.1.1 The results of the evaluation are presented below, beginning with a general description of soils, and a stratigraphic account of the trenches which contained archaeological remains. This is followed by an overall discussion and interpretation. An index of all trenches giving the extent and depths of all deposits is also presented in tabular form in Appendix A. The results of the finds and environmental analysis are presented in Appendices B and C respectively.

3.2 General soils and ground conditions

- 3.2.1 The underlying geology was reached within all trenches and consisted of gravel rich sands with patches of clay to the east of the site, and gravelly clay to the west. To the south-west, in an area of lower lying ground (Trenches 117, 118 and 119) the natural gravel was overlain by a shallow sequence of alluvial clay, sand and desiccated peat deposits.
- 3.2.2 Topsoil was present in the majority of trenches with the exception of Trenches 84, 87, 89 and 91 to the south where this deposit had recently been removed to form a bund. This was also the case with Trench 1 and part of Trench 2 within the north-eastern part of the site.
- 3.2.3 A subsoil was present within the majority of trenches to the east of the site which probably derived from medieval or post-medieval ploughing of the site..
- 3.2.4 Trenches 21, 26 and 29 contained made ground deposits of recent date, perhaps related to the levelling of the area. These consisted of a layer of redeposited gravel-rich sand overlying a dark brown charcoal-rich clay layer. This layer was noted to overlie any land drains that were present. Subsoil was not present within these trenches indicating a degree of truncation.
- 3.2.5 Topsoil and subsoil were generally absent from those trenches to the west of the site, within the area of the recently demolished barracks blocks. Instead a thin layer of demolition rubble sealed the underlying geology, which had suffered considerable truncation both from the footings of the buildings and related services, but also during the demolition process.
- 3.2.6 Land drains and service runs were present throughout the site and these were noted and recorded by sketch plan, but are not further described.
- 3.2.7 A spell of heavy rain obscured the features within a few trenches, and limited remachining was undertaken to clarify these prior to hand excavation.

3.3 General distribution of archaeological deposits

3.3.1 Within the north-eastern part of the site, Trench 5 contained a large ditch, as did additional Trench 120, and these may be part of the same feature. Trench 12 contained two shallow gravel filled ditches which truncated a slightly deeper ditch with a sandier fill. Two of these ditches were also noted within Trench 13 to the west, where they had diverged. Trenches 16 and 17 contained NW-SE running ditches of a considerably smaller size. Trench 17 in addition contained a single small posthole. Trenches 13 and Trench 25 contained pits.



- 3.3.2 To the south-east of the site Trenches 41, 50, 51, 52, 78, 82, 84 and 89 contained postholes. Trenches 42, 54 and 78 contained small ditches running on a NW-SE alignment. Trench 82 contained a ditch running NE-SW.
- 3.3.3 To the south-west Trench 118 contained a NNW-SSE aligned ditch and Trench 111, towards the centre of the western area of the site, contained a W-E running ditch that curved to the south at its eastern extent. Adjacent Trench 109 contained a solitary pit, and a ditch containing a land drain, but also pottery of Roman date.

3.4 Trenches 1-40 and 120-121 (Fig. 3)

- 3.4.1 These trenches were all located within a field defined to the north, east and south sides by mature tree lines, and to the west by a chain link fence. Archaeological features were only present within four of the trenches, although land drains were ubiquitous and services fairly common.
- 3.4.2 Trench 5 contained a large ditch (503) which was sealed by subsoil layer 501, and which was orientated NNW-SSE with a flared 'U' shaped profile. The lowest fill (506) was a mixture of reddish orange and blue-grey silty clay, possibly water lain, and which contained occasional pieces of burnt flint. Eight small sherds of pottery of Roman date were recovered from the fill. Overlying 506 was a sterile yellow brown clay deposit (505) which appeared to have entered the ditch from the eastern side, and may be material derived from an associated bank. The upper fill of the ditch (504) was a mid brown clay silt and contained four sherds of early-middle Iron Age date along with a fragment of a perforated fired clay plate, probably from an oven or kiln. A soil sample from this ditch produced common charcoal fragments and a single glume base of wheat.
- 3.4.3 Trench 120 was an additional trench sited to locate the route of ditch 503 to the north. A ditch measuring 2m wide (12003) was uncovered running in a WNW-ESE direction, and was recorded in plan but not further investigated. A few crumbs of prehistoric pottery were recovered from the ditch surface.
- 3.4.4 A further additional trench (Trench 121) located to the south of Trench 5 failed to uncover the southern extent of ditch 503.
- 3.4.5 Trench 12 contained three intercutting ditches (1202, 1204 and 1206) which ran in a NW-SE direction. Ditches 1202 and 1204 had shallow concave profiles and grey gravel rich fills. The relationship between these ditches could not be discerned. The northern of the two (ditch 1204) truncated a similarly aligned ditch 1(206) which had a concave profile and a brown sandy fill. All the ditches appeared to be overlain by the subsoil, and none of the fills contained any finds.
- 3.4.6 Within Trench 13 to the west, two ditches (1305 and 1307) on a similar alignment were recorded and, on the basis of their size and profile, are likely to be the continuations of ditches 1202 and 1204. Trench 13 also contained a small pit with a concave profile (1303). A small leather object, probably a gasket of recent date, was recovered from the single fill (1304).
- 3.4.7 Trench 17 contained a small, shallow NW-SE aligned ditch (1603), sealed by the subsoil. The ditch may be associated with agricultural drainage, and was infilled with dark brown clay silt. Trench 17 also contained a posthole (1703) with a concave profile, the loose dark brown silty fill of which (1704) had been subject to root disturbance.
- 3.4.8 Trench 19 contained a small NE-SW orientated ditch (1903) which had a flat base, and a grey silty sand fill which was similar to the underlying natural.



- 3.4.9 Trench 25 contained a small pit (2502) with a loose brown and white sand fill from which no finds were recovered.
- 3.4.10 Trench 35 contained a small, shallow ditch (3503), aligned NW-SE. It was filled with a grey silty sand, but produced no artefactual material.

3.5 Trenches 41-55, 76-84 and 86-94 (Fig. 4)

- 3.5.1 These trenches occupied the field within the south-east of the site, which was the site of the former playing field and assault course, some of the metal frames of which were still *in situ*.
- 3.5.2 Trenches 41, 50, 51, 78, 82, 84, 86 and 89 contained between one and four postholes each, all of which cut through the subsoil. A selection of these were excavated and fully recorded, and these proved to have loose, dark brown like fills similar to the topsoil. Posthole 4106 contained a fragment of modern glass, posthole 5008 (Trench 50) contained a fragment of 18th or 19th century brick and posthole 8908 (Trench 89) contained a fragment of floor tile of similar date along with a fragment of struck flint. All of the postholes were recorded in plan.
- 3.5.3 Trenches 42, 54 and 78 all contained small, shallow ditches orientated NW-SE (4203, 5402 and 7803 respectively). The ditches, which appeared to be sealed by the subsoil, measured between 0.8m and 1.4m wide and 0.06m and 0.16m deep, and had concave profiles and mid brown silty fills. No finds were recovered from any of the ditch fills.
- 3.5.4 Trench 41, in addition to postholes of recent date, contained a ditch at the northern end. The ditch (4104), which was orientated NW-SE, was sealed beneath the subsoil and contained two fragments of late post-medieval tile.
- 3.5.5 Trench 82, in addition to postholes of recent date, contained a ditch at the south-western end. The ditch (8212) which was orientated NE-SW was only partially present within the confines of the trench. The fill (8211) contained a single worn pot sherd with a date of between AD 1350 and 1525.

3.6 Trenches 85 and 95-119.

- 3.6.1 These trenches were situated beneath the footprint of the former parade ground and vehicle repair area, and within the area once occupied by the barrack blocks. The former two areas were only partially accessible, and the latter had suffered a high degree of truncation. The majority of the trenches opened contained service runs and land drains, and often the concrete and brick remnants of the barracks footings and these were recorded by sketch plan. Truncation from demolition was extensive, especially where trees had been removed and backfilled with rubble, and tooth marks from machine buckets were often visible within the geological horizon.
- 3.6.2 Trench 98, in the parade ground area, contained a deposit of modern made ground up to 1.0m thick. The made ground lay directly upon natural geology.
- 3.6.3 A single shallow pit (10904), was present within Trench 109 (Fig. 3), and this contained a dark brown silty sand fill (10905) which had been truncated by a service trench, and contained no finds. A cut for a land drain (10906) produced contained 11 sherds of Roman pottery (AD 120-200), and others sherds were present within the subsoil (along with post-medieval pottery and brick) and in a layer of demolition material, indicating that a feature of this date had once been present in the vicinity.
- 3.6.4 A NW-SE orientated ditch was cut through the upper alluvial clay within Trench 118 (Fig. 5), in the area of lower ground within the south-west of the site. The ditch (11804),



which may have had a drainage function, had moderately sloping sides and a flat base. The lower fill (11806) was a dark brown organic silty clay from which two fragments of tile were recovered with a likely 17th or 18th century date. The upper fill (11805) was a yellow brown clay that contained lenses of peat, and from which no finds were recovered.

3.6.5 The ditch was cut into the top of a shallow sequence of deposits which, where investigated within a 5m long test pit at the eastern end of adjacent Trench 117, consisted of alluvial clay overlying a thin layer of grey sand which sealed a band of desiccated peat (Fig. 5). The peat overlay a further layer of alluvial clay and this overlay gravel. The whole sequence was around 0.6m in depth, and no datable material was recovered from any of the layers.

