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NORTHUMBERLAND

Alnwick

2/487 (C.35.K012)

NU 18811315

BEAL'S YARD, ALNWICK*Beal's Yard, Alnwick, Northumberland*

Brogan, G Newcastle upon Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2002, 29pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

A single square trench was excavated to the undisturbed subsoil and located a metalled street, overlaid by a makeup layer and indications of possible robbing of the town wall as evidenced by a large cut through the tow rampart. [Au(adp)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM

2/488 (C.35.K003)

NY 96959980

HAREHAUGH HILLFORT*Harehaugh Hillfort, Northumberland, Archaeological Project*

The Archaeology Practice Newcastle upon Tyne : The Archaeological Practice, 2002, 82pp, colour pls, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: The Archaeological Practice

In 2002, the preservation of the hillfort was evaluated with a combination of coring and the excavation of targeted trenches. The early results indicated bioturbation has damaged some of the archaeological resource. [AIP]

Archaeological periods represented: IA, PR

2/489 (C.35.K011)

NU 23301157

LESBURY MILL BRIDGE, LESBURY*An Archaeological Evaluation at Lesbury Mill Bridge, Lesbury, Northumberland*

Randerson, M Durham : Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd, 2002, 39pp, pls, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd

Five trenches were investigated, which revealed evidence relating to the well-documented mill complex of the late 18th century onwards, demolition of the structures in the 1960s and subsequent use of the land. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: PM

2/490 (C.35.K006)

NU 18281284

WILLOGHBY'S BANK, ALNWICK*Willoghby's Bank, Alnwick, Northumberland. Archaeological Evaluation*

Muncaster, W Newcastle upon Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2002, 67pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

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Twelve trenches were excavated. A well-constructed stone lined chamber was excavated and probably dating to the nineteenth century, 19th/20th century deposits, remains of ridge and furrow, fragments of medieval pottery, a portion of a medieval wall foundation, a ditch and a shallow gully of likely medieval origin were excavated. [Au(adp)] *SMR primary record number: 389, 390*

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM

Berwick-upon-Tweed

2/491 (C.35.K010)

NT 99555324

26-30 TWEED STREET, BERWICK-UPON-TWEED***26-30 Tweed Street, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Northumberland***

University of Durham, Archaeological Services Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2002, 28pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

Three trenches were excavated within the site, which was used as a builder's yard. Evidence of activity between the later medieval and modern periods was identified. The evidence suggests that there was probably a small post-medieval structure towards the north-east corner of the site. This may have been used in connection with food preparation. As the bulk of the area seems to have been used for waste disposal, this activity was almost certainly associated with one of the properties of the Castlegate frontage to the east. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number: 346*

Archaeological periods represented: MD, MO, PM

2/492 (C.35.K013)

NT 99995284

408 WOOLMARKET, BERWICK-UPON-TWEED***Report on an Archaeological Evaluation of a Proposed Development at 408 Woolmarket, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Northumberland***

Dalland, M Edinburgh : Headland Archaeology Ltd, 2002, 20pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Headland Archaeology Ltd

The evaluation demonstrated that there are remains of medieval buildings and deep in situ medieval deposits on the site. Geotechnical tests indicated that some of these deposits contain waterlogged organic material. However, it is clear from the evaluation that there are also areas to the rear of the site where cellars have been cut into and removed parts of the uppermost medieval levels. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number: 298*

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM, UD

2/493 (C.35.K007)

NT 99455344

BERWICK RAILWAY STATION CAR PARK, BERWICK-UPON-TWEED***Preliminary Archaeological Evaluation at Berwick Railway Station Car Park, Berwick-upon-Tweed, Northumberland***

Taylor-Wilson, R Brockley : Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd, 2002, 21pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Pre-Construct Archaeology Ltd

One trench was investigated, which revealed substantial mortared masonry across the full length and breadth of the trench. The date of this structure could not be confirmed. Service trenches of probable

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19th and 20th century date were recorded cut into the masonry. Modern surfacing was also recorded. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number: 326*

Archaeological periods represented: MO, UD

2/494 (C.35.K009)

NU 96005750

WEST HOPE, BERWICK-UPON-TWEED*An Archaeological Evaluation at West Hope, Berwick upon Tweed*

Morrison, J Edinburgh : Headland Archaeology Ltd, 2002, 12pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Headland Archaeology Ltd

The evaluation consisted of machine excavation of a total of ten trenches down to the natural subsoil. A number of features of archaeological significance were present, including a shallow linear feature that contained two sherds of medieval pottery and a corroded iron nail head. Also a steep-sided ditch and a stone feature constructed from angular rubble that contained several sherds of medieval pottery whose alignment suggested an association with St Leanards Nunnery. [Au(adp)] *SMR primary record number: 272*

Archaeological periods represented: MD

Castle Morpeth

2/495 (C.35.K004)

NZ 23008700

PEGSWOOD BYPASS*Pegswood Bypass, South East Northumberland*

The Archaeology Practice Newcastle upon Tyne : The Archaeological Practice, 2002, 29pp, colour pls, figs

Work undertaken by: The Archaeological Practice

It appeared that most traces of pre-medieval cultural heritage within the corridor of the Pegswood Bypass have been removed by the creation and prolonged use of the medieval agricultural field systems. However scattered remnants of Iron Age cultivation patterns did survive in the form of field boundary ditches and evidence for clearance activity. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: IA, MD, PM

2/496 (C.35.K005)

NZ 13637892

THE GABLES, OGLE*Archaeological Evaluation at 'The Gables', Ogle, Northumberland*

Turnbull, P Barnard Castle : The Brigantia Archaeological Practice, 2002, 9pp, colour pls, figs

Work undertaken by: Brigantia Archaeological Practice

The results of this evaluation have been archaeologically negative. [Au(adp)]

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Tynedale

2/497 (C.35.K014)

NY 89506860

LOW WHINNY HILL, FOURSTONES*Low Whinny Hill, Fourstones, Northumberland*

Muncaster, W Newcastle upon Tyne : Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department, 2002, 22pp, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Tyne & Wear Museums Archaeology Department

Evaluation trenches investigated a number of geophysical anomalies but produced no deposits or features of archaeological interest. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number:* 229, 230

2/498 (C.35.K001)

NY 77266812

MILECASTLE 38, HOTBANK, HADRIAN'S WALL*Milecastle 38, Hotbank, Hadrian's Wall, Northumberland. Archaeological Earthwork Survey*

Elsworth, D Lancaster : Oxford Archaeology North, 2002, 19pp, colour pls, pls, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: Oxford Archaeology North

In order to assess the level of existing damage, to record the walked line, and the areas where work was necessary to prevent further deterioration, it was decided that a survey of the existing earthwork should be carried out prior to any improvement of the existing route. This revealed that, apart from the remains of the milecastle itself, there were the remains of other features, apparently post-dating it. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number:* 3260

Archaeological periods represented: RO, UD

2/499 (C.35.K015)

NZ 08556354

OVINGHAM HOUSE, MAIN ROAD, OVINGHAM*Ovingham House, Main Road, Ovingham, Northumberland*

University of Durham, Archaeological Services Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2002, 16pp, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

Two trenches were excavated within the proposed development site. Several cut features were identified, these include a modern drainage channel and two post-medieval gullies. In the central part of the site structural remains were uncovered including the fragmentary remains of a possible wall and a stone flagged floor. Only one small unstratified sherd of medieval pottery was found, the rest of the finds assemblage dated to the later post-medieval and modern periods. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, PM, UD

2/500 (C.35.K008)

NY 97857145

ROC OIL SITE, BINGFIELD*Roc Oil Site, Bingfield, Northumberland*

University of Durham, Archaeological Services Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2002, 10pp, figs, tabs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

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Three trenches were opened. No evidence of any past activity, other than agricultural work, was found. No further archaeological work was recommended in connection with the proposed drilling here. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number: 255*

2/501 (C.35.K002)

NY 80927028

SEWINGSIELDS WOOD

Sewingshields Wood, Northumberland

Miller, I Lancaster : Oxford Archaeology North, 2002, 30pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

Work undertaken by: Oxford Archaeology North

The results of the evaluation indicated that the current permissive path on both sides of the farm outbuildings was to the north of the wall, informing a decision on the detailed specification of the Hadrian's Wall Path National Trail, which in this area required some engineering to traverse the steep slope to the north of the farm. [Au(abr)] *SMR primary record number: 3259*

Archaeological periods represented: PM, RO