SOMERSET

Mendip

1/544 (B.40.L002) ST 71854460 BA11 4PU

CLOFORD QUARRY, WANSTROW

The Proposed Extension to Cloford Quarry, Wanstrow, Somerset AC archaeology Chicklade : AC archaeology, 2003, 24pp, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: AC archaeology

The archaeological potential in the study area was characterised by evidence of activity from all prehistoric periods. This was largely represented by isolated prehistoric worked stone and lithic finds and dispersed medieval and post-medieval settlement and agricultural activity. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PR

1/545 (B.40.L004) ST 63002740 BA22 7DF

NORTH AND SOUTH CADBURY

The Proposed North and South Cadbury First Time Sewerage Scheme, Somerset

Cottrell, T Chicklade: AC archaeology, 2003, 57pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: AC archaeology

The proposed sewerage scheme lay within a culturally rich area, with the hillfort at Cadbury Castle, a Scheduled Ancient Monument, forming a focus of activity between the Bronze Age and Saxon periods. In addition two conservation areas at North and South Cadbury and historically important hedgerows may also be affected by the construction proposals. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: BA, UD

1/546 (B.40.M005) ST 54804530 BA5 1UP

THE GROUNDS OF BISHOP'S PALACE, WELLS

Bore Stratigraphy of the Grounds of the Bishop's Palace, Wells: Interim Report

Wilkinson, K Winchester: King Alfred's College, 2003, 5pp, figs

Work undertaken by: King Alfred's College

The results indicated that potential archaeology of interest existed to a depth of 2.8m below the croquet lawn to the front of the palace and 1.2m below ground surface to the rear. All archaeological deposits encountered appeared to have been deliberately deposited. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD

Sedgemoor

1/547 (B.40.N001) ST 30443796 TA6 4BB

BOARDS ROAD MAINTENANCE YARD, BRIDGWATER

Boards Road Maintenance Yard, Bridgwater, Somerset. Archaeological Desk Based Assessment Poole, B Hereford: Archaeological Investigations Ltd., 2003, 39pp, figs, tabs, refs *Work undertaken by:* Archaeological Investigations Ltd

A desh-based assessment was carried out in advance of a proposed development. The site was revealed to have no archaeological potential on the basis of aerial photography and engineering reports showed extensive quarrying and backfilling of the site. [Au(abr)]

1/548 (B.40.M001) ST 30153725 TA6 5AZ

EAST QUAY BUS DEPOT & FOOD STORE

East Quay Depot and Food Store, Bridgewater, Somerset

Poole, B Hereford: Archaeological Investigations Ltd., 2003, 48pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Archaeological Investigations Ltd

The results of the work identified the potential for medieval archaeological deposits and features within the study area based on documentary and cartographic evidence and surrounding finds. There was a slight possibility that archaeological deposits and features of Saxon date exist below the site. [Au(abr)]

1/549 (B.40.N002) ST 30503960 TA6 4DT

PROJECT ORANGE, EXPRESS PARK, BRIDGWATER

Project Orange, Express Park, Bridgwater, Somerset

Morton, R Cirencester: Cotswold Archaeology, 2003, 18pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Cotswold Archaeology

An assessment was carried out in advance of development. There were no recorded archaeological remains within the site, although its location in the central Somerset Levels may have provided evidence for stabilized land surfaces from the prehistoric or Roman periods, possibly associated with occupation. [Au(abr)]

South Somerset

1/550 (B.40.M003) ST 47982054 TA12 6NZ

LAND OFF MIDDLE LEAZE DROVE, ASH

Land off Middle Leaze Drove, Ash, near Martock, Somerset. Summary of an Archaeological Assessment and Proposed Programme of Further Archaeological Works

Graham, A Seavington St. Mary: Alan Graham, 2003, 10pp, figs

Work undertaken by: Alan Graham

There was no evidence of activity on the site prior to the early medieval period; specifically the 11th or 12th century. A number of boundary ditches were then established approximately parallel with the droveway. These ditches appeared to have been replaced by a ditch on a new alignment dating to the later medieval period. All these boundaries seemed to have gone by the 15th century, when a large pond occupied the north-west part of the site. This feature appeared to have been infilled by the 17th or 18th century, and with the exception of the boundary ditch along the eastern side of the site, no later features were found and the site was clearly old pasture and orchard probably dating back into the 19th century or earlier. [Au(adp)]

SMR primary record number: 16570

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM

1/551 (B.40.M002) ST 60002187 BA22 8AS

NETHERTON EARTHWORK SITE, MARSTON MAGNA

Netherton Earthwork Site, Marston Magna, Somerset

Newman, P Exeter: English Heritage, 2003, 5pp, figs

Work undertaken by: English Heritage

Despite the large body of documentary evidence which suggested this was the site of a deserted settlement, the earthwork evidence provided no basis to confirm this. There were no clear house platforms or hollows of the type which survive nearby. The shallow linear channel was explained as a land drainage ditch. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: UD

West Somerset

1/552 (B.40.M004) ST 03503050 TA4 2EJ

CLATWORTHY

Preliminary Report on Phase 1 of a Field survey at Clatworthy Reservoir, Undertaken During the Low Water Period of Summer and Autmn 2003

Bray, L Exeter: English Heritage, 2003, 17pp, colour pls, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: English Heritage

Primary deposits of iron slag and other waste from the bloomery smelting process outcrop was on the surface at eight locations along appoximately 500m. of the southern edge of the reservoir. Ceramic evidence suggested a major phase of smelting during the Roman period, especially at the eastern end of the site although the lack of pottery retrieved from other parts of the site suggested that not all the waste deposits were contemporary. [Au(abr)]

SMR primary record number: 16869

Archaeological periods represented: PM, RO

Yeovil

1/553 (B.40.L005) ST 35001500 TA19 9AX

A303 ILMINSTER BYPASS

A303 Ilminster Bypass Dualling: Histroic Environment Background Report

Cox, P Chicklade: AC archaeology, 2003, 99pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: AC archaeology

A total of 83 sites were recorded along the route, in these sites individual finds or groups of finds, crop mark evidence and excavated evidence were noted. A total of eleven sites are located within 100m of the existing bypass and within the scheme boundaries. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: UD

1/554 (B.40.L003) ST 33701530 TA19 9PY

A358 ILMINSTER TO M5 TAUNTON

A358 Ilminster to M5 Taunton. Historic Environment Baseline Report

Cox, P Chicklade: AC archaeology, 2003, 98pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: AC archaeology

Of the 73 sites identified, a total of ten were located either on the line of the proposed road route or within an area of 100m. None were Scheduled Ancient Monuments. The most significant sites were two medieval settlements, low level prehistoric and Romano-British activity and post-medieval sites. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM, RO

1/555 (B.40.L001) ST 44801070 TA18 7BU

LONGSTRINGS SITE, CREWKERNE

A Proposed Comprehensive Mixed Use Development at the Longstrings Site, Crewkerne, Somerset Adam, N & Chandler, J Chicklade: AC archaeology, 2003, 42pp, figs, tabs, refs Work undertaken by: AC archaeology

The recorded archaeological potential of the area was largely characterised by medieval and post-medieval agricultural or industrial activities. Thirteen historic buildings have also been identified within the study area. These comprised ten private residences which included Haymore Farm and two industrial complexes. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM