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#### Summary

Swale & Thames Survey Company (SWAT Archaeology) were commissioned by Skillcrown Homes Limited to undertake an archaeological investigation, comprising an evaluation and a watching brief, on land at The Former Phoebes Garden Centre, Catford, SE6 2LQ. The archaeological works were monitored by the Greater London Archaeology Advisory Service.

The Archaeological Evaluation consisted of eight trenches, which encountered a common stratigraphic sequence across most of the site comprising disturbed natural geological deposits, previously covered by concrete hardstanding. Within the eastern extent of the site, topsoil was present within areas presumably landscaped during the construction of the previously existing buildings. The absence of any surviving topsoil and/or subsoil across of the site has suggested that preservation conditions are relatively poor, and that modern construction has had an impact on potential archaeological horizons. The extent of this impact is unclear, but it is assumed that any shallow/discrete archaeological features, i.e. those deeper than c.0.5m, should they have been present would have either been completely removed or disturbed.

No archaeological finds or features were present within any of the evaluation trenches. It is therefore suggested that the development will have a low/negligible impact on archaeological remains.

Further archaeological mitigation, should it be necessary, will need to be determined in consultation with the Local Planning Authority and the Greater London Archaeology Advisory Service. Archaeological Investigations on Land at The Former Phoebes Garden Centre,

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1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Background

1.1.1 Swale & Thames Survey Company (SWAT Archaeology) were commissioned by Skillcrown Homes

Limited to undertake an archaeological evaluation on land at the ormer Phoebes Garden Centre,

Catford, SE6 2LQ (Figure 1). A planning application (DC/17/102292) has been submitted to London

Borough of Lewisham Planning Department, Lewisham Council (LC) for the demolition of existing

buildings at Phoebe's Garden Centre, Penerley Road SE6 2LQ, and the construction of a two

storey building plus roof space to provide 10, one bedroom, 10, two bedroom and 7, three

bedroom self-contained flats, together with the provision of car parking spaces, cycle spaces and

landscaped garden areas.

1.1.2 The Greater London Archaeology Advisory Service (GLAAS), who provide an archaeological

advisory service to Lewisham Council, recommended that an archaeological investigation took

place in advance of any development work. This recommendation was subsequently added as a

Condition to the planning approval, which stated that;

No development shall commence on site until the developer has secured the implementation of a

programme of archaeological work in accordance with a written scheme of investigation, which

has been submitted to and approved in writing by the local planning authority.

Reason: To ensure adequate access for archaeological investigations in compliance with Policies

15 High quality design for Lewisham and 16 Conservation areas, heritage assets and the historic

environment of the Core Strategy (June 2011) and Policy 7.8 of the London Plan (2016).

(DC/17/102292, Condition 3, 29/06/2018)

1.1.3 The archaeological work was undertaken in accordance with a Written Scheme of Investigation

(SWAT Archaeology 2018), which was agreed in advance of the fieldwork with Historic England's

GLAAS. All works were carried out in accordance with the relevant guidance given in the

Chartered Institute for Archaeologist's Standard and Guidance for Archaeological Field Evaluation

(CIfA 2014).

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1.1.4 The fieldwork took place between August 2018 and September 2018 and comprised the machine excavation of eight trenches each measuring 20m in length and 2.2m wide. This report documents the results of the evaluation and watching brief and provides an assessment of the archaeological results recorded.

#### 1.2 Site Description and Topography

- 1.2.1 The site is centred on NGR 537753 173236, within a suburban landscape in Catford, south east London (Figure 1).
- 1.2.2 The site is polygonal in shape and set within an urban area of Catford surrounded by housing and industrial/commercial premises fronting Penerley Road to the north, Bargerey Road to the south and the A21 (Bromley Road) to the west (Figure 1). Access is made through Penerley Road, to the north and the site and the site is generally flat, at a height between c.18.6m aOD and c.19.2m aOD (above Ordnance Datum. Prior to the evaluation the site was occupied by the former Phoebe's Garden Centre (see Section 2 below).
- 1.2.3 The British Geological Survey website shows the site to be located on a bedrock of London Clay, with superficial deposits comprising Kempton Park Gravel Member (Sands and Gravels).

#### 2 ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

#### 2.1 Introduction

- 2.1.1 The development site is in an Area of Archaeological Potential, details of which have been sourced by the Greater London HER team at <a href="mailto:gher@historicengland.org.uk">gher@historicengland.org.uk</a>. The following extract is taken form the WSI (SWAT Archaeology 2018, 2.1);
- 2.1.2 The development site lies within an Archaeological Priority Area as defined by borough policy. There are 18 HER records in the close vicinity of the proposed development area (PDA) and include an evaluation at Rushey Green Primary School in 2014 by Wessex Archaeology where two large MBA (Middle Bronze Age) post holes, a large undated pit and a shallow pit of possible Roman date were found (ELO 14253).
- 2.1.3 In 1996 the Museum of London Archaeology Service carried out an evaluation of six trenches at The Island Site, Plassy Road and found a prehistoric ditch and possible prehistoric pit. In addition, a post-medieval ditch with post hole which could have been a boundary marker was uncovered (ELO9949). A rapid search of OS historic mapping indicates that in 1863 the PDA was arable fields located to the NE of Sangley Farm with no change to 1879. However, by 1916 terraced housing had been built to the N, S, E and west leaving the PDA as open ground.

2.1.4 By 1949 a Nursery had been established with a central glasshouse and by 1966 another building in the NE corner had been added. By 1995 the central glasshouse and the building in the NE corner had been demolished to be replaced by the current much larger greenhouse.

#### Phoebe's Garden Centre

- 2.1.5 A lady called Phoebe started a small floristry shop in Sangley Road, Catford (left in the early part of the 1900s). She built up her business selling cut flowers and plants and making up flower arrangements for gifts and funerals. The business thrived and in 1947, Phoebe and her husband, Ernest, bought a piece of land in Penerley Road, Catford. On this land they grew chrysanthemums and dahlias for the florist shop as well as to supply the cut flower market, then situated at Covent Garden.
- 2.1.6 When Phoebe's son Roy became involved in the trade, a small wooden greenhouse/shop was built on the site in Penerley Road and from this Roy and his parents started to sell a few gardening "bits and bobs" such as string, seeds and compost.
- 2.1.7 In 1978 Phoebe's grandson Michael formed Phoebes Landscapes Limited and in 1988, Phoebe's added a pet department where you could buy tropical and cold-water fish and other pet accessories. Phoebe's Garden Centre closed for development in 2016.

#### 3 AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

#### 3.1 General Aims

- 3.1.1 The aims of the archaeological fieldwork, as set out in the Specification (SWAT Archaeology 2018, 2.3-2.7) were adhered to;
  - i. The principle objective of the archaeological evaluation was to establish the presence or absence of any elements of the archaeological resource, both artefacts and ecofacts of archaeological interest across the area of the development.
  - ii. To ascertain the extent, depth below ground surface, depth of deposit if possible, character, date and quality of any such archaeological remains by limited sample excavation.
  - iii. To determine the state of preservation and importance of the archaeological resource if present and to assess the past impacts on the site, and pay particular attention to the character, height/depth below ground level, condition, date and significance of any archaeological deposits.

- iv. The opportunity was also taken, during the course of the evaluation, to place and assess any archaeology revealed within the context of other recent archaeological investigations in the immediate area and within the setting of the local landscape and topography.
- v. In general, the work was to ensure compliance with the archaeological requirement from the GLAAS Archaeological Officer, that an archaeological evaluation to take place as a planning requirement, and to publish the results either on line, or through OASIS and/or in a local journal.

#### 4 METHODOLOGY

#### 4.1 Introduction

4.1.1 All fieldwork was conducted in accordance with the methodology set out in the SWAT Archaeology Specification (2018) and carried out in compliance with the standards outlined in the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists' Standards Guidance for Archaeological Evaluations (CIFA 2014).

#### 4.2 Fieldwork

4.2.1 A total of eight evaluation trenches were proposed within the extent of the Site (Figure 2) which were excavated in a phased approach due to ongoing demolition works on site. This approach, as detailed in Table 1 below, was agreed with GLAAS.

