

North East Region

DURHAM

Durham

7/43 (H.20.K005)

NZ 23004243

BROOM LANE, UPSHAW MOOR***Geophysical Survey of Sample Areas in a Proposed Housing Development at Broom Lane, Upshaw Moor, Co. Durham***

GeoQuest Associates Consett : GeoQuest Associates, 2002, 13pp, colour pls, figs

Work undertaken by: GeoQuest Associates

The anomalies in the gradiometer sample areas were found to be intense and dominated by the effects of a buried iron pipeline and deposits of magnetic litter. [Au(adp)] *SMR primary record number:* 6421

Archaeological periods represented: UD

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NZ 19104180

PROPOSED ACCESS ROAD, ESH WINNING***Geophysical Survey on the Route of a Proposed Access Road, Esh Winning, Co. Durham***

GeoQuest Associates Consett : GeoQuest Associates, 2002, 16pp, figs

Work undertaken by: GeoQuest Associates

A number of additional subsoil targets have been revealed by the gradiometer and resistivity survey. These include: a substantial deposit of possible fired material; rectilinear ditched enclosures and a plastic or concrete pipe or drain. [Au(adp)] *SMR primary record number:* 6525

Archaeological periods represented: UD**Easington**

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NZ 44143490

SHERATON DESERTED MEDIEVAL VILLAGE***Sheraton Deserted Medieval Village, Co. Durham: Geophysical and Topographical Survey***

University of Durham, Archaeological Services Durham : University of Durham, Archaeological Services, 2002, 20pp, figs, refs

Work undertaken by: University of Durham, Archaeological Services

A gradiometer survey was carried out on the site. Upstanding ridge and furrow has been identified and plotted, by both geophysics and topographical survey, with associated holloways and headlands. Two modern service pipes and a modern track have also been located, as has a possible quarry or pond and a flood bank. Remnants of medieval furrows have been identified in area 3, having suffered from plough damage in the past. Other soil-filled features identified in the area include linear boundary ditches and a pit with an associated pipe. Area 4 revealed a wide curvilinear soil-filled ditch and the possible remains of a stone wall or revetment associated with the ditch. [Au(abr)]

Archaeological periods represented: MD, UD**Sedgefield**

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NZ 35002890

SEDGEFIELD

Sedgefield, Co. Durham

GSB Prospection Bradford : GSB Prospection, 2002, 22pp, figs

Work undertaken by: GSB Prospection

Gradiometer survey has greatly enhanced the information hinted at by air photography. It also located the Roman Road in the vicinity of Sedgefield. Numerous enclosures line both sides of the road, they contain ditches and pits but little other evidence for occupation within them. Excavation confirmed that the majority of domestic refuse was contained within the pits. An industrial response within one of these enclosures proved, on excavation, to be a small kiln. Large pits scattered across the survey area, were thought to be caused by quarrying and had later been filled by magnetically enhanced material. [Au(adp)] *SMR primary record number:* 6331

Archaeological periods represented: IA, RO