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3/1129 (E.45.F007)

TQ 00160089

**BAILIFFSCOURT HOTEL, CLIMPING***An Archaeological Excavation at Bailiffscourt Hotel, Climping, West Sussex*

Griffin, N Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 13pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The excavation revealed the presence of an early Roman ditch that contained several unabrased and conjoined pottery sherds, representing the base and rim of a jar. A moderate amount of residual prehistoric pottery, as well as worked and burnt flint, was also found. Four further ditches or gullies were identified, but could only be tentatively dated to the prehistoric period based upon the few small pottery sherds and presence of flint within their fills. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PR, RO, UD**Chichester**

3/1130 (E.45.F008)

SU 98801470

**BIGNOR ROMAN VILLA, PULBOROUGH***An Archaeological Watching Brief over the Excavation of a Land-drain long the Western Perimeter of Bignor Roman Villa, Bignor, Pulborough, West Sussex*

Dunkin, D Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 11pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The watching brief was maintained during groundworks associated with the construction of a land-drain on the western margin of the villa. Two previously noted linear features were exposed, one of which was thought to be a known Roman boundary ditch relating to an earlier phase of the villa site. The wall footings of an earlier structure were also found, thought to be the remains of a 19th century hotel. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, RO

3/1131 (E.45.K004)

SU 89000410

**DRAYTON QUARRY(NORTH), O Ving***Drayton Quarry (North), Oving, Chichester, West Sussex Archaeological Investigation Area 2 Interim Report*

Webster, M &amp; Steadman, S Northampton : Northamptonshire Archaeology, 2002, 19pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Northamptonshire Archaeology

Archaeological records were made of a system of enclosures and ditched trackways of predominantly Bronze Age, although some pottery was tentatively dated to the early Iron Age. Three cremation burials, deposited beneath inverted Bronze Age bucket urns were possibly related to the extensive cremation cemetery recorded previously. An extensive spread of post pits and/or post holes appeared to form concentric post rings predating the system of trackways and enclosures. A well was excavated close to the southern limit of excavation but few, if any, contemporary settlement features were recorded in association with it. [Au(abr)]

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

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3/1132 (E.45.K003)

SU 89000410

**DRAYTON SOUTH QUARRY**

*Report on the Stratigraphy at the Drayton South Quarry*

Pine, C. : C.A. Pine, 2002, 5pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* C.A. Pine

Purposive geoarchaeological investigation and integration of field and laboratory based sample descriptions has refined the existing first order stratigraphic model for the site. No physical evidence for human activity has been recovered from the drill cores, human activity within southern England is well attested to during the period to which the sediments at the Drayton sites are thought to belong [OISs 7, c, 200-240ka B.P.]. It is considered important provision is made to allow monitoring access particularly to the north-eastern area of the Drayton Quarry Site. [Au(abr)]

3/1133 (E.45.F002)

SZ 86509340

**EAST BEACH POND, SELSEY**

*East Beach Pond, Selsey, West Sussex. An Archaeological Watching Brief*

Moore, H Reading : Thames Valley Archaeological Services, 2002, 6pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Thames Valley Archaeological Services

No archaeological features were observed during the works to enlarge the exiting East Beach pond. Four pieces of unstratified struck flint and one piece of abraded medieval pottery were recovered. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, UD

3/1134 (E.45.H003)

SU 85700405

**HIGH SCHOOL FOR GIRLS CHICHESTER**

*The Former High School for Girls, Chichester*

Brading, R Southampton : Southern Archaeological Services, 2002, 24pp, colour pls, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Southern Archaeological Services

A watching brief was maintained on groundworks at the site. A medieval ditch was observed and a series of Late Iron Age/Roman ditches, a post hole and an occupation layer. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* IA, MD, RO

3/1135 (E.45.K001)

SU 88250425

**LAND OFF DRAYTON LANE, OVING**

*Interim Statement on Archaeological Investigations at Land off Drayton Lane, Oving, Chichester, West Sussex: Phase III Extraction Area*

Griffin, N Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 10pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

Over 50 features were identified during the watching brief. These comprised a number of ditches/gullies, pits, and post holes. In addition one probable urned funerary deposit and two possible un-urned funerary/pyre deposits were also located. The majority probably date to the prehistoric period,

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though a little Roman, medieval and post-medieval material was also present. The earliest material recovered dates to the Middle Bronze Age, although some of the Later Bronze Age pottery sherds found could be Neolithic. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* IA, LBA, MBA, MD

3/1136 (E.45.F005)

SU 86120514

**THE SHIP HOTEL, NORTH STREET, CHICHESTER**

*An Archaeological Watching Brief at The Ship Hotel, Chichester, West Sussex*

Stevenson, J : Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 7pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The watching brief was maintained during the excavation of a footing for an extension to the pub. The work uncovered evidence of post-medieval layers, as well as Roman layers that seemed to be the infill of a pit. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, RO

3/1137 (E.45.F013)

SU 88550515

SU 88500640

**THE SHOPWYKE TO WESTHAMPNETT GAS PIPELINE**

*An Archaeological Watching Brief on the Showpyke to Westhampnett Gas Pipeline, West Sussex*

Currie, C K : CKC Archaeology, 2002, 24pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* CKC Archaeology

The watching brief was largely negative, due to the course of the pipeline closely following that of the modern road surface. However, small quantities of possible late prehistoric and Roman ceramics were found near the area. A shallow pit containing abundant quantities of overfired roof tile was also located. Evidence of the Roman Stane Street under the old A27 seemed to have been destroyed with the laying of the modern road. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PR, RO, UD

3/1138 (E.45.K005)

SU 48781117

**TRUNDLE HILLFORT, ST. ROCHE'S HILL, LAVANT**

*Summary Report on the Archaeological Monitoring at the Site of Proposed Mast Installations on St. Roche's Hill [the Trundle, National Monument No. 31201] Singleton, Chichester, West Sussex*

Pine, C & Hunder, P : Development Archaeology Services, 2002, 11pp, figs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Development Archaeology Services

During archaeological monitoring of ground investigations carried out on the 16th January 2002 [preliminary site meeting] and 28th and 30th January 2002 [excavation and surveying works] and 26th February 2002 [borehole monitoring] by Christopher Pine of Development Archaeology Services [DAS], no archaeology was observed. [Au(abr)]

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**Horsham**

3/1139 (E.45.F003)

TQ 07562024

**BEEDINGS HOUSE, NUTBOURNE LANE, PULBOROUGH***An Archaeological Watching Brief at Beedings House, Nutbourne Lane, Pulborough, West Sussex*

Griffin, N Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 12pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The watching brief was maintained during groundworks for a garage and storage area. The presence of Late Iron Age and 1st century AD features such as pits and ditches added to the increasing body of evidence that this area was relatively intensively farmed and settled during this time.

*Archaeological periods represented:* LIA, ME, RO, UD

3/1140 (E.45.F011)

TQ 18721056

**HIGH TREES, THE STREET, BRAMBER***An Archaeological Watching Brief at High Trees, The Street, Bramber, West Sussex*

Barber, L &amp; Butler, C Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 12pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The watching brief was carried out following an earlier evaluation at the site. An east-west medieval ditch was encountered in the central part of the driveway, whilst another medieval feature of unknown extent was also found. Towards the street frontage an area of post-medieval chalk and flint rubble was recovered. [Au(adp)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* MD, PM

3/1141 (E.45.F004)

TQ 08301670

**MONKMEAD LANE, WEST CHILTINGTON***An Archaeological Watching brief of a Water Connection in Minkmead Lane, West Chiltington, West Sussex*

Dunkin, D Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2003, 8pp, figs, tabs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The water main lay on the projected line of the Roman Road known as the Greensand Way. Made ground was encountered within the trench, and pieces of ironstone were encountered at a depth of around 700mm. This was thought to be remnants of the road itself, however the evidence was too sparse to confirm this. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

3/1142 (E.45.K002)

TQ 18222063

TQ 18702126

**NEEDS BRIDGE TO WELL LAND FARM, PARTRIDGE GREEN***An Archaeological Watching Brief on the Needs Bridge to Well Land Farm Replacement Water Main, Partridge Green, West Sussex*

Griffin, N Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 7pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

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A watching brief was maintained during the groundworks associated with the replacement of a water main between Needs Bridge and Well Land Farm, Partridge Green. An approximately 5m to 6m wide easement was stripped of topsoil along the route of the pipeline but no archaeological features were located. A few pieces of burnt flint were collected from the machined surface. Intermittent monitoring of the deep trench into which the pipe was laid also failed to locate any archaeological features. [Au]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PR

**Mid Sussex**

3/1143 (E.45.F012)

TQ 30251396

**CLAYTON MANOR*****An Archaeological Excavation at Clayton Manor, Clayton, West Sussex***

Butler, C Polegate : Mid Sussex Field Archaeological Team, 2002, 13pp, pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Mid Sussex Field Archaeological Team

During the excavation of a service trench an area of Roman floor tiles and walling was exposed, and investigated further. The remains were found to be those of a Roman bath house, almost certainly the same one that was discovered and exposed in the early 19th century, as numerous finds of this date were recovered. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM, RO

3/1144 (E.45.F009)

TQ 37953602

**EAST GRINSTEAD SPORTS CLUB*****An Archaeological Survey at East Grinstead Sports Club, Saint Hill Road, East Grinstead, West Sussex***

James, R & Griffin, N Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 24pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

An historic landscape survey carried out on woodland at East Grinstead Sports Club identified post-medieval quarries, woodland boundaries and arable cultivation and ridge-and-furrow. A subsequent watching brief located no features or artefacts of archaeological interest. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM

3/1145 (E.45.F010)

TQ 27301130

**SADDLESCOMBE FARM*****An Earthwork Survey at Saddlescombe Farm, West Sussex***

Johnson, C Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 27pp, colour pls, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

An earthwork survey was made, defining the routes of three sunken trackways with evidence for possible house platforms and field boundary lynchets. The report also included a record of condition as well as recommendations for future archaeological work. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* UD

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**Worthing**

3/1146 (E.45.F006)

TQ 13810215

**4 WEST PARADE, WORTHING**

*An Archaeological Watching Brief at 4 West Parade, Worthing, West Sussex*

Stevenson, J Ditchling : Archaeology South-East, 2002, 12pp, figs, tabs, refs

*Work undertaken by:* Archaeology South-East

The watching brief was carried out in advance of a residential development. No archaeological activity was recorded. [Au(abr)]

3/1147 (E.45.H002)

TQ 14850297

**74-78 CHAPEL ROAD, WORTHING**

*74-78 Chapel Road, Worthing*

Higgins, P Southampton : Southern Archaeological Services, 2002, 10pp, figs

*Work undertaken by:* Southern Archaeological Services

A watching brief was maintained on groundworks at the site. Upstanding flint and chalk walls were recorded. [Au(abr)]

*Archaeological periods represented:* PM