Date	Task	Staff
28-08-2018	Excavation of evaluation Trenches 1-4	TA
05-09-2018	Excavation of evaluation Trenches 5-8	TA

Table 1 Archaeological Attendance

- 4.2.2 Each trench location was initially scanned for surface finds prior to excavation. Excavation was carried out using a 360° mechanical excavator fitted with a toothless ditching bucket, removing the overburden to the top of the first recognisable archaeological horizon, under the constant supervision of an experienced archaeologist.
- 4.2.3 Trenches were subsequently hand-cleaned, as required, in order to reveal features in plan and carefully selected cross-sections through the features were excavated to enable sufficient information about form, development date and stratigraphic relationships to be recorded without prejudice to more extensive investigations, should these prove to be necessary. All archaeological work was carried out in accordance with GLAAS and ClfA standards and guidance. A complete

photographic record was maintained on site that included working shots; during mechanical excavation, following archaeological investigations and during back filling.

#### 4.3 Recording

- 4.3.1 A complete drawn record of the evaluation trenches comprising both plans and sections, drawn to appropriate scales (1:20 for plans, 1:10 for sections) was undertaken. The plans and sections were annotated with coordinates and aOD heights.
- 4.3.2 Photographs were taken as appropriate providing a record of excavated features and deposits, along with images of the overall trench to illustrate their location and context. The record also includes images of the site overall. The photographic record comprises digital photography. A photographic register of all photographs taken is contained within the project archive.
- 4.3.3 A single context recording system was used to record the deposits with context recording numbers (CRN) relating to the associated trench number, i.e. 100 would equate to Trench 1, 200 would equate to Trench 2, etc. Context numbers were assigned to all deposits for recording purposes; these are used in the report.

#### 5 RESULTS

#### 5.1 Introduction

- 5.1.1 This section presents the results of the Archaeological Evaluation. Detailed descriptions of the contexts recorded are included in Appendix 2.
- 5.1.2 A total of eight trenches were mechanically excavated under archaeological supervision. No archaeological features or finds were recorded within the trenches.
- 5.1.3 Figure 1 and Figure 2 present the site and the trench locations and Figure 3 provides trench plans.

  Representative trench sections are presented on Figure 4 and Figure 5. Plates 1-11 provide photographic images of a selection of the site and the evaluation trenches.

### 5.2 Stratigraphic Sequence

5.2.1 Overall, a standard deposit sequence, comprising truncated natural Brickearth was present directly below the previously removed concrete hardstanding surface. Variations to this sequence were recognised within Trench 1 and Trench 7, where the topsoil (101) sealed the natural (102) and Trench 8 where the remnants of a modern redeposited landscaping material was still present (801).

- 5.2.2 On excavation it was immediately clear that previously development had consisted of the removal of any naturally formed overburden exposing the natural geological surface. This surface then served as the formation level for the previously extant garden centre and has been recorded as a separate context for each trench (see below).
- 5.2.3 A description of each trench is provided below with additional context data for each trench set out on Appendix 2.

#### 5.3 Archaeological Results

Trench 1 (Figure 3 & Figure 4)

- 5.3.1 Trench 1 was located within the far eastern extent of the site, on an east northeast-west northwest orientation and measured 20m in length, 2.6m in width with a maximum depth of 0.45m (Plate 4).
- 5.3.2 The stratigraphic sequence comprised topsoil (101) which consisted of firm dark brown sandy silt with occasional stones and modern waste material. Below this, the natural geology comprised firm light orange brown sandy silt natural deposits (102).
- 5.3.3 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

Trench 2 (Figure 3 and Figure 4)

- 5.3.4 Trench 2 was excavated on an east-west alignment, measured 20m in length and 2.6m in width. The upper disturbed natural (201) was removed to expose clean light orange brown sandy gravels at a depth of approximately 0.15m below the existing surface level (Plate 5). Approximately midway along the trench on partially beneath the northern baulk edge, a modern soakaway [203] was filled with light orange yellow redeposited gravel (204) (Plate 6)
- 5.3.5 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

Trench 3 (Figure 3 and Figure 4)

- 5.3.6 Trench 3 was excavated within the central western extent of the site and measured 20m in length with a width of 2.6m and depth of 0.4m. Removal of the disturbed natural (301) exposed a clean firm light orange brown sandy gravel (303) across the majority of the trench (Plate 7). With the far eastern extent of the trench a variation in the natural was clear and consisted of a lighter orange brown silty sand (302).
- 5.3.7 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

Trench 4 (Figure 3 and Figure 4)

- 5.3.8 Trench 4 was located within the central area of the site and was orientated north-south (Plate 15-16). The stratigraphic sequence recorded comprised disturbed natural (401) overlaying clean firm light orange brown natural sand silt (402) at a depth of approximately 0.3m below the existing ground level (c. 18.5m aOD).
- 5.3.9 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

Trench 5 (Figure 3 and Figure 4)

- 5.3.10 Trench 5 was excavated in the north-western extent of the site, broadly on a northeast-southwest orientation, and, on removal of the recently disturbed natural layer (501), exposed natural geology (502) at a depth of 0.5m (Plate 8).
- 5.3.11 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

*Trench 6 (Figure 3 and Figure 5)* 

- 5.3.12 Trench 6 was orientated parallel to the northern boundary of the site and measured 20m in length with a maximum depth of at least 1m. The disturbed upper natural (601) was heavily truncated within this area of the site and need to be excavated to a considerable depth before clean undisturbed deposits (602) were visible (Plate 9).
- 5.3.13 A single modern service trench [603] (604) was recorded within the western extent of this trench (Figure 5).
- 5.3.14 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

Trench 7 (Figure 3 & Figure 5)

- 5.3.15 Trench 7 was located within the eastern extent of the site, on a west northwest-east northeast orientation and measured 20m in length, 2.6m in width with a maximum depth of 0.5m (Plate 10).
- 5.3.16 The stratigraphic sequence comprised topsoil (701) which consisted of firm dark brown sandy silt with occasional stones and modern waste material overlying the upper disturbed natural (702).

  Below this, the clean natural geology comprised firm light orange brown sandy silt gravel (703).
- 5.3.17 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

Trench 8 (Figure 3 and Figure 5)

5.3.18 Trench 8 was excavated on a northeast-southwest alignment, measured 20m in length and 2.6m in width. A modern redeposited dark grey brown silt clay (801) was removed to expose clean mid orange brown sandy gravels at a depth of approximately 0.5m below the existing surface level (Plate 11).

5.3.19 No archaeological finds or features were recorded within this trench.

#### 6 FINDS

#### 6.1 Introduction

6.1.1 The evaluation produced no finds.

#### 7 ENVIRONMENTAL

#### 7.1 Introduction

7.1.1 No environmental samples were taken during the evaluation.

#### 8 DISCUSSION

#### 8.1 Archaeological Narrative

- 8.1.1 A relatively common stratigraphic sequence was recognised across most of the site comprising disturbed natural geological deposits, previously covered by concrete hardstanding. Within the eastern extent of the site, topsoil was present within areas presumably landscaped during the construction of the previously existing buildings.
- 8.1.2 Despite the potential for archaeological features, the absence of any surviving topsoil and/or subsoil across of the site would suggest that preservation conditions are relatively poor and that modern construction has had an impact on potential archaeological horizons. The extent of this impact is unclear, but it is assumed that any shallow/discrete archaeological features, i.e. those deeper than c.0.5m, should they have been present, would have either been completely removed or disturbed.
- 8.1.3 No archaeological finds or features were present within any of the evaluation trenches. It is therefore suggested that the development will have a low/negligible impact on archaeological remains.

#### 8.2 Conclusions

8.2.1 The archaeological evaluation has been successful in fulfilling the primary aims and objectives of the Specification. The model of archaeological potential across the Site has been tested and refined, and an area of significantly low archaeological potential has been identified across the Site. Further archaeological mitigation, should it be necessary, will need to be determined in consultation with the GLAAS Archaeological Officer and local planning authority.

8.2.2 This evaluation has, therefore, assessed the archaeological potential of land intended for development. The results from this work will be used to aid and inform the Archaeological Officer (GLAAS) of any further archaeological mitigation measures that may be necessary in connection with any future development proposals.

#### 9 ARCHIVE

#### 9.1 General

- 9.1.1 The Site archive, which will include; paper records, photographic records, graphics and digital data, will be prepared following nationally recommended guidelines (SMA 1995; CIfA 2009; Brown 2011; ADS 2013).
- 9.1.2 All archive elements will be marked with the site/accession code, and a full index will be prepared. The physical archive comprises 1 file/document case of paper records & A4 graphics.
- 9.1.3 The archive is currently held at SWAT Archaeology's Faversham office under the site code PHGCC/EV/18. Arrangement will be made so that the full archive will be deposited for permanent storage using a predetermined Accession Number (PLE18), in accordance with their guidelines set out in *Procedure for the Deposition of Archaeological Archives* (June 2015).

#### 10 ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- 10.1.1 SWAT would like to thank Skillcrown Homes Limited, for commissioning the project. Thanks are also extended to Mark Stevenson of GLAAS for his advice and assistance.
- 10.1.2 Tim Allen (MCIfA) supervised the archaeological fieldwork; illustrations were produced by Bartek Cichy. David Britchfield (MCIfA) produced the draft text for this report, which was edited by Dr. Paul Wilkinson (MCIfA).

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#### 12 APPENDIX 1 – OASIS DATA

#### OASIS ID: swatarch2-330656

**Project details** 

Project name Land at the Former Phoebes Garden Centre, Catford

Short description of the project Archaeological Evaluation

Project dates Start: 28-08-2018 End: 05-09-2018

Previous/future work No / No

Any associated project

reference codes

PLE18 - Museum accession ID

Any associated project

reference codes

DC/17/102292 - Planning Application No.

Type of project Field evaluation

Site status None

Current Land use Industry and Commerce 1 - Industrial

**Project location** 

Country England

Site location GREATER LONDON LEWISHAM CATFORD Land at The Former Phoebes

Garden Centre, Catford

Postcode SE6 2LQ

Study area 3534 Square metres

Site coordinates TQ 537753 173236 50.93425513753 0.188710155815 50 56 03 N 000

11 19 E Point

Lat/Long Datum Unknown

Height OD / Depth Min: 18.6m Max: 19.2m

**Project creators** 

Name of Organisation SWAT Archaeology

Project brief originator English Heritage/Department of Environment

Project design originator SWAT Archaeology
Project director/manager Dr Paul Wilkinson

Project supervisor Tim Allen

Type of sponsor/funding body Developer

**Project archives** 

Physical Archive Exists? No

Digital Archive recipient SWAT archive

Paper Archive recipient TBC

Paper Media available "Report"

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## 13 APPENDIX 2 – TRENCH TABLES

Trench 1	Dimensions: 2.6	5m by 20m	Depth: 0.45m	Trench alignmen	t: ENE - WS	SW
	Ground level at	Ground level at ENE end: 19.2m aOD Ground level at WSW end: 19.01m aOD				
Context	Туре	Description			Depth	Av. Height
number						aOD
101	Topsoil	Firm compact	ion, dark brown sand	ly silt with occ.	0.0-0.2	19.1-18.9m
		stones and pla	astic water hose buri	ed.		
102	Natural	Firm compact	ion, light orangish br	own sandy silt	0.2+	18.9m

Trench 2	Dimensions: 2.6m by 20m Depth: 0.15m Trench alignment: E - W			
	Ground level at	ENE end: 18.9m aOD Ground level at WSW end	l: 19.01m a	OD
Context	Туре	Description	Depth	Av. Height
number				aOD
201	Trample layer	Firm compaction, light yellowish brown, brickearth	0.0-0.08	18.9-18.8m
	- natural	with patches of dark brown soil, occ. stones and		
	affected by	fragments of concrete.		
	modern			
202	Natural	Firm compaction, light orangish brown, sandy	0.08+	18.8m
		gravel with outcrop of mid reddish-brown clay with		
		gravel		
[203]	Cut of modern	Rectangular in plan, modern pit with vertical sides.	0.08+	18.8m
	pit - soakaway	Un excavated feature.		
204	Fill of [203]	Firm compaction, light yellowish-brown gravel	0.08+	18.8m

Trench 3		Dimensions: 2.6m by 20m Depth: 0.4m Trench alignment: E - W Ground level at E end: 18.7m Ground level at W end: 18.83m				
Context number	Туре	Description	Depth	Av. Height aOD		
301	Trample layer - natural affected by modern	Firm compaction, light yellowish brown, brickearth with patches of dark brown soil, occ. stones and fragments of concrete.	0.0-0.1	18.8-18.7m		
302	Natural	Firm compaction, light orangish brown, brick-earth with occ. stones	0.1-0.4+	18.7-18.4m		
303	Natural	Firm compaction, light orangish brown gravel with outcrop of mid reddish brown clay with gravel	0.1-0.4+	18.7-18.4m		

Trench 4	Dimensions: 2.6	,		
	Ground level at	N end: 18.95m aOD Ground level at S end: 1	8.86m aOD	
Context	Туре	Description	Depth	Av. Height
number				aOD
401	Trample layer - natural affected by modern	Firm compaction, light yellowish brown, brickearth with patches of dark brown soil, occ. stones and fragments of concrete.	0.0-0.1	18.9-18.8m
402	Natural	Firm compaction, light orangish brown sandy silt with occ. stones	0.1-0.3+	18.8-18.6m

Trench 5	Dimensions: 2.6	5m by 20m	Depth: 0.5m	Trench alignment:	E - W	
	Ground level at	E end: 18.71r	n aOD Grou	ind level at W end: 18.	61m aOD	
Context	Туре	Description			Depth	Av. Height
number						aOD
501	Trample layer - natural affected by modern	with patches		h brown, brickearth , moderate. stones	0.0-0.1	18.7-18.6m
502	Natural	•	ction, light orangish of yellow sand	brown sandy gravel	0.1-0.5+	18.6-18.2m

Trench 6	Dimensions: 2.6m by 20m Depth: 0.5-1m Trench alignment: E - W				
	Ground level at	W end: 18.75m aOD Ground level at E end: 18	.9m aOD		
Context	Type	Description	Depth	Av. Height	
number				aOD	
601	Trample layer	Firm compaction, light yellowish brown, brickearth	0.0-0.1	18.8-18.7m	
	- natural	with patches of dark brown soil, occ. stones and			
	affected by	fragments of concrete.			
	modern				
602	Natural	Firm compaction, light orangish brown gravels	0.1-1+	18.7-17.7m	
		lenses of yellow sand. Large outcrop of light			
		yellowish-brown sand exposed in E part of the			
		trench.			
603	Cut of	N-S aligned linear trench with steep sides. Base not	0.1-0.5+	18.7-18.3m	
	modern	exposed.			
	service trench				
604	Fill of [603]	Firm compaction, mid brown brick-earth with	0.1-0.5+	18.7-18.3m	
		occasional stones and brown drain pipe at the			
		bottom of the context			

Trench 7		ns: 2.6m by 20m Depth: 0.5m Trench alignment: WNW-ESE vel at WNW end: 18.95m aOD Ground level at ESE end: 19.04m aOD				
Context number	Туре	Description	Depth	Av. Height aOD		
701	Topsoil	Firm compaction, dark brown sandy silt with occ. stones	0.0-0.1	19.0-18.9m		
702	Trample layer - natural affected by modern	Firm compaction, light yellowish-brown gravel with patches of dark brown soil, occ. stones and fragments of concrete.	0.1-0.5	18.9-18.5m		
703	Natural	Firm compaction, mid brown, brick-earth with freq. stones and lenses of yellow sand	0.5+	18.5m		

Trench 8	Dimensions: 2.	6m by 20m Depth: 0.5m Trench alignment	: NE-SW	
	Ground level a	t NE end: 18.8m Ground level at SW end: 18.85	n	
Context	Туре	Description	Depth	Av. Height
number				aOD
801	Modern levelling deposit	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, silt clay with occ. stones and fragments of concrete.	0.0-0.5	18.8-18.3m
802	Natural	Firm compaction, mid orange brown sandy gravel with occ. lenses of yellow sand	0.5+	18.3m



Plate 1 General view of Site, viewed from the east



Plate 2 The northeast area of the site after the removal of the concrete hard standing



Plate 3 North-eastern are of the site following removal of hardstanding



Plate 4 Trench 1, viewed from the northeast



Plate 5 Trench 2, viewed from the east



Plate 6 Trench 2, modern cut [203]



Plate 7 Trench 3, viewed from the east



Plate 8 Trench 5, viewed from the northeast



Plate 9 Trench 6, viewed from the east



Plate 10 Trench 7, viewed from the northwest



Plate 11 Trench 8, viewed from the northeast



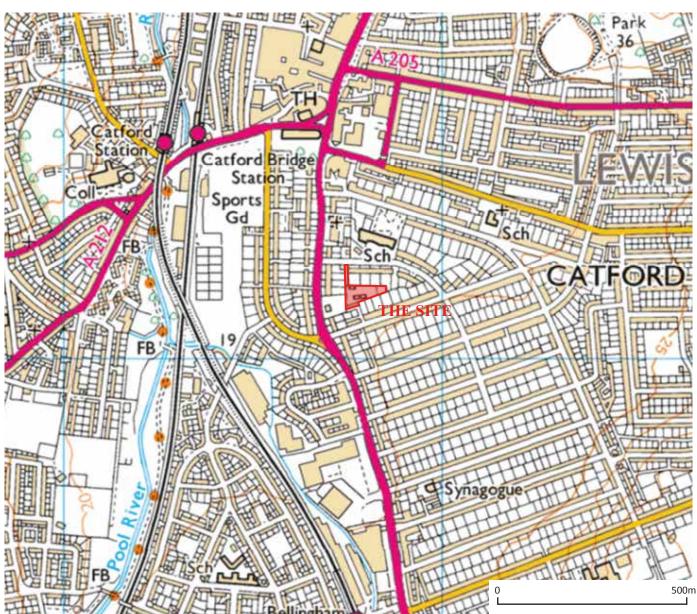


Figure 1: Site location



Figure 2: Trench location superimposed on site survey plan prior demolition, scale 1:1000

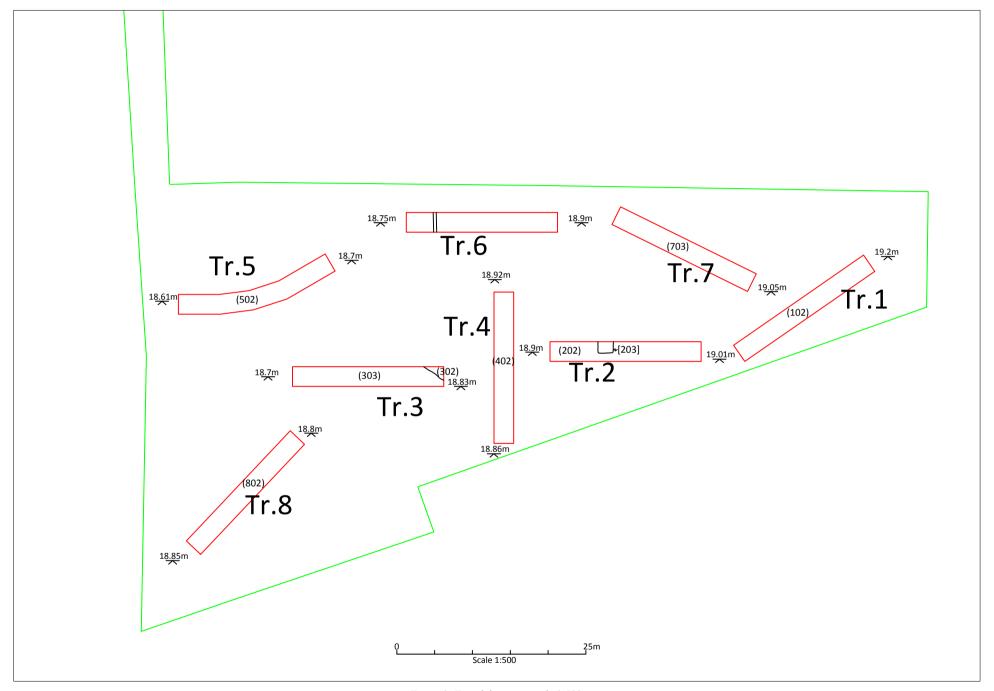


Figure 3: Trench location, scale 1:500

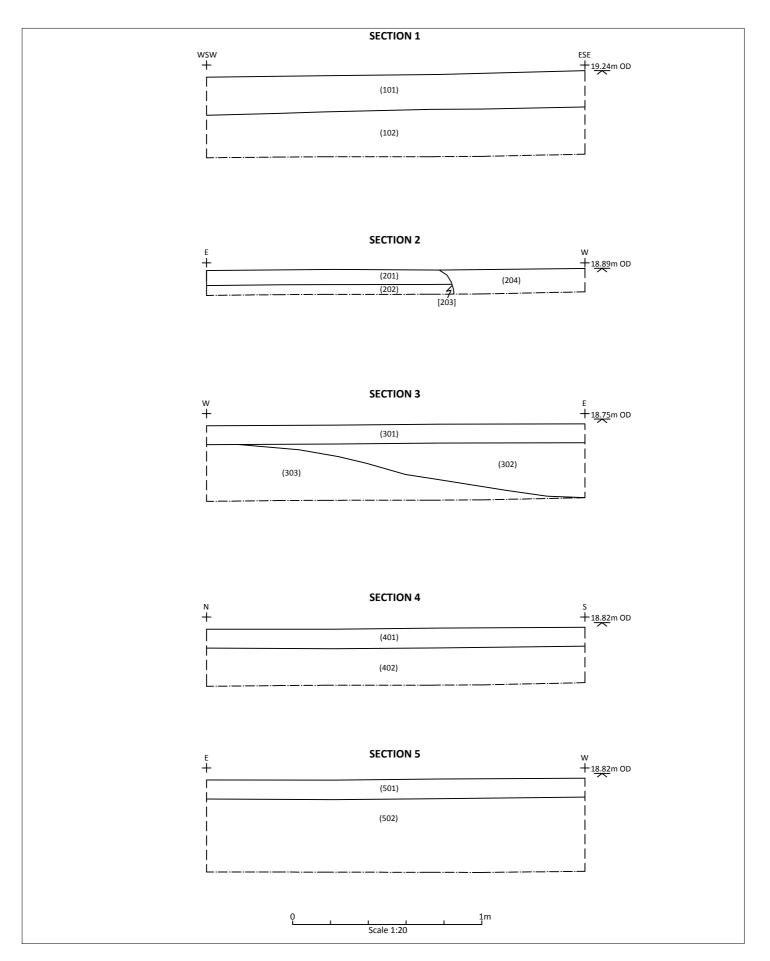


Figure 4: Sections of Trench 1-5

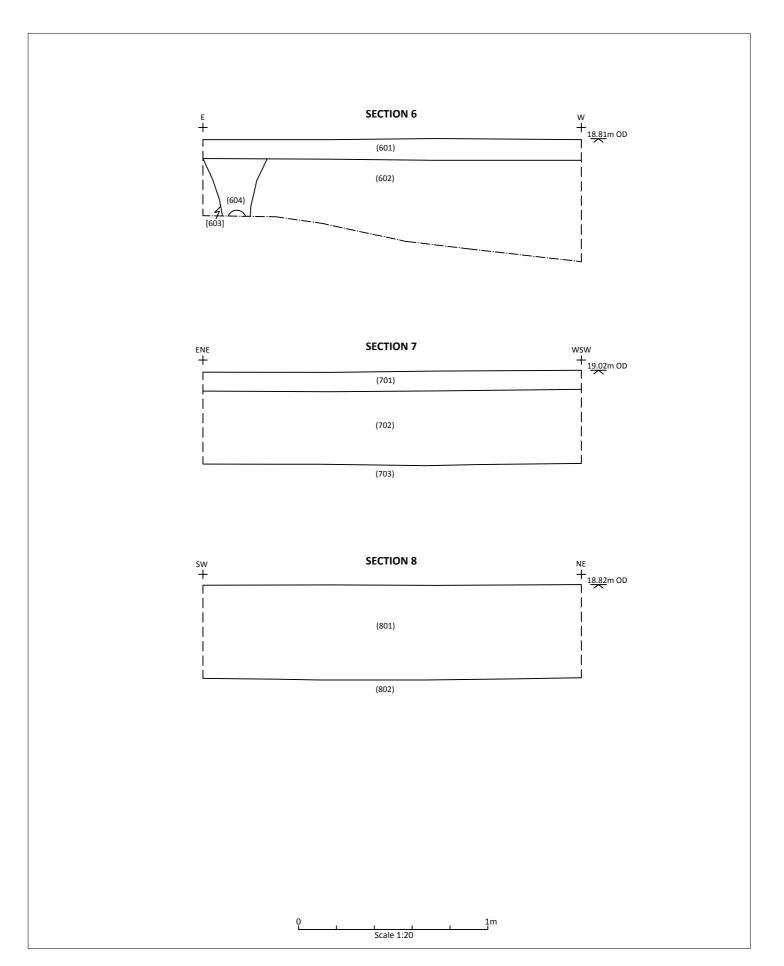


Figure 5: Sections of Trench 6-8