

## High Peak

(H.17.4710/2008)

SK15568330

Parish: Castleton

Postal Code: S33 8WW

### **CASTLETON**

***Surveying the Community: Geophysical and Topographic Survey by The Castleton Historical Society and Community in Collaboration with the Department of Archaeology, University of Sheffield at Castleton, Derbyshire 2007-2008***

Merrony, C Sheffield : University of Sheffield, 2008, 36pp, colour pls, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* University of Sheffield, Castleton Historical Society

The project focused on the field reputed to contain the site of Castleton Medieval hospital founded in the 12th century. The area of interest was covered by two resistivity surveys, a magnetometer survey and an earthwork survey. The results confirmed the presence of a series of modern pipes and drains across the field and revealed several areas of possible archaeological interest, particularly outside the current Scheduled Area. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MO, UD

OASIS ID: no

(H.17.4712/2008)

SK32482945

Parish: Twyford and Stenson

Postal Code: DE737GB

### **LAND NEAR STENSON**

***Geophysical Survey on Land near Stenson, Derbyshire***

Morriss, A & Lewis, B Nottingham : Trent & Peak Archaeological Unit, 2008, 4pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Trent & Peak Archaeological Unit

An area was surveyed in advance of the proposed construction of an egg production unit and associated access works. The most obvious anomalies in the magnetic data were the isolated positive/negative [dipolar] responses which were common across the site. These responses were caused by ferrous material on the ground surface and in the topsoil, not normally archaeologically significant. However, it could be seen that a weak arc of these responses may have corresponded with the projected line of former field boundary through the study area. Elsewhere, within the area surveyed there was no evidence for buried archaeological features. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: no

## Leicestershire

### Blaby

(H.31.4714/2008)

SP56909650

Parish: Blaby

Postal Code: LE8 4HN

### **WINCHESTER ROAD, BLABY**

***Geophysical Survey Report. Winchester Road, Blaby***

Haddrell, S Upton-upon-Severn : Stratascan, Report: J2473 2008, 17pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Stratascan

The survey identified possible former field boundaries, pits and other features of possible archaeological interest. Magnetic debris was present across the site. [Au(adp)]

OASIS ID: stratasc1-52510

(H.31.4715/2008)

SP57309600

Parish: Countesthorpe

Postal Code: LE8 3XJ

**COUNTESTHORPE**

***Geophysical Survey Report. Countesthorpe, Leicestershire***

Smalley, R Upton-upon-Severn : Stratascan, Report: J2466 2008, 15pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Stratascan

The survey recorded positive linear anomalies indicating past agricultural activity, as well as a number of possible pit-type anomalies. [Au(adp)]

OASIS ID: stratasc1-52681

(H.31.4718/2008)

SK51102160

Parish: Hathern

Postal Code: LE110SF

**DISHLEY GRANGE, LOUGHBOROUGH**

***Dishley Grange, Loughborough. Geophysical Survey Report***

Roseveare, M & Roseveare, A C K Hereford : ArchaeoPhysica Ltd., 2008, 20pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* ArchaeoPhysica

Survey was conducted over cropmarks. Some areas corresponded with areas of magnetic debris, while within the cropmarks themselves, elements of a large area of ditches including smaller pits and hearths were revealed. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: no

(H.31.4728/2008)

SP47709800

Parish: Earl Shilton

Postal Code: LE9 7BS

**THURLASTON LANE, EARL SHILTON**

***Geophysical Survey Report. Thurlaston Lane, Earl Shilton***

Cook, J Upton-upon-Severn : Stratascan, Report: J2475 2008, 12pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Stratascan

The survey was successful in locating a number of features, including a circular feature. Further remains may have been obscured by magnetic disturbance. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: stratasc1-49480

(H.31.4732/2008)

SK82603950

Parish: Bottesford

Postal Code: NG130FF

**PALMERS HOLLOW, NORTH-EAST OF BOTTESFORD*****Palmers Hollow, North-east of Bottesford, Leicestershire. Geophysical Survey***

Webb, A & Harrison, S Morley : Archaeological Services WYAS, Report: 1872 2008, 34pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeological Services WYAS

A magnetometer survey was carried out on each of the eight proposed wind turbine base locations. No anomalies were encountered, however, two linear ditch type features were recorded at the eastern end of the compound area. These features were interpreted as a trackway or perhaps the corner of a double-ditched enclosure. Ridge and furrow ploughing was identified across the site. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: no

**North West Leicester**

(H.31.4734/2008)

SK43602760

Parish: Castle Donington

Postal Code: DE742WT

**PARK LANE, CASTLE DONINGTON*****Geophysical Survey Report. Park Lane, Castle Donington***

Graham, C Upton-upon-Severn : Stratascan, Report: J2435 2008, 20pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Stratascan

The survey identified a number of rectilinear enclosures and other positive features that were thought likely to be of archaeological origin in Area 1. While some positive and negative features were encountered in Area 2, the area was dominated by high amplitude features that were likely to represent ferrous objects which may have been of modern origin. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: stratasc1-52726

**East Lindsey**

(H.32.4736/2008)

TF42859030

Parish: Saltfleetby

Postal Code: LN117SZ

**LAND AT SALTFLEETBY ST. PETER*****Geophysical Survey. Land at Saltfleetby St. Peter, Lincolnshire***

Bunn, D Lincoln : Pre-Construct Geophysics, 2008, 8pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Pre-Construct Geophysics

Gradiometer survey in advance of an evaluation for wastewater treatment works encountered uneven natural deposits of silt and clay, with strong magnetic variation on an adjacent to a borehole. A series of parallel linear anomalies reflected modern wheel ruts or land drains. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MO

OASIS ID: no

**North Kesteven**

(H.32.4738/2008)

SK95395870

Parish: Boothby Graffoe

Postal Code: LN5 0LL

**SOMERTON CASTLE, BOOTHBY GRAFFOE*****Archaeological Geophysical Survey Report. Somerton Castle, Boothby Graffoe, Lincolnshire***

Hibbit, D C Branston : Grid Nine Freelance Archaeological Geophysics, Report: SN/2009/Sca 2009, 16pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Grid Nine Geophysics

Survey was carried out as a result of a prize in a quiz, over the South Lawn site and the orchard to the north of the existing castle, where the curtain wall was thought to be located. Anomalies which were thought to be structural remains and/or garden features were located, including the likely course of the curtain wall. Many dipolar responses were also recorded, and thought to be caused by modern ferrous debris. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD, MD

OASIS ID: no

(H.32.4739/2008)

TF0320052150

Parish: Braucewell

Postal Code: NG348RH

**BRAUNCEWELL LIMESTONE QUARRY*****Braucewell Limestone Quarry, Lincolnshire. Topsoil Magnetic Susceptibility and Gradiometer Survey***

Johnson, A Noke : Oxford Archaeotechnics, 2008, 19pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Oxford Archaeotechnics

The survey identified a westward continuation of a broad band of highly magnetic soils, first identified in 1996. However, the only feature to have been identified in the present survey was a single north-west to south-east oriented ditch. There was no further evidence for further areas unambiguously associated with former settlement. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: no

(H.32.4740/2008)

TF0517963119

Parish: Dunston

Postal Code: LN4 2AB

**LAND AT DUNSTON QUARRY*****Geophysical Survey. Land at Dunston Quarry, Dunston, Lincolnshire***

Bunn, D Lincoln : Pre-Construct Geophysics, 2008, 12pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Pre-Construct Geophysics

A fluxgate gradiometer survey recorded, for the most part, modern debris across the site. Traces of possible ridge and furrow were identified, predominantly in the south-west part of the site. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: no

(H.32.4743/2008)

SK92753920

Parish: Belton and Manthorpe

Postal Code: NG322LS

**BELTON HOUSE, GRANTHAM*****Fluxgate Gradiometer Survey at Belton House, Grantham, Lincolnshire***

Allen Archaeological Associates Branston : Allen Archaeological Associates, Report: 2009.006 2008, 1p

*Work undertaken by:* Grid Nine Geophysics, Allen Archaeological Associates

A geophysical survey of the site was carried out. A number of anomalies which may have related to activities that occurred prior to the emparkment of Belton were identified; including a possible rectilinear anomaly and evidence of medieval agriculture in the form of ridge and furrow. Several other anomalies thought to be related to the post-medieval estate were recorded, including a former north-south oriented trackway, along with two east-west linear anomalies, also likely to represent former tracks and routes. [Au(adp)]

*SMR primary record number:* ENA5545

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, UD

*Serial:* **National Trust Events 2008**, National Trust, ,

*OASIS ID:* no

(H.32.4744/2008)

SK88004000

Parish: Great Gonerby

Postal Code: NG322EF

**GLEBE FARM, ALLINGTON*****Archaeological Evaluation Report: Fluxgate Gradiometer Survey at Glebe Farm, Allington, Lincolnshire***

Hibbitt, D & Allen, M Branston : Allen Archaeological Associates, Report: 2008/013 2008, 20pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Allen Archaeological Associates, Grid Nine Geophysics

A geophysical survey was undertaken on land at Glebe Lodge Farm. The survey was undertaken in advance of a planning application to excavate a series of new fishing lakes, and associated landscaping and infrastructure. The survey revealed several anomalies that were possibly of archaeological origin, and there was a general linear trend that was likely to represent former ploughing. A number of anomalies may be associated with a former field boundary that ran across the site. There were also many dipole responses which were likely to have been caused by highly fired material or ferrous detritus. [Au(abr)]

*OASIS ID:* allenarc1-39385

(H.32.4747/2008)

TF03640769

Parish: Stamford

Postal Code: PE9 1UD

**NEW STAMFORD COLLEGE, STAMFORD*****New Stamford College, Stamford, Lincolnshire. Geophysical Survey***

Heapy, E Morley : Archaeological Services WYAS, Report: 1760 2008, 29pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeological Services WYAS

The survey identified anomalies that were caused by modern services and landscaping. The site was considered to have a low archaeological potential. [Au(abr)]

*OASIS ID:* no

## North East Lincolnshire

**East Lindsey, North Lincolnshire UA**

(H.67.4751/2008)

TA10482310, TF17447632

Parish: Goxhill, Hatton

Postal Code: LN3 5QL, DN197JY

**GOXHILL TO HATTON GAS PIPELINE*****Fluxgate Gradiometer Survey: Goxhill to Hatton Gas Proposed Pipeline (3 Vols)***

Bunn, D Lincoln : Pre-Construct Geophysics, 2008, 67pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Pre-Construct Geophysics

A fluxgate magnetometer survey identified a number of archaeological sites. For the most part, the clearest lay within or on the ridge of the Lincolnshire Wold, as isolated groups of potential pits and ditches, including enclosure ditches. Traces of ridge and furrow were recorded in various places along the route. The survey also recorded widespread traces of chalk/gravel workings. [Au(abr)]

SMR primary record number: CR141

Archaeological periods represented: UD, MD

OASIS ID: no

## Northamptonshire

**Daventry**

(H.34.4752/2008)

SP57505070

Parish: Preston Capes

Postal Code: NN113SD

**FORMAL GARDENS AT CANONS ASHBY HOUSE*****Earth Resistance Survey: The Formal Gardens, Canons Ashby House, Canons Ashby, Near Daventry, Northamptonshire***

Allen Archaeological Associates Branston : Allen Archaeological Associates, 2008, 1p

*Work undertaken by:* Allen Archaeological Associates, Grid Nine Geophysics

A geophysical survey of the formal gardens at Canons Ashby, as part of the garden restoration works was carried out. The survey identified geophysical anomalies which could be correlated to the formal design of the garden as initially set out in the early early 18th century by Edward Dryden, and documented by Henry Dryden in the late-19th century. The garden remained little changed until the 20th century when it became overgrown and the formal layout was lost. [Au(adp)]

SMR primary record number: ENA5561

Archaeological periods represented: PM

Serial: **National Trust Events 2008**, National Trust, ,

OASIS ID: no

(H.34.4753/2008)

SP67508270

Parish: Sibbertoft

Postal Code: LE169UL

**THE ORCHARD FIELD, SIBBERTOFT*****Geophysical Survey Report. The Orchard Field, Sibbertoft, Northamptonshire***

Adcock, J Thornton : GSB Prospection, Report: 08/10 2008, 12pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* GSB Prospection

The combined techniques of magnetic and resistance survey painted a comprehensive picture of the archaeological remains in the Orchard Field, Sibbertoft. The footprint of the former "Mansion House" was identified as well as what appeared to be the remains of ancillary buildings to the north, all apparently constructed, at least partially, of brick. Associated garden features including a lake and waterways were recorded along with more ephemeral responses perhaps indicating walled or formal gardens. The line of the original medieval road was confirmed and, adjacent to it, relatively undisturbed medieval tenement plots were apparent. Within these plots there was evidence of possible dwellings and other potentially archaeological anomalies. The project produced an interesting dataset which spanned features from the medieval [tenement plots and road], through to the modern day [ferrous responses from recently planted, fenced-off trees] and corroborated the 1782 drawing by Joseph Sturgis, until now, the only available evidence for the location of the "Mansion House". [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM  
OASIS ID: no

## Wellingborough

(H.34.4754/2008)

SP92526880

Parish: Finedon

Postal Code: NN8 1RQ

**LAND EAST OF STANTON CROSS, WELLINGBOROUGH**  
*Land East of Stanton Cross, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire*

Webb, A      Morley : Archaeological Services WYAS, Report: 1786 2008, 47pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeological Services WYAS

A programme of magnetometer survey and fieldwalking on the site detected a cluster of Roman pottery sherds and anomalies that may have represented a possible settlement site. At the southern site, only artefacts of a post-medieval date were recovered and only anomalies due to recent agricultural activity were identified. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, RO  
OASIS ID: no

## Nottinghamshire

### Ashfield

(H.37.4756/2008)

SK50956025

Parish: Pleasley

Postal Code: NG173EW

**KINGS MILL HOSPITAL, MANSFIELD**  
*Geophysical Survey Report: Kings Mill Hospital, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire*

Donaldson      Upton-upon-Severn : Stratascan, Report: J2003 2005, 17pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Stratascan

A survey was conducted close to Kings Mill Hospital. A series of linear anomalies indicated the location of a former field boundary within the site. A group of positive linear, rectilinear and discrete anomalies also indicated that at least one enclosure with internal subdivisions and pit like features abutted the field boundary. Other positive linear, rectilinear and discrete features were also located within the site but it was difficult to define them as characteristically archaeological features. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD  
OASIS ID: no

**Bassetlaw**

(H.37.4757/2008)

SK55307891

Parish: Worksop

Postal Code: S80 3EL

**STEETLEY QUARRY*****Ground Penetrating Radar Survey of Two Additional Areas within Steetley Quarry***

Utsi Electronics Ltd. Cambridge : Utsi Electronics Ltd., 2008, 22pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Utsi Electronics Ltd.

The extension of the survey area to the east of the quarry produced evidence for a much more extensive cave system than was first supposed. Most, if not all, of the voids recorded were linked to the original cave at the shallower levels. [Au(adp)]

OASIS ID: no

**Newark and Sherwood**

(H.37.4758/2008)

SK72006750

Parish: Laxton and Moorhouse

Postal Code: NG220NY

**LAXTON CASTLE*****Laxton Castle Survey. Report on the 2008 Season of Work***

Kincey, M, Carey, C, Challis, K & Speight, S Edgbaston : Birmingham Archaeology, 2008, 32pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Birmingham Archaeology

A fourth season of survey was carried out as part of a field school. Topographical survey concentrated on refining the level of detail across the earthworks surrounding the inner bailey. The geophysical surveys revealed a series of anomalies that corresponded with features visible on the 1635 map of Laxton drawn by Mark Pierce, as well as numerous other anomalies of unknown date and function. The season also incorporated the start of a condition survey of the monument, aimed at recording and assessing the preservation of the visible archaeology. [Au(adp)]

*SMR primary record number:* 1462

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD, PM, MD

OASIS ID: no

**Rutland****Rutland UA**

(H.77.4759/2008)

SK85000920

Parish: Barleythorpe

Postal Code: LE156PH

**VALE OF CATMOSE COLLEGE, COLD OVERTON ROAD, OAKHAM*****Archaeological Geophysical Survey at Vale of Catmose College, Cold Overton Road, Oakham, Rutland***

Smith, H & Fisher, I Northampton : Northamptonshire Archaeology, Report: 08/65 2008, 8pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Northamptonshire Archaeology



The survey recorded anomalies in all three fields. There were four circular features which may have represented Iron Age roundhouse ring ditches, as well as possible boundary ditch or enclosure anomalies. Ridge and furrow and modern services were also detected. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

OASIS ID: no