3.7 Finds summary

- 3.7.1 Struck flint was present at low levels throughout the eastern, less truncated areas of the site, but was either recovered from the topsoil, subsoil, or from features that contained post medieval material. A microlith and scraper from the subsoil in Trench 82 may be of early Mesolithic date and flint flakes of MesolithivSome of the flint seems likely to date from the Mesolithic or Early Neolithic periods and suggests occupation of the area at this time.
- 3.7.2 Ditch 503 (Trench 5) contained pottery of both Early to Middle Iron Age and Roman dates. A small sherd of pottery from the surface of ditch 12003 within Trench 120 could only be broadly dated to prehistoric period.
- 3.7.3 Roman pottery sherds redeposited in later features and layers within Trench 109 suggest activity of this date within the vicinity.
- 3.7.4 Ditch 8212 within trench 82 contained a single worn sherd with a possible date of AD 1350 to 1525.
- 3.7.5 Ditch 11804 (Trench 118) situated in the lower, south western part of the site contained a fragment of brick with a possible 17th 18th century date.
- 3.7.6 Pottery recovered from Trench 109 had a date range between the 18th and 20th centuries.



4 Discussion

4.1 Reliability of field investigation

4.1.1 The archaeological features exposed within the trenches were generally easy to identify against the underlying geology. Although heavy rain obscured the features within a few trenches notes taken during machining, combined with selective re-machining, enabled all features to be relocated.

4.2 Evaluation objectives and results

4.2.1 The presence, extent, condition and character of the archaeological deposits was established, as was the depth of overburden that sealed them. Datable material was recovered from three deposits, although it was absent from others. The potential for the survival of palaeo-environmental remains was assessed, and sufficient information has been provided to inform the planning process in terms of the mitigation strategy.

4.3 Interpretation

- 4.3.1 The evaluation revealed very few archaeological features or deposits across the site. Widespread truncation of the level at which archaeological features would be expected to survive was recorded, both from earlier (medieval or post-medieval) ploughing, in the eastern part of the site, and from the later development of the site as a barracks and its subsequent demolition in the western part of the site.
- 4.3.2 The single trench excavated in the area of the former parade ground (Trench 98) revealed up to a metre of made ground. This deposit lay directly on natural geology. No subsoil was present suggesting that both topsoil and subsoil had been removed prior to the deposition of the made ground deposit and the construction of the parade ground.
- 4.3.3 A shallow sequence of alluvial clay and desiccated peat was recorded in Trench 117 in the former vehicle repair area. No artefacts were recovered from this sequence and the desiccated nature of the peat indicates that it would have a very low potential for the survival of environmental remains.
- 4.3.4 Where features do survive, they are generally shallow and very few produced datable artefacts.
- 4.3.5 The small quantity of struck flint recovered, in the main from the subsoil, suggests that prehistoric activity was present within the site, but that most associated features have since been removed through arable farming practises.
- 4.3.6 The ditches present within Trenches 5 and 120 may represent enclosures or field boundaries of Iron Age or Roman date, perhaps associated with the features recorded to the north during previous phases of work (OA 2011b, OA 2012c). Despite additional trenches being opened in this area, it was not possible to trace these ditches beyond the Trenches 5 and 120 and no associated features were identified. This, combined with the small quantity of pottery recovered, may indicate that the ditches form part of a field system at some distance form any focus of settlement.
- 4.3.7 Roman pottery recovered from Trench 109 suggests that a focus of activity of this date may have existed here. However, all of the pottery was residual within later deposits, indicating that later activity is likely to have destroyed or truncated any features of this date in the vicinity.



4.3.8 With the exception of ditch 8212, which contained pottery with a date of AD 1350-1525, all other dated features were of post medieval or modern origin.



APPENDIX A. TRENCH DESCRIPTIONS AND CONTEXT INVENTORY

Trench 1								
General d	lescriptio	Orientati	Orientation					
Trench d	evoid of	archaeolo	Avg. depth (m)		0.2			
Trench devoid of archaeology. Top soil had been previously removed. Trench moved from original location as within an area of trees. Natural was mixed grey gravels and sands.								
						Length (m)		
Contexts							<u> </u>	
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	date	
100	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-		
101	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 2									
General d	lescriptio	n	Orientatio	Orientation					
Trench de		٠.		h (m)	0.37				
of 2m dee was prese			VVI(1111) (111)		1.8				
orange bro			Length (m) 30		30				
Contexts									
context no	type , comment finds date								
200	Layer	-	0.21	Topsoil	-	-			
201	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-			
202	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-			

Trench 3							
General d	escriptio	n	Orientatio	n	N-S		
			Avg. depth	n (m)	0.42		
Trench de overlying a			wiath (m)		1.8		
overlying a	a natural C	or greenis			30		
Contexts					•		•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
300	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
301	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-	
302	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 4		
General description	Orientation	W-E
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil	Avg. depth (m)	0.6
overlying a natural of orange grey manganese rich sandy clay.	Width (m)	1.8



Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
400	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-		
401	Layer	-	0.37	Subsoil	-	-		
402	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 5							
General description						on	N-S
Trench contained a single NNE-SSW orientated ditch overlain by						th (m)	0.2
topsoil ar	nd subsoil	_		al of mottled yellow brown	Width (m)	1.8
sandy clay.						n)	30
Contexts					•		•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
500	Layer	-	0.15	Topsoil	-	-	
501	Layer	-	0.05	Subsoil	-	-	
502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
503	Cut	1.8	0.84	Cut of ditch	-	LBA-EIA	
504	Fill	1.8	0.4	Upper fill of ditch 503	Pot	LBA-EIA	
505	Fill	1.3	0.36	Middle fill of ditch 503	-	-	
506	Fill	0.74	0.44	Lower fill of ditch 503	Pot	LBA-EIA	

Trench 6		
General description	Orientation	-
	Avg. depth (m)	-
Trench unopened as within extant tree line.	Width (m)	-
	Length (m)	-

Trench 7							
General d	lescriptio	n	Orientation		N-S		
			Avg. de	oth (m)	0.28		
Trench de overlying a			Width (m) 1.8				
overlying (a natarar t	or mixed g	and you oldy.	Length (m)		30	
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
700	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-	
701	Layer	-	-	-			
702	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	



Trench 8						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench unopened as within extant tree line.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 9							
General c	descriptio	n			Orientat	ion	N-S
Trench co	ontaining :	a small d	Avg. de	oth (m)	0.4		
	_			tated NE-SW overlain by I of mixed yellow and grey	Width (m)		1.8
sand .					Length (m)		30
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
900	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-	
901	Layer	-	0.22	Subsoil	-	-	
902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
903	Cut	0.3	0.16	Cut of ditch	-	-	
904	Fill	0.3	0.16	Fill of 903	-	-	

Trench 10	0						
General c	General description						NW-SE
			Avg. depth (m)		0.54		
	evoid of a natural o		Width (m) 1.		1.8		
Overlying	a natural t	or bright y	chow grav	rei fieli salius.	Length (m)		30
Contexts							'
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1000	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
1001	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-	
1002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 11		
General description	Orientation	-
	Avg. depth (m)	-
Trench unopened as could not be accessed through tree protection areas.	Width (m)	-
areas.	Length (m)	-

Trench 12



General d	escriptio	n			Orientat	ion	N-S
Trench co	ontained	three N	IE-SW o	rientated ditches. Natural	Avg. dep	oth (m)	0.4
consisted	of mid g			and gravels and patches of	Width (n	n)	1.8
green sand	dy clay.				Length ((m)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1200	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-	
1201	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
1202	Cut	0.9	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-	
1203	Fill	0.9	0.2	Fill of 1202	-	-	
1204	Cut	0.88	0.2	Cut of ditch	-	-	
1205	Fill	0.88	0.2	Fill of 1205	-	-	
1206	Cut	1.7	0.44	Cut of ditch	-	-	
1207	Fill	1.7	0.44	Fill of 1206	-	-	
1208	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-	

Trench 13	3						
General d	escriptio	n	Orientatio	on	N-S 0.44		
Trench c	ontained	two W-l	Avg. dept	th (m)			
Trench contained two W-E orientated ditches (which were excavated within Trench 12) and a pit. Natural was an orange grey)	1.8
sandy gra	vel.				Length (n	n)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1300	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-	
1301	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-	
1302	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
1303	Cut	0.9	0.22	Cut of pit	-	-	
1304	Fill	0.9	0.22	Fill of 1303	Leather	Modern	
1305	Cut	1.6	-	Cut of unexcavated ditch	-	-	
1306	Fill	1.6	-	Fill of 1305	-	-	
1307	Cut	2	-	Cut of unexcavated ditch	-	-	
1308	Fill	2	-	Fill of 1307	-	-	

Trench 14		
General description	Orientation	W-E
	Avg. depth (m)	0.45
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown manganese rich sand.	Width (m)	1.8
The standard of the brown manganese non said.	Length (m)	30



Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1400	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
1401	Layer	-	0.13	Subsoil	-	-	
1402	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 15	5						
General c	descriptio	Orientatio	n	W-E			
						(m)	0.48
Trench de sand.	evoid of ar	chaeology	/. Natural	was a mid brownish yellow	Width (m)		1.8
Juliu.					Length (m)		30
Contexts							1
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1500	Layer	-	0.16	Topsoil	-	-	
1501	Layer	-	0.32	Subsoil	-	-	
1502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 16	3						
General c	General description						N-S
		Avg. de	oth (m)	0.45			
Trench de	void of are	chaeology	. Natural v	vas a light grey-brown sand.	Width (m) Length (m)		1.8
							30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1600	Layer	-	0.16	Topsoil	-	-	
1601	Layer	-	0.26	Subsoil	-	-	
1602	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 17	7						
General d	General description						W-E
			Avg. dep	oth (m)	0.3		
				posthole overlain by topsoil rellow gravel rich sand.	Width (m) Length (m)		1.8
and Subsc	on overryin	ig a riature	ii or light y	chow graver herr sand .			30
Contexts							'
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1700	Layer	-	0.05	Topsoil	-	-	
1701	Layer	-	0.25	Subsoil	-	-	



1702	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
1703	Cut	0.55	0.28	Cut of posthole	-	-
1704	Fill	0.55	0.28	Fill of 1703	-	-
1705	Cut	0.35	0.25	Cut of ditch	-	-
1706	Fill	0.35	0.25	Fill of 1705	-	-

Trench 18						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 19							
General de	General description						N-S
					Avg. depth	(m)	0.43
Trench cor		•	-SW runn	ing ditch. Natural was a mid	Width (m)		1.8
yenow brov	wii alia wi	into sana.			Length (m))	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
1900	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-	
1901	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	Flint	Mesolithic /	E Neo
1902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
1903	Cut	0.8	0.12	Cut of ditch	-	-	
1904	Fill	0.8	0.12	Fill of 1903	-	-	

Trench 20						
General description - Orientation -						
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-				
Trenon anoponed as in an area of dense woodand.	Length (m)	-				

Trench 21							
General de	escriptio	n	Orientation	W-E			
			Avg. depth	0.8			
				o layers of modern made w gravel rich clay.	Width (m) 1.8		
ground ove	mymig a n	atarar or k	ingin yono	w graver herr elay.	Length (m))	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	finds	date			



2100	Layer	-	0.34	Topsoil	-	-
2101	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
2102	Layer	-	0.26	Gravel made ground	-	-
2103	Layer	-	0.2	Clay made ground	-	-

Trench 22	2						
General c	descriptio	n			Orientatio	n	W-E
					Avg. depth	(m)	0.6
Trench de sand.	evoid of a	rchaeolog	y. Natural	was a mid greyish orange	Width (m)		1.8
Jana.					Length (m))	30
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
2200	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
2201	Layer	-	0.3	Subsoil	-	-	
2202	Layer	-		Natural	-	-	

Trench 23	3						
General c	descriptio	n			Orientati	on	W-E
Trench de	evoid of a	chaeology	v. but with	modern truncation towards	Avg. dep	th (m)	0.48
the centre		٠.		sand with patches of orange		1.8	
clay.					Length (m)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
2300	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
2301	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-	
2302	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 24						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)					

Trench 25		
General description	Orientation	W-E
	Avg. depth (m)	0.35
Trench contained a single pit. Natural was a mix of gravel, red clay and brown clay.	Width (m)	1.8
and brown day.	Length (m)	30



Contexts										
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date				
2500	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-				
2501	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-				
2502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-				
2503	Cut	0.46	0.18	Cut of pit	-	-				
2504	Fill	0.46	0.18	Fill of 2503	-	-				

Trench 2	6						
General o	descriptio	n			Orientat	ion	N-S
						oth (m)	0.8
		•	, ,	wo layers of modern made ow gravel rich clay.	Width (n	n)	1.8
ground ov	onying a	ilatarar or	origint you	ow graver from olay.	Length ((m)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
2600	Layer	-		Topsoil	-	-	
2601	Layer	-		Gravel made ground	-	-	
2602	Layer	-	-	Clay made ground	-	-	
2601	Layer	-		Natural			

Trench 27						
General description Orientation -						
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 28					
General description Orientation					
	Avg. depth (m)				
Trench number not allocated.	Width (m)				
	Length (m)				

Trench 29		
General description	Orientation	W-E
Trench consists of topsoil overlying subsoil to the east, and two	Avg. depth (m)	0.43
made ground deposits to the west. Natural consisted of a dark grey		1.8
brown manganese rich sand with light grey gravel patches.	Length (m)	30
Contexts		



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
2900	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-
2901	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-
2902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
2903	Layer		0.2	Clay made ground	-	-
2904	Layer		0.15	Gravel made ground	-	-

Trench 30						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 31	1							
General c	descriptio	Orientatio	n	W-E				
						n (m)	0.4	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil overlying a natural of light yellow and orange gravel rich sand.						Width (m)		
Overlying	a natural c	n light yo	now and o	range graver hen sand.	Length (m)			
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
3100	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-		
3101	Layer	-	0.11	Subsoil	-	-		
3102	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 32	2						
General description						n	N-S
						h (m)	0.4
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil overlying a natural of light grey brown sand.					Width (m)	1.8	
Overlying	a natural c	n light git	ay brown s	oanu.	Length (n	1)	30
Contexts					,		
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
3200	Layer	-	0.16	Topsoil	-	-	
3201	Layer	-	0.24	Subsoil	-	-	
3202	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 33		
General description	Orientation	NW-SE



Trench de gravel rich		rchaeolog	ıy. Natura	l was a mid yellow brown	Avg. depti Width (m) Length (m		0.3 1.8 30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
3300	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-	
3301	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-	
3302	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 34								
General o	descriptio	n			Orientati	on	N-S	
						Avg. depth (m)		
Trench do sand.	evoid of a	ırchaeolog	y. Natura	I was a mid orange brown	Width (m)		1.8	
Jana.					Length (m)	30	
Contexts							'	
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-		
	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-		
	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 35							
General description						on	NE-SW
						h (m)	0.7
Trench contained a single NW-SE orientated ditch. Natural was a mid yellow brown gravel rich sand.							1.8
illia yollow	brown gr	avorriore	arra.		Length (n	n)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
3500	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-	
3501	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-	
3502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
3503	Cut	0.8	0.17	Cut of ditch	-	-	
3504	Fill	0.8	0.17	Fill of 3504	-	-	

Trench 36		
General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Natural was a greyish orange sand.	Avg. depth (m)	0.48
	Width (m)	1.8



					Length (m)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
3600	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-	
3601	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-	
3602	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 37	•							
General d	escriptio	Orientatio	n	W-E				
Trench co	ontained	Avg. dept	h (m)	0.4				
				was a mid reddish brown		Width (m)		
sandy grav	vel.				Length (m)		30	
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
3700	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-		
3701	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-		
3702	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 38	8						
General o	descriptio	n	Orientat	ion	W-E		
						oth (m)	0.42
Trench de	evoid of are	chaeology	. Natural v	vas a dark orange sand.	Width (r	n)	1.8
					Length (m)		30
Contexts							·
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
3800	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-	
3801	Layer	-	-	-			
3802	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 39							
General description - Orientation -							
	Avg. depth (m)	-					
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-					
Trenen anopened as in an area of defise woodland.	Length (m)	-					

Trench 40		
General description	Orientation	-



	Avg. depth (m)	-
Trench unopened as in an area of dense woodland.	Width (m)	-
	Length (m)	-

Trench 41	1						
General d	descriptio	Orientation	n	N-S			
			Avg. depth	(m)	0.45		
				d two postholes overlain by ural of mid yellow sand.	Width (m)		1.8
topson an	u subson	WITHCIT OVE	nay a natt	arai oi iilia yellow sana .	Length (m))	30
Contexts					•		
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4100	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	Flint	Mesolithic	/ E Neo
4101	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-	
4102	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
4103	Fill	0.8	0.12	Upper fill of 4104	СВМ	18 th -19 th C	•
4104	Cut	0.8	0.15	Cut of ditch	-	-	
4105	Fill	0.55	0.06	Lower fill of 4104	-	-	
4106	Cut	0.7	0.3	Cut of posthole	-	-	
4107	Fill	0.7	0.3	Fill of 4106	Flint, glass	20 th C	
4108	Cut	0.3	0.22	Cut of posthole	-	-	
4109	Fill	0.3	0.22	Fill of 4108	-	-	

Trench 42	2						
General c	lescriptio	Orientat	ion	W-E			
						oth (m)	0.45
				rientated NNW-SSE overlain ellow gravel rich sand.	Width (n	n)	1.8
by topson	and subst	Jii. INatura	i was a ye	snow graver non sand.	Length ((m)	30
Contexts							1
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4200	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-	
4201	Layer	-	0.21	Subsoil	-	-	
4202	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
4203	Cut	1	0.16	Cut of ditch	-	-	
4204	Fill	1	0.16	Fill of 4203	-	-	

Trench 43		
General description	Orientation	N-S
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil	Avg. depth (m)	0.5



overlying a	a natural c	of mid yell	ow gravel	rich sand.	Width (m)		1.8
		•			Length (n	1)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4300	Layer	-	0.29	Topsoil	-	-	
4301	Layer	-	0.21	Subsoil	-	-	
4302 Layer Natural					-	-	

Trench 44							
General d	escriptio	Orientati	on	W-E			
		Avg. dep	th (m)	0.5			
			· ·	ists of topsoil and subsoil rich sand.	Width (m) 1.8 Length (m) 30		1.8
overlying a	a riaturai c	or illia yer	ow grave	Thom Sana.			30
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4400	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-	
4401	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-	
4402	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 45											
General c	lescriptio	n	Orientatio	n	N-S						
			Avg. depti	h (m)	0.5						
				sts of topsoil and subsoil v gravel rich sand.	Width (m)	1.8					
Overlying	a Haturai C	n mato t	aik yellov	v graver nen sand.	Length (m) 30		30				
Contexts							1				
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date					
4500	Layer	-	-	-							
4501	Layer	-	-	-							
4502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-					

Trench 46							
General de	escription	n			Orientatio	n	W-E
					Avg. depth	n (m)	0.25
				sts of topsoil and subsoil gravel rich sand.	Width (m)		1.8
overlying a	natural o	1 11110 10 0	ark yellow	graver non sand.	Length (m)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	



4600	Layer	-	0.15	Topsoil	-	-
4601	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-
4602	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 47	,						
General d	escriptio	n			Orientatio	n	W-E
					Avg. depth	n (m)	0.5
				ists of topsoil and subsoil rich sands.	Width (m)		1.8
overlying t	a riatarar c	n nna yen	ow graver	non sanas .	Length (m))	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4700	Layer	-	0.31	Topsoil	-	-	
4701	Layer	-	0.19	Subsoil	-	-	
4702	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 48	3						
General d	descriptio	n			Orientatio	on	N-S
					Avg. dep	th (m)	0.4
				ists of topsoil and subsoil I rich sand .	Width (m)	1.8
overlying (a natarar c	or dark yer	iow grave	Thom sand .	Length (r	n)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4800	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-	
4801	Layer	-	0.18	Subsoil	-	-	
4802	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 49	9						
General c	descriptio	n			Orientat	ion	N-S
Trench co	ontained a	a ditch an	Avg. de	0.45			
consisted	of topsoil		Width (n	n)	1.8		
yellow sar	nd.				Length ((m)	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
4900	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-	
4901	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-	
4902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
4903	Cut	-	-	Posthole cut	-	Modern	



4904	Fill	-	-	Fill of 4903	-	Modern
4905	Cut	-	-	Cut of ditch	-	1890-1940
4906	Fill	-	-	Fill of 4906	Pottery	1890-1940

Trench 50	0						
General c	descriptio	n			Orientatio	n	W-E
	-	•		cut the subsoil. Consists of	Avg. depti	h (m)	0.25
				of yellow brown gravel rich m the western part of the	Width (m)		1.8
trench.	oson nau	Deen len	ioved iio	in the western part of the	Length (m)	30
Contexts							1
context	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
5000	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-	
5001	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-	
5002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
5003	Cut	0.3	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole	-	-	
5004	Fill	0.3	-	Fill of 5003	-	-	
5005	Fill	0.26	0.22	Fill of 5006	-	-	
5006	Cut	0.26	0.16	Cut of posthole	-	-	
5007	Fill	0.48	0.19	Fill of 5008	СВМ	18 th - 19 th C	;
5008	Cut	0.48	0.19	Cut of posthole	-	-	
5009	Fill	0.3	-	Fill of 5011	-	-	
5010	Fill	0.2	-	Postpipe fill of 5011	-	-	
5011	Cut	0.3	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole	-	-	
5012	Cut	0.2	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole	-	-	
5013	Fill	0.2	-	Fill of 5012	-	-	

Trench 51	l						
General d	lescriptio	n			Orientat	ion	N-S
Trench co	ntaining t	wo nosth	Avg. der	oth (m)	0.44		
which cut	the subs	oil. Consi		n)	1.8		
natural of	mid yellov	v gravel ri	ch sand .		Length ((m)	30
Contexts							,
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
5100	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-	
5101	Layer	-	0.2	Subsoil	-	-	
5102	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	



5103	Cut	0.25	0.2	Posthole cut	-	-
5104	Fill	0.25	0.2	Fill of 5103	-	-
5105	Cut	0.4	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole		
5106	Fill	0.4	-	Fill of 5106		

Trench 52	2						
General d	lescriptio	n			Orientati	on	W-E
			_		Avg. dep	th (m)	0.39
				ists of topsoil and subsoil gravel rich sand.	Width (m	1)	1.8
Overlying	a natarar c	n ma yem	JW BIOWII	graver non sana.	Length (m)	30
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
5200	Layer	-	0.22	Topsoil	-	-	
5201	Layer	-	0.17	Subsoil	-	-	
5202	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 53	1						
General d	escription	1			Orientation	n	N-S
			Avg. depth	(m)	0.3		
Trench de overlying a		•	Width (m)		1.8		
overlying t	a natarar o	i illia yelle	W BIOWITS	graver non bana.	Length (m))	30
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
5300	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-	
5301	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-	
5302	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 54							
General d	escriptio	า			Orientatio	n	W-E
Trench co		•	Avg. depth	(m)	0.35		
	erlying a	Width (m)		1.8			
road.	r present,	iikely leli	iovea aan	ing construction of adjacent	Length (m))	30
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
5400	Layer	-	0.28	Topsoil	-	-	
5401	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
5402	Cut	1.4	0.06	Cut of ditch	-	-	



5403	Fill	1.4	0.06	Fill of 5402	-	-

Trench 55							
General description	Orientation	-					
	Avg. depth (m)	-					
Trench not excavated as within extant tree line.	Width (m)	1.8					
	Length (m)	30					

Trench 76											
General c	descriptio	n			Orientati	ion	W-E				
					Avg. dep	0.45					
			ists of topsoil and subsoil gravel rich sand.	Width (m)		1.8					
Overlying	a natural c	or illia yer	Length (m)		30						
Contexts											
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date					
7600	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-					
7601	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-					
7602	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-					

Trench 77	7						
General d	lescriptio	n			Orientatio	n	N-S
Trench de	evoid of	archaeolo	av Cons	ists of topsoil and subsoil	Avg. dept	h (m)	0.42
overlying					1.8		
sand.				Length (m)		30	
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
7700	Layer	-	0.3	Topsoil	-	-	
7701	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-	
7702	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 78										
General d	escription	1		Orientatio	n	N-S				
Trench co	ntained a	NW-SE r	Avg. depth	Avg. depth (m)						
consisted of	of topsoil a	and subso		g a natural of mid brownish			1.8			
yellow grav	el rich sa	nd.			Length (m)		30			
Contexts										
context	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date				



7800	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-
7801	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-
7802	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
7803	Cut	0.78	0.18	Ditch cut		
7804	Fill	0.78	0.18	Fill of 7803		
7805	Cut	0.26	0.2	Cut of posthole		
7806	Fill	0.26	0.2	Fill of 7805		

Trench 79											
General c	description	า	Orientation	า	W-E						
					Avg. depth	Avg. depth (m)					
	evoid of a a natural o		Width (m)		1.8						
Overlying	a natarar o	i ligiti yoli	Length (m)		30						
Contexts											
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date					
7900	Layer	-	0.24	Topsoil	-	-					
7901	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-					
7902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-					

Trench 80											
General d	lescriptio	n			Orientati	W-E					
Trench de	evoid of	archaeolo	ists of topsoil and subsoil	Avg. dep	th (m)	0.2					
overlying	a natural		Width (m)		1.8						
to west en	nd.			Length (m)		30					
Contexts											
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date					
8000	Layer	-	0.12	Topsoil	-	-					
8001	Layer	-	0.08	Subsoil	-	-					
8002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-					

Trench 81	Trench 81										
General de	escriptio	n	Orientatio	n	N-S						
			Avg. depth	n (m)	0.1						
Trench de natural of n				sts of topsoil overlying a	Width (m)		1.8				
natural of f	ina yenov	biowii se			Length (m)		30				
Contexts					,		,				
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date					



8100	Layer	-	1	Topsoil	-	-
8101	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 82										
General d	escriptio	n			Orientatio	ENE- WSW				
Trench co	ntained fo	our moder	n posthole	es and a NE-SW orientated	Avg. dept	h (m)	0.35			
ditch of p	ost medi	eval or m	odern da	te. Consists of topsoil and	Width (m)		1.8			
subsoil ove	erlying a r	natural of	mid yellow	brown gravel rich sand.	Length (m	1)	30			
Contexts										
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date				
8200	Layer	-	0.25	Topsoil	-	-				
8201	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	Flint	Early Meso	olithic			
8202	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-				
8203	Fill	0.4	0.25	Fill of 8204	-	-				
8204	Cut	0.4	0.25	Cut of posthole	-	-				
8205	Fill	0.24	0.26	Fill of 8206	-	-				
8206	Cut	0.24	0.26	Cut of posthole	-					
8207	Fill	0.33	0.23	Fill of 8208	-	-				
8208	Cut	0.33	0.23	Cut of posthole	-					
8209	Fill	0.42	-	Fill of 8210	-	-				
8210	Cut	0.42	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole	-	-				
8211	Fill			Fill of 8212	pot	c.1350-152	5?			
8212	Cut			Cut of ditch	-	-				

Trench 83		
General description	Orientation	-
Trench not opened due to the presence of active road. Context	Avg. depth (m)	-
8301 used to locate surface finds of struck filmt from vicinity of	Width (m)	-
trench area.	Length (m)	-

Trench 84								
General description						Orientation		
Trench contained four postholes. Consists subsoil overlying a natural of light yellow sandy clay . Only two of the postholes were						Avg. depth (m)		
excavated		Length (m)		30				
Contexts							•	
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		



8400	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-
8401	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-
8402	Cut	0.3	0.22	Posthole cut	-	-
8403	Fill	0.3	0.22	Fill of 8402	Fe nail	??
8404	Cut	0.3	0.25	Posthole cut	-	-
8405	Fill	0.3	0.25	Fill of 8404	-	-

Trench 85								
General description					Orientation		W-E	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil overlying a natural of light yellow brown gravel; rich sand. A brick manhole was present within the trench					Avg. depth (m)		0.25	
							1.8	
					Length (m)		30	
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	date	
8500	Layer	-	0.1	Topsoil	-	-	-	
8501	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	-	-	-	
8502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 86									
General description						Orientation W			
Trench contained four postholes, two of which were excavated.						Avg. depth (m) 0.			
Consists of	of topsoil	and subso	Width (m) 1		1.8				
yellow gravel rich sand.						Length (m)			
Contexts							•		
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment finds date					
8600	Layer	-	0.2	Topsoil	-	-			
8601	Layer	-	0.16	Subsoil	-	-			
8602	Cut	0.3	0.13	Posthole cut	-	-			
8603	Fill	0.3	0.13	Fill of 8602	-	-			
8604	Cut	0.25	0.1	Posthole cut	-	-			
8605	Fill	0.25	0.1	Fill of 8604	-	-			
8606	Cut	0.3	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole	-	-			
8607	Fill	0.3	-	Fill of 8606	-	-			
8608	Cut	0.32	-	Cut of unexcavated posthole	-	-			
8609	Fill	0.32	-	Fill of 8608	-				
8610	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-			



Trench 87								
General description						ion	W-E	
				Avg. depth (m)				
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of subsoil overlying a natural of mid brown manganese rich gravelly sand						Width (m) 1.8		
						Length (m)		
Contexts							•	
context no type Width (m) Comment finds date								
8700	Layer	-	0.12	Subsoil	-	-		
8701	Layer	-	-	Natural	Flint	Mesolithic	/ E Neo	

Trench 88						
General description - Orientation -						
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened due to the presence of active road.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 89								
General d	escriptio	n	Orientation		N-S			
					Avg. depth (m)		0.15	
Trench contained four postholes. Consists of subsoil overlying a natural of mottled light reddish brown gravel rich sand.							1.8	
)	30	
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
8900	Layer	-	-	Topsoil	-	-		
8901	Layer	-	0.15	Subsoil	Flint	Mesolithic /	E Neo	
8902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		
8903	Fill	0.3	0.12	Upper fill of 8905	-	-		
8904	Fill	0.3	0.18	Lower fill of 8905	-	-		
8905	Cut	0.3	0.3	Posthole cut	-	-		
8906	Fill	0.3	0.12	Upper fill of posthole	CBM Flint	18 th -19 th C		
8907	Fill	0.28	0.14	Lower fill of posthole	-	-		
8908	Cut	0.3	0.24	Posthole cut	-	-		
8909	Fill	0.32	0.16	Fill of 8910	-	-		
8910	Cut	0.32	0.16	Posthole cut	-	-		
8911	Fill	0.3	0.05	Fill of 8912	-	-		
8912	Cut	0.3	0.05	Posthole cut	-	-		



Trench 90							
General description	Orientation	-					
	Avg. depth (m)	-					
Trench not opened due to the presence of active road.	Width (m)	-					
	Length (m)	-					

Trench 91									
General d	escriptio	n			Orientatio	N-S			
Trench de	void of a	rchaeolog	Avg. deptl	n (m)	0.1				
overlying	a natural	of mixed	Width (m) 1.8		1.8				
clay patches. Trench contained several modern services						Length (m)			
Contexts									
context no type Width (m) Depth comment finds date									
9100	Layer	-	0.1	Made ground	-	-			
9100	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-			

Trench 92						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened as under hard standing.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 93						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 94						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 95						
General description	Orientation	N-S				
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil overlying a natural of dark yellow sandy gravels. A modern	Avg. depth (m)	0.46				
	Width (m)	1.8				
concrete foundation was present towards the north.	Length (m)	30				



Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
9500	Layer	-	0.1	Topsoil	-	-		
9501	Layer	-	0.35	Subsoil	-	-		
9502	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 96								
General d	lescriptio	n	Orientation		NW-SE			
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of topsoil and subsoil overlying a natural of mid brownish yellow sand.						h (m)	0.3	
						Width (m)		
Overlying	a natural c	n illia bio	Willon you	ow sand.	Length (m)		30	
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
9600	Layer	-	0.18	Topsoil	-	-		
9601	Layer	-	0.1	Subsoil	-	-		
9602	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 97						
General description Orientation -						
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 98	3							
General d	lescriptio	Orientati	N-S					
Trench de	void of ar	chaeology	Avg. dep	1				
a natural	of bright	yellow clay	/. Trench	moved from original location			1.8	
due to pre	sence of	concrete h	ard stand	ing.	Length (m)		30	
Contexts					•		•	
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	date	
9700	Layer		1	Made ground	-	-	-	
9701	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 99		
General description	Orientation	-



	Avg. depth (m)	-
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-
	Length (m)	-

Trench 10	00							
General description						Orientation		
		Avg. depth (m)		0.22				
				of made ground overlying a modern truncation.	Width (m) 1.8		1.8	
natural of	yellow bi	own olay.	roquent	modern transation.	Length (m)		30	
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	date	
10000	Layer	-	0.22	Made ground	-	-		
10001	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 10)1							
General d	lescriptio	Orientati	Orientation					
		Avg. dep	0.1					
		٠,		of made ground overlying a quent modern truncation.	Width (m) 1.8		1.8	
natural of	yellow bi	own sand,	, clay. 1 10	quent modern trancation.	Length (m)		30	
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	date	
	Layer	-	0.1	Made ground	-	-		
	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 102						
General description	Orientation	-				
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 103						
General description	Orientation	W-E				
	Avg. depth (m)	0.42				
French devoid of archaeology. Consists of made ground overlying a natural of yellow brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.	Width (m)	1.8				
natural of yellow brown sailty day. Trequent modern truncation.	Length (m)	30				
Contexts		'				



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
10300	Layer	-	0.42	Made ground	-	-
10301	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 104							
General description - Orientation -							
	Avg. depth (m)	-					
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	1.8					
	Length (m)	30					

Trench 105						
General description - Orientation -						
	Avg. depth (m)	-				
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-				
	Length (m)	-				

Trench 10) 6							
General description						on	W-E	
		Avg. depth (m)		0.55				
				of made ground overlying a equent modern truncation.	Width (m) 1.8		1.8	
natural of	yonow bi	own sana,	y olay. 1 To	quent modern tranoation.	Length (m)		30	
Contexts							•	
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	date	
10600	Layer	-	0.55	Made ground	-	-	-	
10601	Layer	-	-	-	Flint	Prehistorio	Prehistoric	

Trench 107									
General d	escriptio	n	Orientatio	on	W-E				
			Avg. dept	th (m)	0.65				
Trench de natural of			Width (m)		1.8				
natural or	yonow bi	own dana,	olay. 1 10	quont modom tranoation.	Length (m)		30		
Contexts							•		
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date			
10700	Layer	-	0.65	Made ground	-	-			
10701	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-			

Trench 108



General d	escriptio	n			Orientation		N-S
Trench dev	oid of ar	chaeology	Consists	of made ground overlying a	Avg. dep	oth (m)	0.3
natural of	yellow b	rown san	Width (m)		1.8		
Trench mo	ved 12m	to south o	Length (m)	30		
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
10800	Layer	-	0.3	Made ground	-	-	
10801	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 10	09						
General c	descriptio	n			Orientatio	N-S 0.5	
Trench co	ntained a	single nit	Consists	of made ground overlying a	Avg. dept		
natural of yellow brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.							1.8
Trench mo	oved form	original lo	cation du	e to on site obstruction.	Length (m)		35
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
10900	Layer	-	0.3	Made ground	-	-	
10901	Layer	-	0.2	Made ground	CBM Pot	19 th -20 th C	
10902	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
10903	Layer	-	0.07	Demolition horizon	Pottery	Roman	
10904	Cut	1.1	0.25	Cut of pit	-	-	
10905	Fill	1.1	0.25	Fill of 10903	-	-	
10906	Cut	1.2	0.45	Cut of ditch	-	19 th C	
10907	Fill	1.2	0.45	Fill of 1906	Land drain, Samian ware	19 th C	

Trench 11	10						
General d	General description						W-E
			Avg. dep	oth (m)	0.35		
Trench de		Width (m)		1.8			
natural of yellow brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.						Length (m)	
Contexts							·
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
11000	Layer	-	0.35	Made ground	-	-	
11001	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	



Trench 11	1						
General d	escriptio	n			Orientat	W-E	
			Avg. dep	0.4			
Trench de			Width (m)		1.8		
natural of a grey brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.						Length (m)	
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
11100	Layer	-	0.4	Made ground	-	-	
11101	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 11	2						<u> </u>
General d	escriptio	n			Orientati	on	N-S
		Avg. dep	0.4 1.8				
Trench de		Width (m)					
natural of yellow brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.						Length (m)	
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
11200	Layer	-	0.4	Made ground	-	-	
11201	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 11	13						
General c	lescriptio	n			Orientat	N-S	
			Avg. dep	0.2			
Trench de			Width (m)		1.8		
natural of yellow brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.						Length (m)	
Contexts							<u>'</u>
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
11300	Layer	-	0.2	Made ground	-	-	
11301	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	

Trench 114		
General description	Orientation	W-E
	Avg. depth (m)	0.18
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of made ground overlying a natural of yellow brown sandy clay. Frequent modern truncation.	Width (m)	1.8
Tiatarar or yellow brown sarray stay. I request modern transaction.	Length (m)	30
Contexts		-



context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date
11400	Layer	-	0.18	Made ground	-	-
11401	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-

Trench 11	Trench 115								
General d	escriptio	1			Orientatio	n	N-S		
Trench dev	oid of arc	:haeology.	Avg. depth	(m)	0.4				
natural of	yellow b	rown sand	Width (m)	1.8					
Trench mo	ved form	original lo	Length (m)		30				
Contexts									
context no type Width (m) Comment finds date									
11500	Layer	-	0.4	Made ground	-	-			
11501 Layer Natural						-			

Trench 116							
General description	Orientation	-					
	Avg. depth (m)	-					
Trench not opened due to presence of hard standing.	Width (m)	-					
	Length (m)	-					

Trench 117	7						
General de	escriptio	n			Orientatio	n	W-E
				ts of made ground sealing		(m)	0.65
layers of peat, sand and alluvial clay, which overlay blue-grey gravel. Trench moved from original position due to presence of							1.8
hard stand		ca nom	Length (m))	30		
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
11700	Layer	-	0.05	Made ground	-	-	
11701	Layer	-	0.12	Blue Alluvial clay	-	-	
11702	Layer	-	0.1	Mid grey sand	-	-	
11703	Layer	-	0.06	Peat	-	-	
11704	Layer	-	0.2	Blue alluvial clay	-	-	
11705	Layer	-	0.16	Brown grey clay	-	-	
11706	Layer	-	-	Gravel			

Trench 118		
General description	Orientation	W-E



				orientated ditch. Consists of	Avg. depth	n (m)	0.3
				overlay alluvial clay above osition due to presence of	Width (m)		1.8
hard stand		od mom	original p	someri add to procenice or	Length (m)	30
Contexts							•
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
11800	Layer	-	0.15	Made ground	-	-	
11801	Layer	-	0.15	Peat	-	-	
11802	Layer	-	-	Blue Alluvial clay	-	-	
11803	Layer	-	-	Gravel	-	-	
11804	Cut	0.94	0.32	Ditch Cut	-	-	
11805	Fill	0.94	0.14	Upper fill of 11804	-	-	
11806	Fill	0.82	0.26	Lower fill of 11804	СВМ	17 th - 18 th C	;

Trench 11	9							
General d	escriptio	n			Orientat	ion	W-E	
Trench devoid of archaeology. Consists of made ground overlying a						Avg. depth (m)		
natural of mixed grey clay and gravel. Trench moved from original						Width (m) 1.8		
position due to presence of hard standing.					Length (m)		30	
Contexts							·	
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
11900 Layer - 0.2 Made ground						-		
11901	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		

Trench 12	20						
General d	lescriptio	n			Orientat	ion	W-E and NW-SE
		_		to find route of ditch 503,		oth (m)	0.3
				large ditch present within in a NE-SW direction. Tiny	VVICITI III	n)	1.8
pot sherds			_		Length (m)	59
Contexts							
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date	
12000	Layer	-	-	Made ground	-	-	
12001	Layer	-	-	Subsoil	-	-	
12002	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-	
12003	Cut	2	-	Cut of unexcavated ditch	-	-	
12004	Fill	-	-	Fill of 12003	Pot	Prehistorio	?



Trench 12	21							
General c	descriptio	n			Orientat	ion	W-E	
Additional	Additional trench opened to find route of ditch 503, within Trench 5						0.32	
to the south. Ditch not present. Consists of topsoil and subsoil						Width (m) 1.8		
overlying a natural of yellow brown sand gravels.						Length (m) 28		
Contexts								
context no	type	Width (m)	Depth (m)	comment	finds	date		
12100	Layer	-	0.23	Topsoil	-	-		
12101	Layer	-	0.09	Subsoil	-	-		
12102	Layer	-	-	Natural	-	-		



APPENDIX B. FINDS REPORTS

B.1 The pottery

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Prehistoric and Roman pottery

B.1.1 The earliest pottery was recovered from contexts 504 and 12004. The flint-tempered pottery cannot be closely dated, but is consistent with an early to middle Iron Age date. The remaining pottery was of Roman date. A curving-sided bowl with a grooved, slightly hooked rim (Marsh and Tyers 1978, type 4F), was recovered from context 10901 and dates to the second half of the 1st century, or the first half of the 2nd. It was found with a fragment of a purpose-made strainer (the holes in the base had been made before firing). Both pieces were found with a sherd of post-medieval pottery and may therefore be residual. Other pottery of note included a fragment of 2nd-century Central Gaulish samian ware. Overall, the prehistoric and Roman pottery was in poor condition. The mean sherd weight of 5g is consistent with the fact that the sherds were small and abraded.

Context	Count	Weight (g)	Comments	Date
504	4	48	Flint-tempered body sherds	E-MIA
506	8	4	Fine grey ware	Roman
10901	2	24	Curving-sided bowl; body/base sherd from strainer	AD 60-160 (?residual in post-med context)
10903	2	6	Sandy grey ware body sherds	Roman
10907	11	48	Fine grey ware, sand-and-?limestone- tempered jar base, Cemtral Gaulish samian ware	AD 120-200
12004	3	4	1 vess. Worn scraps - with coarse rounded quartz. Black with brown ext surface	Prehistoric
Total	31	134		

Post-Roman pottery

- B.1.2 A total of 2 sherds of pottery weighing 14g were recovered from two contexts. The pottery was examined and spot-dated during the present assessment stage.
- B.1.3 There is a single worn unglazed sherd of medieval Surrey (or Hants) whiteware dating to c 1350-1525. One context produced mass-produced Staffordshire-type tableware dating to the 19th and quite possibly the early 20th century.

Contex	t Spot date	No.	Weight (g)	Comments
8211	c1350-1525	1	5	Bs flat base sherd, worn. Medieval Surrey/Hants whiteware - poss Coarse Border ware (CBW)?



				Unglazed
10901	c1825-1900	1	9	Bs late Staffs-type refined whiteware. (2x Roman pot also in context)
Total		2	14	

B.2 The ceramic building material (CBM)

by John Cotter

B.2.1 The CBM assemblage comprises 10 pieces weighing 384g. from five contexts. These have been recorded on an Excel spreadsheet in a similar way to the pottery (see B.1.2 above). The assemblage is in a very poor and fragmentary condition and appears to consist of pieces of orange-red post-medieval brick, roof tile and possibly floor tile. A brick fragment in Context (11806) is probably of 17th-18th century date. The remainder is probably later, including a scrap of 19th-20th century brick or tile in (10901).

Context	Spot-date	No.	Weight (g)	Comments
4103	18-19C	2	24	Worn frags. Fresher piece most prob a late post-med peg tile in well-sorted fairly smooth red sandy fabric. Other frag v worn but poss peg tile?
5007	18-19C	4	81	Frags from a single purplish-red sandy brick, fairly dense. Traces of orig surface with greyish ash glaze. Looks fairly late but pre-modern
8906	18-19C	1	41	Worn frag poss from ?late post-med floor/quarry tile? 22mm thick. Soft orange-red sandy fabric. Poss worn on one face?
10901	19-20C	1	3	Scrap v modern-looking brick/tile, hard orange-red
11806	17-18C	2	235	Worn frags from 1soft coarse orange-brown ?brick with large part of upper surface present (no edges/angles). Thickness 53mm+
Total		10	384	

B.3 The fired clay

by John Cotter

B.3.1 A single piece of fired clay weighing 24g. was recovered from Context (504). The same context also produced sherds of flint-tempered Prehistoric pottery (see report elsewhere). The piece has not been separately catalogued but is described here. The piece, which is very worn, is possibly from a perforated clay plate at least 40mm. thick. It retains about 25% of the circumference of a perforation (c 32mm. diam.), probably one of several original perforations on a circular clay plate. It has a fairly hard-fired fine orange-brown fabric with cream streaks and is a darker grey along a worn/broken and possibly scorched edge. Perforated clay plates as this date to the Iron Age and Roman period and are found in ovens and pottery kilns (Cynthia Poole, pers. comm.).



B.4 The flint

by Geraldine Crann

- B.4.1 The 23 struck flints recovered from the valuation come from 10 contexts, all of which are top- or subsoil, apart from 4107, 5906 and 8906. None of these three contexts has been dated to a period when flint tool production was practised and therefore the assemblage can be considered residual in later contexts. Most of the flint is in rolled condition and much of it has post-depositional damage, probably due in part to its location on an exposed military training ground.
- B.4.2 The single obliquely blunted microlith from context 8201 is typologically datable to the early Mesolithic and the scraper from the same context is on the same fabric and possibly therefore contemporary. Seven of the flints have evidence for blade/bladelet removals and can therefore be broadly assigned to the Mesolithic or early Neolithic. The use of irregular debitage flakes to produce an assortment of pragmatic retouched pieces including piercers, notches and scrapers is common throughout the prehistoric period.
- B.4.3 The nature and size of the struck flint assemblage make it generally of low potential, other than providing evidence of human activity in the area during the prehistoric period.

Context	Description	Date
1901	Large core-trimming flake, 4 dorsal scars, natural point possibly used as piercer with use-wear or edge-damage to point. 20% cortex, 42g.	Meso/ E.Neo
4100	Exhausted multi-platform core, faults and central inclusions causing irregular removals, roughly worked, rolled, 41g.	Meso/ E.Neo
4107	Flake fragment, heavily damaged and rolled, possibly natural, 15g.	
8201	Small chunk, possible blade removal waste, 2g.	
8201	Blade-like flake, 30% cortex, abraded, 2g.	
8201	Side scraper on triangular flake with battered proximal dorsal surface, on good quality dark brown flint, rolled condition, 7g.	Early Mesolithic ?
8201	Obliquely blunted microlith on irregular blade, abrupt retouch, 7 irregular dorsal scars, distal end truncated by usewear scars, on good quality dark brown flint, worn condition, 4g.	Early Mesolithic.
8301	Core trimming flake, heavily rolled, 9g.	
8301	Piercer/awl on thick sub-rectangular flake. The piercer tip is at the proximal left corner and is formed by retouch along its dorsal margin and the concave dorsal edge of the striking platform. Usewear damage around the whole tip and to both the dorsal and ventral surfaces suggests it has been used with a twisting motion. On mottled flint with entirely cortical side opposite striking platform, 36g.	
8301	Thick, triangular-section primary flake with very thick cortex 50%, ventral margin retouched to form relatively wide notch, on good quality dark brown flint, 22g.	
8701	Fairly crude piercer on thick irregular flake, abruptly retouched/backed along right ventral margin to form point. Rolled ,with post-depositional damage removing a	



	notch-like semi-circle, 26g.	
8701	Irregular chunk on mottled flint, no striking platform or bulb of percussion, probably result of machine damage, 15g.	
8701	Concave chunk, with short areas of possible retouch or edge damage, fine dorsal scars suggest possibly struck off a retouched tool, 5g.	Meso/ E.Neo
8901	Concave flake with abrupt retouch/backing on distal dorsal margin. Two dorsal scars, along pre-existing arrises, emanating from damage to striking platform suggest this edge was perhaps a shallow concave notch. Rolled with post-depositional damage, 12g.	
8901	Flake with parallel sides, dorsal scars suggest struck from blade core. Semi-abrupt retouch to distal right margin and possible retouch or edge damage to distal left margin. Both margins show edge-damage, 10g.	Meso/ E.Neo
8901	Irregular flake, rolled, 7g.	
8901	Debitage flake, 6 dorsal scars, 20% cortex, on mottled flint with inclusions. Possible notch with usewear at proximal end though this may be edge damage at weak point created by inclusion, 24g.	Meso/ E.Neo
8906	Small debitage flake with hinge termination and three dorsal scars, rolled, 1g.	
10600	Chunk on pale grey mottled flint, 7g.	
10600	Primary flake on orangey brown mottled flint, thick smooth cortex 50%, 3g.	
10600	Primary flake on pale grey mottled flint, cortex 35%, 7g.	
10600	Thick flake, thick smooth cortex 25%, right lateral margin and ventral surface have relatively large flake removal scars probably as result of post-depositional damage, 27g.	



APPENDIX C. ENVIRONMENTAL REPORTS

C.1 Environmental samples

By Julia Meen

Introduction

C.1.1 An environmental sample was taken for the recovery of charred plant remains and artefacts. Sample 2 was taken from context (504), a Late Bronze Age or Early Iron Age ditch. The sediment was a yellowish brown (10YR 4/4) sand, containing approximately 10% subangular flints and ironstones.

Methodology

C.1.2 The sample, which was 18L in volume, was processed by water flotation using a modified Siraf style flotation machine. The flot was collected on a 250µm mesh and the heavy residues were sieved to 500µm and dried in a heated room, after which the residues were sorted by eye for artefacts and ecofactual remains. The dried flot was scanned for plant remains using a binocular microscope at approximately x15 magnification and identifications made with reference to published guides and the comparative seed collection held at OAS. Plant nomenclature follows Stace (2010).

Results

Finds

C.1.3 A small quantity of burnt flint was recovered from the sample.

Charred Plant Remains

C.1.4 The sample produced a flot of approximately 50ml, the majority of which consisted of modern root. The charred remains were carefully separated from the roots and the entirety of the non-root part of the flot was scanned. Charcoal was common but mostly fairly fragmented, although occasional items greater than 4mm, and hence potentially identifiable, were noted. A single glume base of wheat (*Triticum* sp.) and a small weed seed were also present.

Discussion and Recommendations

- C.1.5 The flot produced only a limited quantity and range of charred plant remains, and in this it is comparable with the flot from context (5703, sample <1>) at the adjacent School Site (see OA 2012c). That sample was also dominated by charcoal, although in greater quantity and of greater average size than seen here, demonstrating that conditions are suitable for the preservation of charred remains on this site. The agricultural remains in the sample are limited to a single item of chaff from a glume wheat, likely to be background material from agricultural activity in the vicinity of the feature. This finding is again similar to that of sample <1>, where a only a small number of wheat glume bases and a single grain each of wheat (*Triticum* sp.) and oat/brome grass (*Avena/Bromus* sp.) were recovered. Molluscan remains were absent and there was no evidence of anaerobic preservation.
- C.1.6 While the sample from this evaluation demonstrates that charred remains are preserved, they were present in low quantities in the sampled ditch fill. Since ditches may be located well away from settlements their fills are often fairly sterile.





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Appendix E. Summary of Site Details

Site name: Queen Elizabeth Barracks, Church Crookham. Hampshire

Site code: A2012.22

Grid reference: Centred on SU 813 512

Type: Evaluation

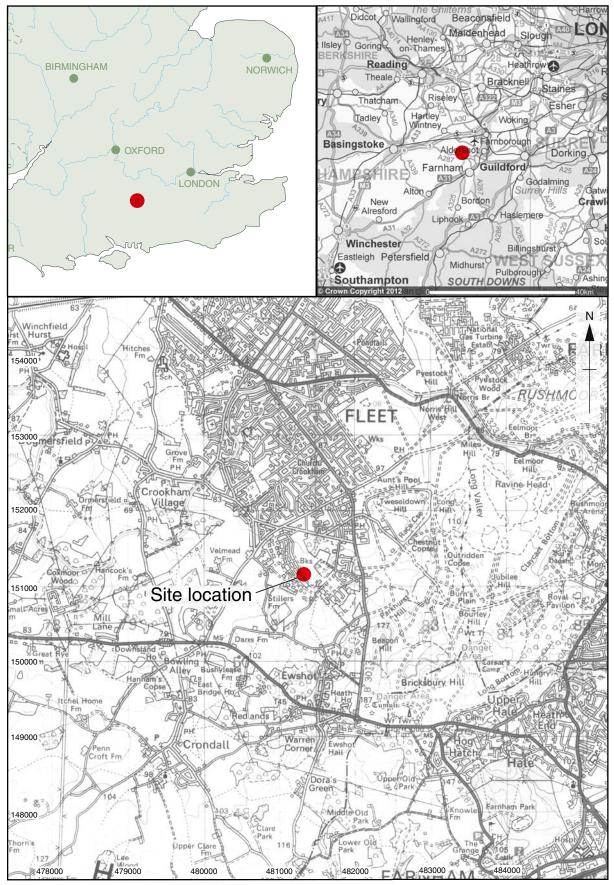
Date and duration: July and September 2012

Summary of results: In August and September 2012 Oxford Archaeology carried out a trial trench evaluation on land at the former Queen Elizabeth Barracks in Church Crookham, Hampshire. The evaluation formed part of a series of ongoing archaeological works.

Struck flints were recovered from the subsoil or the fills of later features but none from in situ deposits.

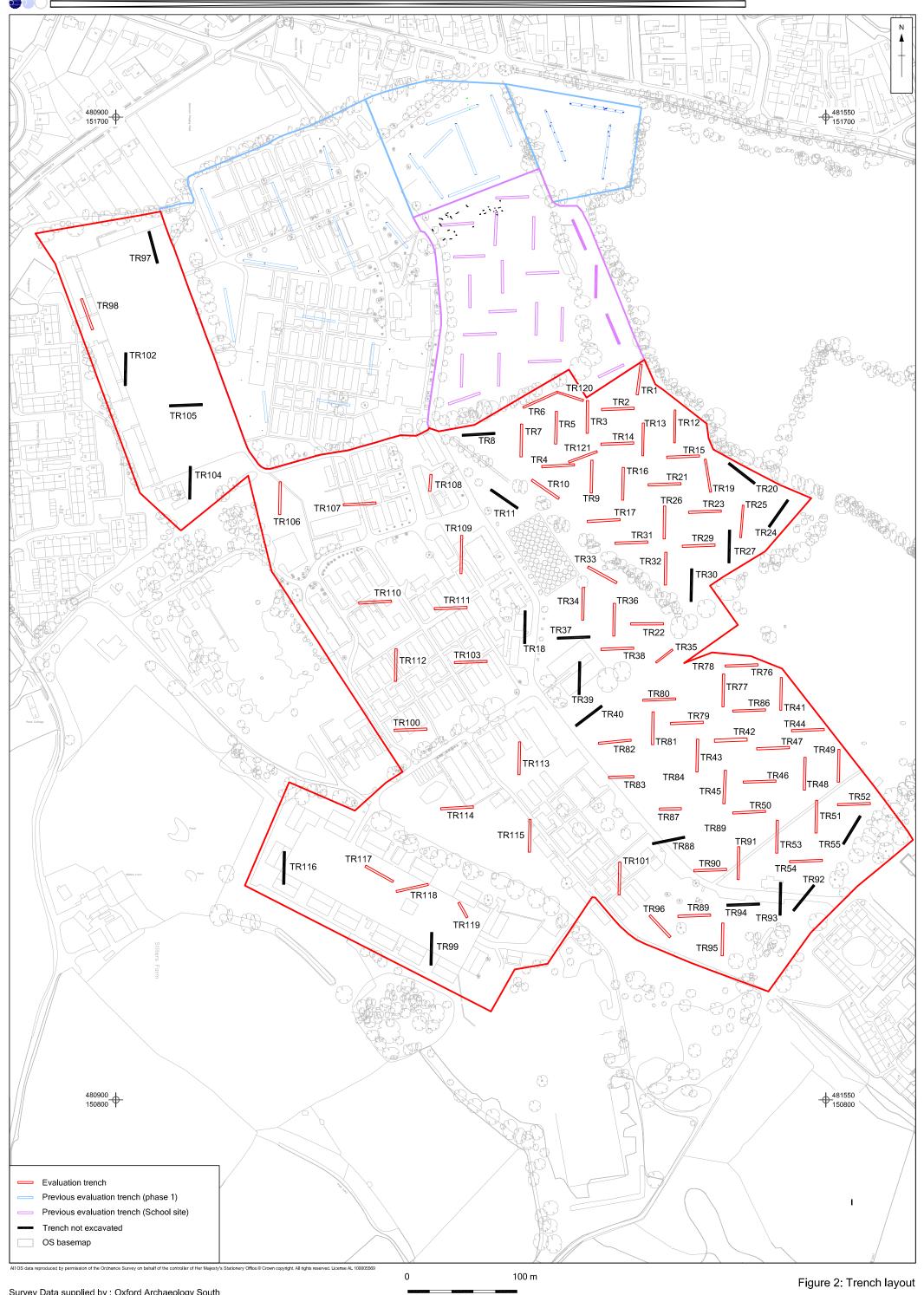
The evaluation uncovered possible enclosure ditches of Iron Age or Roman date in two trenches, but no associated features. The majority of ditches recorded were undated and highly truncated although one contained pottery with a date range of 1350-1525, and another a piece of brick of 17th -18th century date. Several postholes were uncovered in the south of the site - these are likely to be of 20th century date.

Location of archive: The archive is currently held at OA, Janus House, Osney Mead, Oxford, OX2 0ES, and will be deposited with the Hampshire County Museum in due course, under the following accession number: A2012.22.



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Figure 1: Site location



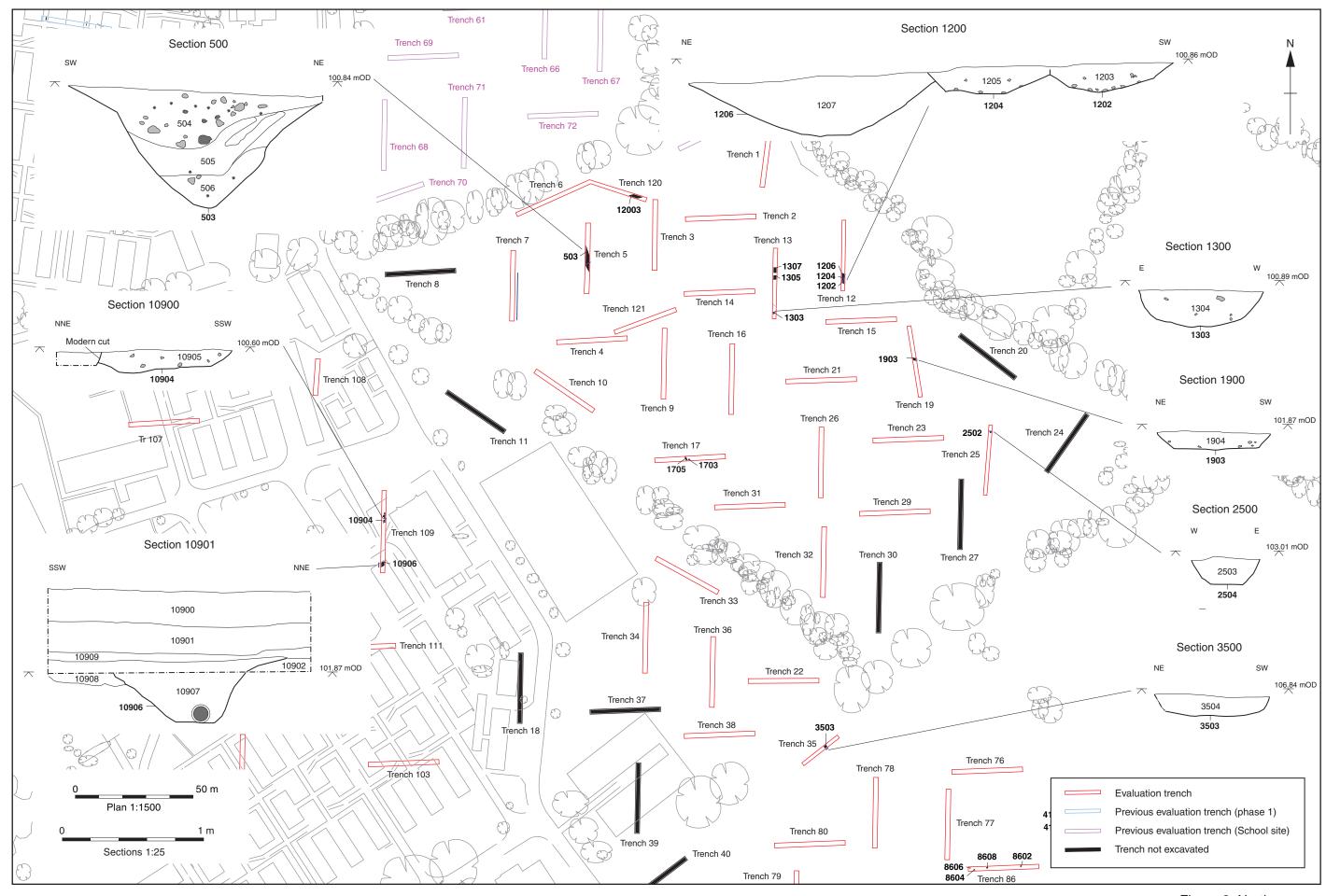


Figure 3: Northern area

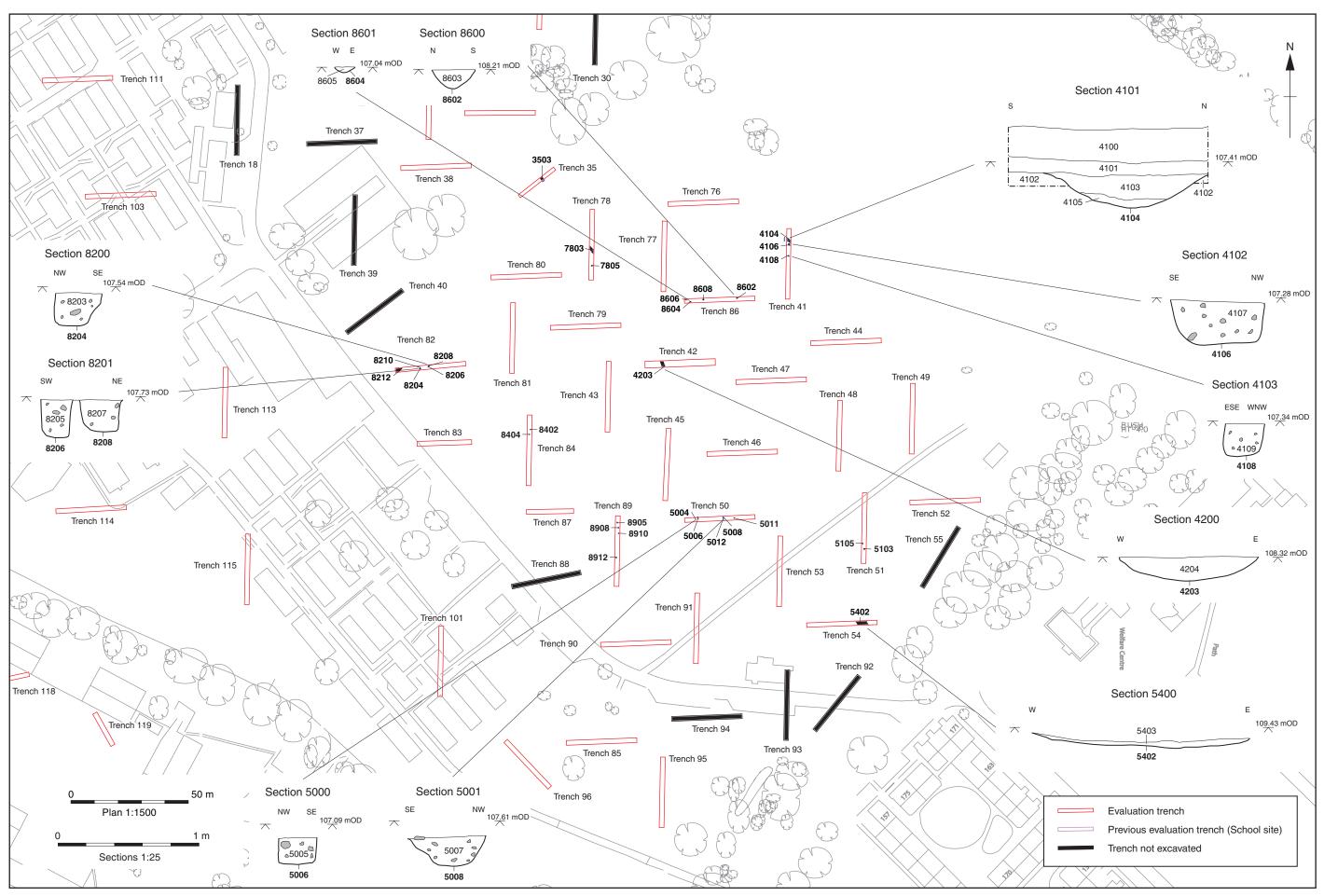


Figure 4: Southern area

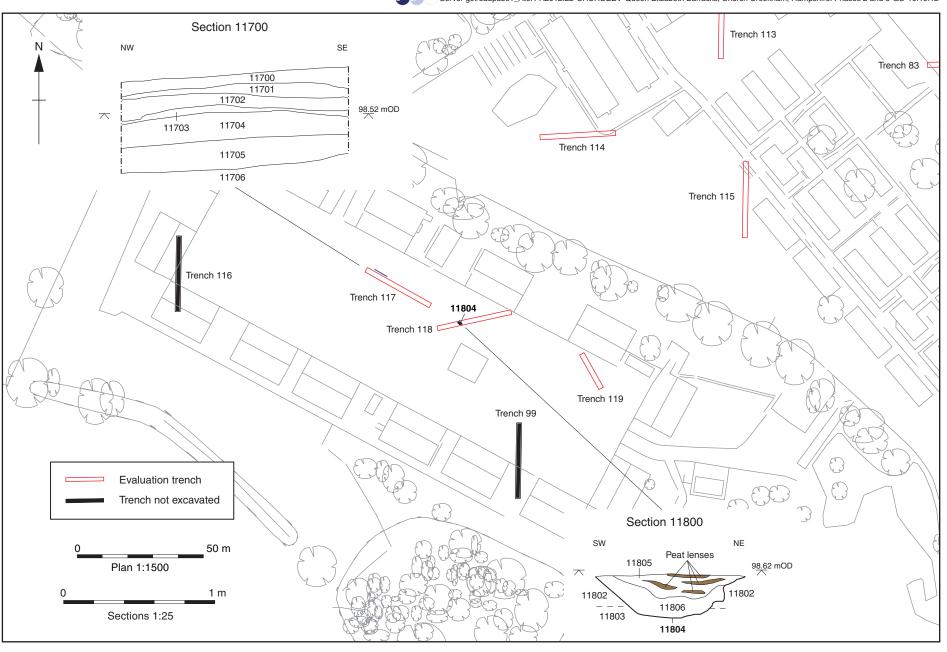


Figure 5: South-western area



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