South East MILTON KEYNES

Milton Keynes

2/764 (C.66.M003)

106 HIGH STREET

Archaeological Evaluation at 106 High Street, Olney, Milton Keynes Ivens, R Pottersbury : R. J. Ivans, 2003, 25pp, figs, tabs, refs Work undertaken by: R. J. Ivans

Substantial remains of post-medieval building were revealed. A large stone-built robbed drain was discovered, probably of post-medieval date, but possibly earlier. A scatter of medieval pottery indicates medieval use of the area but the only probable medieval feature was a cess pit. A single sherd of Roman pottery in a stratigraphically early gully suggested some utilisation of the area in the later 2nd century. [Au(abr)]

SMR primary record number:855

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM, RO

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8 ST. JOHN'S STREET

Report on an Archaeological Evaluation at 8 St. John's Street and 1 Silver Street, Newport Pagnell, Milton Keynes

Lisboa, I Milton Keynes : Archaeologica, 2003, 41pp, figs, tabs, refs *Work undertaken by:* Archaeologica

Three trenches were mechanically opened. A number of medieval and post-medieval pits were identified, with three cesspits, two of medieval date and one undated, two refuse pits. Two, possibly three phases, of medieval pits were identified. In addition three 17th century stone lined drains were recorded in plan and section. An 18th century barn outbuilding wall was also identified. Finds were recovered from the bonding wall (a copper alloy pin and glass fragments) and medieval pottery was recovered from the layers sealing the cess pits. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number*:732

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM

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KINGSMEAD SOUTH, MILTON KEYNES Kingsmead South, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire

Taylor, AReading : Thames Valley Archaeological Services, 2003, 33pp, colour pls, figs, tabs,refs

Work undertaken by: Thames Valley Archaeological Services

An evaluation was undertaken in advance of a housing project. Several pits, gullies and ditches if Iron Age date were encountered and probably represented two occupation sites. A late 1st century Roman ditch terminus and another area of undated features were also located. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: IA, MD, PM, RO, UD

Field Evaluations

SP 88975179 MK46 5QG

SP 87634389 MK16 0EW

SP 82303380 MK5 6AJ 2/767 (C.66.N003)

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SP 82523442

LAND AT CRANBORNE AVENUE, WESTCROFT, MILTON KEYNES

Archaeological Evaluation at Land at Cranborne Avenue, Westcroft, Milton Keynes Wilcox, S & Fell, D Milton Keynes : Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd., 2003, 23pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd

18 trenches were excavated across the site of proposed housing development in the immediate vicinity of a previously excavated Iron Age enclosure. No archaeological finds or features were encountered, however, this in itself was thought to be significant as it may have indicated sporadic occupation. Heavy ploughing of the area showed the survival of the enclosure to be a rare find. [Au(abr)] SMR primary record number:776

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SITE 12, WESTCROFT

Archaeological Evaluation: Site 12, Westcroft, Milton Keynes

Milton Keynes : Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd., 2003, 19pp, colour Wilcox, S pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd

Six trenches were excavated across the site in order to locate the site of a building and adjoining paddock that were marked on an estate map of 1801. Although no building foundations were found, a spread of building rubble and a few pottery sherds were recorded over an area of c.12 x 29m. [Au(abr)] SMR primary record number:777

Archaeological periods represented: PM

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SP 92285152 MK43 8AS

THE RICK YARD, MANOR FARM, HIGH STREET, NEWTON BLOSSOMVILLE Archaeological Evaluation: the Rick Yard, Manor Farm, High Street, Newton Blossomville, Milton Keynes

Wilson, N Milton Keynes : Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd., 2003, 15pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd

No evidence for earlier occupation was revealed in any of the trenches and it seems likely that the plot has always been open land or used for barns and other insubstantial farm buildings. [Au(abr)] SMR primary record number:742

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SP 92285152 **MK43 8AS**

THE RICK YARD, MANOR FARM, NEWTON BLOSSOMVILLE

Manor Farm, Newton Blossomville, Milton Keynes

Wilson, N Milton Keynes : Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd., 2003, 15pp, colour pls, figs

Work undertaken by: Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd

An evaluation was carried out in advance of a new small development of the site. No archaeological features were encountered, and it seemed that the site had always been used for agricultural purposes. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

SP 82613418 MK4 3DG

MK4 4GD

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WALTON MANOR

SP 87803300 MK2 3EH

Walton Manor, Milton Keynes, Buckinghamshire. Archaeological Field Evaluation Thorpe, R, Phillips, M & Wells, J Bedford : Albion Archaeology, 2003, 27pp, figs

Work undertaken by: Albion Archaeology

The trenches contained a relatively high density of features, mainly boundary or drainage ditches, a post hole and layers that contained medieval occupation debris. It is suggested that some boundaries, oriented north-east to south-west, may predate the establishment of Croft four. A large amount of pottery was recovered from the features dating the period of activity on the site to between the 12th and 14th or 15th centuries. Small amounts of residual, late Iron Age, Roman and Saxo-Norman pottery was found. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD