

West Midlands

BIRMINGHAM AREA**Birmingham**

3/1465 (E.06.O008)

SP 12249630
B75 7AH**15/17 COLESHILL STREET, SUTTON COLDFIELD*****Post Excavation Assessment Report For Archaeological Excavations at 15/17 Coleshill Street, Sutton Coldfield***Towle, A & Martin, A Chester : Gifford & Partners, 2004, 63pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Gifford and Partners

An excavation was carried out on the development site. Some 13th/14th century finds were recovered from the site and a brick built 19th century barn was identified. The barn remained in use until the 20th century. An associated surface was identified adjacent to it. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, MO, PM

3/1466 (E.06.O007)

SP 11909650
B73 6AB**33 COLESHILL STREET, SUTTON COLFIELD*****Report on an Archaeological Investigation and Recording at 33 Coleshill Street, Sutton Coldfield***Garner, D Chester : Gifford & Partners, 2003, 38pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Gifford and Partners

Archaeological investigation and recording was carried out on the site. The remains of a medieval oven were identified, possibly used for baking, brewing or the drying of corn. The collapsed remains of a clay superstructure, originally supported on a wattle work frame were also identified. Charred grain was recovered from the oven base. Ceramic and stone fragments were recovered, associated with a 17th century building on the site. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM

3/1467 (E.06.O004)

SP 0627876
B14 5YR**BELLS FARM NEIGHBOURHOOD NURSERY*****Bells Farm Neighbourhood Nursery, Brockworth Road, Druids Heath, Birmingham***Duncan, M Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 14pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

A full excavation was carried out on the site of a possible medieval moat and next to a Listed Building. No archaeology was identified. [Au(abr)]

3/1468 (E.06.O005)

SP 07308640
B5 4SL**DEAN HOUSE, UPPER DEAN STREET*****Dean House, Upper Dean Street, Birmingham***Martin, H Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 17pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological excavation was carried out on the site. A square pit and post holes of late post-medieval date were identified and with two former water courses. A 19th century brick culvert was identified. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

3/1469 (E.06.O001)

SP 02908070
B31 2FJ**GRIFFIN CLOSE, NORTHFIELD*****Archaeological Watching Brief at Griffin Close, Northfield***

Goad, J Worcester : Worcestershire County Council Historic Environment & Archaeology Service, 2003, 18pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Worcestershire County Council Historic Environment

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on the site. No archaeology was observed. [Au(abr)]
*SMR primary record number:*20715

3/1470 (E.06.O011)

SP 05227761
B38 9HA**LONGDALES ROAD, KINGS NORTON*****Longdales Road, Kings Norton, Birmingham***

Williams, J Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 24pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological excavation was carried out on the site on land identified by earlier excavations and evaluations as containing Roman enclosures and settlements. A Romano-British settlement of 2nd-4th century date was identified, represented by three phases of activity. Phase 1 consisted of a single enclosure ditch and field boundary, with smaller ditches and gullies dug outside the enclosed area. Phase 2 consisted of two enclosure ditches and an associated ditch gully and pit. A number of structural remains were identified from this period, consisting of beam-slots, cobbled surfaces, a ring gully and four post pads. One the cobbled surfaces was covered in charred glume and spelt. Phase 3 consisted of two ditches and a large pit. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: RO

3/1471 (E.06.O009)

SP 13009930
B75 5UH**MARLPIT LANE*****Marlpit Lane, Sutton Coldfield***

Hancox, A Cirencester : Cotswold Archaeology, 2004, 18pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Cotswold Archaeology

An excavation was carried out on the site. Structural remains of the pre-19th century Marpit Hall were identified, comprising of cellars and walls. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

3/1472 (E.06.O010)

SP 03708380
B17 0JP**METCHLEY ROMAN FORTS*****Metchley Roman Forts***

Jones, A Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 35pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An excavation was carried out within the Roman fort prior to development. The earliest Phase 1 features identified comprised of ovens and hearths. Later, two timber-framed buildings were laid out either side of the Via Praetoria. Structure 1 may have been used as a workshop. The Via Praetoria with associated flanking ditches continued in use until Phase 3 when it was resurfaced. In Phase 2B a building with clay floor was built and a timber framed building which was destroyed in Phase 3 and replaced with a granary with associated loading platforms. A yard surface belonging to a post-medieval hunting lodge and post-medieval ditches that cut the Roman ditches tangentially were also identified. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM, RO

3/1473 (E.06.O013)

SP 04858775
B18 7HZ**THE CITY HOSPITAL GROUNDS*****The City Hospital Grounds, Winston Green, Birmingham***

Ramsey, E Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 25pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on the former site of a workhouse. Several walls were identified, which were determined as representing the foundations of the Old Nurse's House, the Master's House, the school block and chapel. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

3/1474 (E.06.O003)

SP 04907900
B38 8RT**THE GREEN, KINGS NORTON, BIRMINGHAM*****The Green, Kings Norton, Birmingham***

Bracken, R Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 15pp, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on pits excavated for lampposts on the medieval green. Finds dating from the 16th/17th century onwards were recovered and a 17th-18th century cobbled surface was identified. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

3/1475 (E.06.O016)

SP 06638685
B3 3DQ**TOWN HALL, CHAMBERLAIN SQUARE*****Town Hall, Chamberlain Square, Birmingham***

Hewitson, C Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 7pp, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on refurbishment work on the Town Hall. Only limited evidence of the construction of the Town Hall was identified. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

3/1476 (E.06.O006)

SP 07308640
B5 4SL**UPPER DEAN STREET***Upper Dean Street*Hancox, E Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 6pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on the site. No archaeology was observed. [Au(abr)]

Coventry

3/1477 (E.06.O019)

SP 33287960
CV1 4LY**COVENTRY CANAL BASIN***Coventry Canal Basin, St. Nicholas Street, Coventry*Wilkins, B & Britchfield, D Hertford : Archaeological Solutions, 2003, 10pp, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Archaeological SolutionsAn archaeological watching brief was carried out on the site. No significant archaeology was observed.
[Au(abr)]

3/1478 (E.06.O020)

SP 33507850
CV1 2JX**COVENTRY WATER MAIN REHABILITATION***Coventry Water Main Rehabilitation 2002-3*Macey, E Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 47pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham ArchaeologyA watching brief was carried out on excavations for the rehabilitation of the water main. Much of the groundworks were undertaken on the original waterpipe route, so little archaeology was encountered. Three wall sections, incorporating medieval and post-medieval stonework were observed. A single fragment of medieval pottery and a quantity of post-medieval pottery, tile and shell were recovered.
[Au(abr)]*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM, UD

3/1479 (E.06.O015)

SP 33687904
CV1 5FJ**PRIORY STREET SQUARE***Priory Square, Coventry*Hewitson, C Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 34pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs
Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

Archaeological observation and recording was carried out on the site. Only one area contained any visible archaeology, the intact remains of an 18th century graveyard and structures associated with the former route of New street. Three vaults and the graveyard wall were identified and three brick and sandstone structures were identified. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MO, PM

3/1480 (E.06.O014)

SP 35007900
CV2 4BE**WALSGRAVE ROAD, COVENTRY*****Walsgrave Road, Coventry***

Hancox, E Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 9pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on the site. No archaeology was observed, due to the truncation of the site. [Au(abr)]

Dudley

3/1481 (E.06.O017)

SO 97678283
B62 8RA**MANOR FARM, HALESOWEN ABBEY*****An Archaeological Watching Brief at Manor Farm, Halesowen Abbey, Halesowen, West Midlands***

Cherrington, R & Hislop, M Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 22pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

A watching brief was carried out on the site. Two 19th century garden walls were identified and a ditch that predated the house, which may have been the part of the inner boundary of the abbey precinct. 12 pieces of redeposited architectural stonework was also recovered. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM**Wolverhampton**

3/1482 (E.06.O002)

SO 92509800
WV1 2EP**CHILLINGTON WHARF*****Chillington Wharf, Historical Research and Watching Brief***

Norman, A Ironbridge : Ironbridge Archaeology, 2003, 24pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Ironbridge Archaeology

An archaeological watching brief was carried out on excavations for a cable trench. The surface of the boat yard identified on the 1897 plan was recorded. The survival of the surface suggested that further features relating the canal basin may survive on the site. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

3/1483 (E.06.O018)

SO 91409880
WV1 1TY**ST. PETER'S GARDENS, WOLVERHAMPTON*****St. Peter's Gardens, Wolverhampton. Phase 2 Landscaping***

Adams, J, Bracken, R, Coates, G & Duncan, M Birmingham : Birmingham Archaeology, 2003, 31pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Birmingham Archaeology

A watching brief was carried out on the site, within the bounds of the former St. Peter's graveyard. There were 18 brick built vaults identified, all of which had been disturbed. Coffin material was recovered but the human remains had been removed. Headstones associated with the vaults were also recovered. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM