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2/857 (C.45.M016)

TQ 06870445  
BN16 4JP**24 WATER LANE, ANGMERING***An Archaeological Evaluation at No. 24 Water Lane, Angmering, West Sussex*

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 24pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Three trenches were mechanically excavated, revealing limited prehistoric, Roman and post-medieval remains. The prehistoric material comprised residual fire-cracked and worked flint and one potsherd of late Bronze Age date with no associated features. A possible Roman post hole and two associated gullies perhaps represented an access way through a small enclosure associated with the agricultural usage of the site. Two alignments of post holes at the southern end of the site perhaps represent 19th century fence lines defining possible allotment gardens. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, PR, RO

2/858 (C.45.M006)

SU 95950446  
PO22 0ES**BARNHAM TRADING POST, 2 BARNHAM ROAD, BARNHAM***An Archaeological Evaluation at Barnham Trading Post, 2 Barnham Road, West Sussex*

James, R Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 18pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

No archaeological deposits or artefacts were observed. [Au(abr)]

2/859 (C.45.M015)

SU 99600270  
BN18 0BY**FORD AIRFIELD, FORD***An Archaeological Evaluation on Land at the Former Ford Airfield, Ford, West Sussex*

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 43pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Eighteen trenches were mechanically excavated, revealing remains dating from the Bronze Age to the post-medieval period or later. Three Late Bronze Age possible inurned cremations were identified. Several prehistoric ditches were revealed, perhaps representing further elements of a Late Iron Age field system. An undated rectangular enclosure was tentatively identified. An undated arrangement of at least nine post holes probably representing the site of a structure, perhaps a building or fenced enclosure. A pair of parallel ditches perhaps delineated a possible Romano-British driveway, while a single post-medieval or later ditch probably represent a former boundary. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* BA, IA, PM, RO, UD

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**Chichester**

2/860 (C.45.M014)

SU 85400480  
PO19 3EZ**6 ST. BARTHOLOWMEW'S CLOSE, CHICHESTER***An Archaeological Evaluation of Land at No. 6 St. Bartholomew's Close, Chichester, West Sussex*

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 17pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Five trenches were mechanically excavated, revealing remains dating from the late Bronze Age-early Iron Age and medieval periods through to the 19th century. Two parallel ditches of late Bronze Age to early Iron Age date appeared to follow the edge of a relict watercourse, while four possible contemporary spreads of flint were also located. These may represent a degraded 'burnt mound'. A medieval ditch along with a single rubbish pit also of medieval origin that may have been re-used as a cess pit. Various post-medieval/modern remains probably related to the 19th century diversion of the River Lavant to a contemporary piggery were also found. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* BA, IA, MD, PM

2/861 (C.45.M010)

SU 86490474  
PO19 1JW**LAND TO THE REAR OF NOS. 10 AND 11 EASTGATE SQUARE, CHICHESTER***An Archaeological Evaluation of Land to the Rear of Nos. 10 and 11 Eastgate Square, Chichester, West Sussex*

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 31pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

One trench was mechanically excavated, revealing a substantial deposit of post-medieval/modern made ground overlying an extensive Roman dump deposit. The layer of Roman apparently domestic rubbish overlay two Roman probable cess pits that appeared to have been subsequently used as domestic rubbish pits of the same period. Two further Roman features were identified, perhaps representing truncated pits; one of the features was cut by a deep, probably post-medieval, pit. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, RO

2/862 (C.45.M003)

SY 92450012  
GU27 3PH**'SHANTY TOWN; AT FERNHURST FURNACE, FERNHURST***A Possible 'Shanty Town' at Fernhurst Furnace, Fernhurst, West Sussex*

West Sussex Archaeology Limited Petersfield : West Sussex Archaeology Ltd., 2003, 36pp, colour pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* West Sussex Archaeology Limited

The project was undertaken in order to locate a possible 'Shanty Town' close to Fernhurst Furnace, near Fernhurst, West Sussex. Unfortunately none of the trenches contained any remains or artefacts which could be associated with such a settlement. However some pottery sherds were found closer to the furnace, in an area as yet not investigated. Information was obtained relating to the historic landscape around the furnace and a cross-section of a road provided some interesting evidence associated with traffic to and from the furnace. [Au]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

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2/863 (C.45.M002)

SU 88600580  
PO18 OPE**WESTHAMPNETT GROUNDWATER TREATMENT WORKS***Westhampnett Groundwater Treatment Works (GTW), Chichester, West Sussex*

Wessex Archaeology Salisbury : Wessex Archaeology, 2003, 15pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Wessex Archaeology

No archaeological features or deposits were recorded. [Au(abr)]

**Crawley**

2/864 (C.45.M005)

TQ 26503650  
RH11 7AS**HAMMERSON-IFIELD SITE, IFIELD , CRAWLEY***An Archaeological Evaluation at the Hammerson-Ifield Site, Ifield Road, Crawley, West Sussex*

Stevens, S Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 7pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Three trial trenches were mechanically excavated. The area was found to have been heavily truncated by brick and concrete footings and deeply buried services. There was also evidence of chemical contamination. No archaeological features were observed, but three small, abraded sherds of medieval pottery were recovered from the overburden of one of the trenches. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD

2/865 (C.45.M001)

TQ 29303520  
RH10 7JG**LAND AT MAIDENBOWER CRAWLEY***Land at Maidenbower Crawley, West Sussex*

Wessex Archaeology Salisbury : Wessex Archaeology, 2003, 25pp, colour pls, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Wessex Archaeology

Archaeological features that were encountered during the evaluation comprised one medieval or post-medieval burnt patch marking an oven or clamp, one modern ditch, one probable medieval ditch, three grubbed-out hedge lines and an undated post hole. Pieces of medieval pot, a Mesolithic flint core, a prehistoric hammerstone and occasional pieces of iron-smelting slag were found within the ploughsoil. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, ME, MO, PR, UD

2/866 (C.45.P004)

TQ 26803470  
RH10 5PH**THOMAS BENNET SCHOOL, TILGATE, CRAWLEY***An Archaeological Evaluation (Stage 1) at Thomas Bennet School, Tilgate, Crawley, West Sussex*

Stevens, S Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 14pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Five evaluation trenches were mechanically excavated at the site to a cumulative length of 200m. and within the building footprint of a proposed new Lesiure Centre. Two features were encountered. The first comprised of a recently backfilled field boundary ditch/open drain and the second was a shallow pit, which contained a concentration of post-medieval blast furnace slag. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MO, PM

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**Horsham**

2/867 (C.45.P001)

TQ 08942599  
RH14 9JY**35 EAST STREET, BILLINGSHURST***An Archaeological Evaluation at 35 East Street, Billingshurst*

Griffin, F &amp; James, R Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 29pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Four evaluation trenches were mechanically excavated at the site, two of which measured 20m. in length, one of 17m. and the fourth 24m. in length. These were excavated in order to ascertain the presence/absence of buried remains and domestic debris associated with the medieval or early post-medieval settlement of Billingshurst. No such evidence was noted at the site with the exception of two sherds of medieval pottery, which were residual within a layer of former ploughsoil. The site had been disturbed by modern services and pits, which may have destroyed any earlier remains. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

2/868 (C.45.M004)

TQ 14302690  
RH13 0PG**THE MOAT HOUSE, TWO MILE ASH***A Report on Excavations at the Moat House, Two Mile Ash, Southwater, West Sussex*

West Sussex Archaeology Limited Petersfield : West Sussex Archaeology Ltd., 2003, 2pp, colour pls, figs

*Work undertaken by:* West Sussex Archaeology Limited

The results from the archaeological works revealed no significant archaeological deposits. It was decided, therefore, that the development could proceed without further archaeological works. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MO, RO

2/869 (C.45.M017)

TQ 15551236  
BN44 3DB**WISTON HOUSE, STEYNING***An Archaeological Evaluation at Wiston House, Steyning, West Sussex*

Worrall, S Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 22pp, pls, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

One trial trench was excavated within the footprint of a proposed new office building and toilet block. Two brick walls were revealed, thought to be the remains of the 18th century Dairy House which was demolished in 1990. Four intercutting pits were also revealed, three of which were post-medieval in date, though the earliest in this sequence was probably mid Anglo-Saxon in origin. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* EM, PM

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**Mid Sussex**

2/870 (C.45.M011)

TQ 32342390  
RH16 4BB**BEECH HURST GARDENS, BUTLERS GREEN ROAD, HAYWARDS HEATH***An Archaeological Evaluation at Beech Hurst Gardens, Butlers Green road, Haywards Heath, West Sussex*Griffin, N      Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 19pp, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:*

Three continuous trenches were excavated at the site prior to its redevelopment in order to ascertain the presence/absence of the London to Portslade Roman road. Evidence of a possible former field boundary ditch of later 18th-19th century date and a possible pond provide evidence of the earlier agricultural land use at the site. A robbed out wall foundation and map evidence indicates that the current building at Beech Hurst Gardens has undergone several changes. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

2/871 (C.45.M018)

TQ 29661564  
BN6 9NN**THE HAM, HURST ROAD, HASSOCKS***An Archaeological Evaluation on Land at the Ham, Hurst, Hassocks, West Sussex*Worrall, S      Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 13pp, figs, tabs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:*

An archaeological evaluation comprising five trial trenches was carried out prior to a barn and farmyard conversion. No archaeological remains were observed during this evaluation. However, a single stratified sherd of Roman pottery was recovered. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* RO

2/872 (C.45.M009)

TQ 34303170  
RH17 6TN**WAKEHURST PLACE, ARDINGLY***An Archaeological Evaluation at Wakehurst Place, Nr. Ardingly, West Sussex*Worrall, S      Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 12pp, figs, refs  
*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

An archaeological evaluation was carried out at the site of a proposed new visitor centre at Wakehurst Place. Initial trial trenching revealed two cut features: a modern ditch containing brick and plastic, and an undated shallow linear feature. Landscaping and the excavation of service trenches on the site over the last 200 years, as well as tree felling, root bowl removal and the movement from construction traffic has caused extensive disturbance. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MO, UD

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**Worthing**

2/873 (C.45.M008)

TQ 14940310  
BN11 1DF**2A ASHDOWN ROAD, WORTHING***An Archaeological Evaluation at 2A Ashdown Road, Worthing, West Sussex*

James, R Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 14pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Three 10m long trenches were mechanically excavated on a plot of land. Archaeological features comprising pits and ditches of medieval and early post-medieval date were encountered in all three trenches, with pottery indicating several phases of activity from the 11th century onwards. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM

2/874 (C.45.P002)

TQ 14390553  
BN14 9NL**'BRIDLEWAY', FIFTH AVENUE, WORTHING***An Archaeological Evaluation at 'Bridleway', Fifth Avenue, Worthing*

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 11pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Archaeology South-East were commissioned by Mr.Greenfield on behalf of Mr K and Mrs F Lade to carry out an archaeological evaluation. Two trenches were mechanically excavated. With the exception of two modern tree-planting holes, no archaeological features were revealed. The evaluation yielded only two finds. These comprised an undated pierced lead disc or possible sinker used for fishing and a small fragment of post-Roman roofing tile.[Au]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

2/875 (C.45.M012)

TQ 11600430  
BN13 2SP**HILDON CLOSE, DURRINGTON, WORTHING***An Archaeological Evaluation at Hildon Close, Durrington, Worthing, West Sussex*

James, R Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 38pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Seven trenches were mechanically excavated. The western-most trench produced evidence of early Roman activity. Two intercutting ditches and a pit were identified, together with a ditch terminal. One further trench contained a ditch, probably post-medieval date. No other features of archaeological significance were observed, no evidence was found to suggest the Bronze Age settlement located at the Centenary House site to the east extends into the current site. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, RO

2/876 (C.45.M007)

TQ 12100560  
BN13 2PE**LAND AT WHITE HOUSE AND WELLINGTON HOUSE, DURRINGTON HILL***An Archaeological Evaluation of Land at the White House and Wellington House, Durrington Hill, West Sussex*

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 17pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

A single post-medieval ditch was revealed. With the exception of a small quantity of residual prehistoric material no other archaeological remains were recorded. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, PR

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2/877 (C.45.P005)

TQ 13200398  
BN13 1HF**LAND SOUTH OF 1-4 MARKET HOUSE, SOUTH STREET, WEST TARRING*****An Archaeological Evaluation on Land south of 1-4 Market House, South Street, West Tarring***

Worrall, S Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2004, 39pp, pls,figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Four trial trenches totalling 53m in length were excavated. Trench one revealed a succession of intercutting pits of 18th-19th century date. The two rubbish pits found in trench two were of 18th and 13-14th century origin respectively. The western portion of trench three revealed three pits of late 17-19th date. Two further pits within this trench yielded 11th/12th century and 15th century pottery, a post hole produced 15-16th century pottery and a pit produced residual Late Bronze Age worked flints. In trench four, a red brick floor surface from 18th century cottages demolished in 1960 was recorded. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* LBA, MD, PM

2/878 (C.45.P003)

TQ 14570549  
BN14 9NY**REAR OF NO.7 FOURTH AVENUE, WORTHING*****An Archaeological Evaluation at Rear of No.7 Fourth Avenue, Worthing***

Priestley-Bell, G Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 10pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

One 10m trench was mechanically excavated. No archaeological features were revealed and no significant artefacts or ecofacts were recovered. [Au(adp)]