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Summary

Swale & Thames Survey Company (SWAT Archaeology) was commissioned to undertake an archaeological evaluation on land to the south of Hanworth Lane, Chertsey, Surrey. The archaeological works were monitored by the Surrey County Council Archaeological Officer.

The fieldwork was carried out in August 2019 in accordance with an archaeological specification (SWAT Archaeology 6^{th} March 2019) submitted to the Local Planning Authority prior to commencement of works.

The Archaeological Evaluation consisted of 28 trenches, which encountered a relatively common stratigraphic sequence comprising topsoil and subsoil overlying natural geology with no meaningful archaeological features.

1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Background

- 1.1.1 Swale & Thames Survey Company (SWAT Archaeology) was commissioned to undertake an archaeological evaluation on land to the south of Hanworth Lane, Chertsey in Surrey (Figure 2).
- 1.1.2 In mitigation of the potential impact that the development may have on the buried archaeological resource Runnymede Borough Council requested that a programme of archaeological works be undertaken to satisfy the recommended condition of the planning permission RU.18/1280.
- 1.1.3 The archaeological evaluation was carried out in August 2019 in accordance with an archaeological specification prepared by SWAT Archaeology prior to commencement of works, and in discussion with the Archaeological Officer advising Runnymede Borough Council.

1.1 4 Site Description and Topography

The application site has remained open fields throughout its documented history and the eastern end was laid out as a sports field during the later 20th century. Modern mapping the course of the River Bourne flows from west to east to the north of the site and the course of the River Thames meanders eastwards to the north east of the site. The site as shown on the British Geological Survey Sheet 269 (Windsor 1999) comprise deposits of Kempton Park Gravels and geotechnical data indicated 0.2m of topsoil above deposits of Kempton Park Gravels and silts of the Bagshot Formation, The majority of the site is level at 12.9-13.40m AOD.

ARCHAEOLOGICAL AND HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

1.2 Introduction

Details of previous discoveries and investigations within the immediate and wider area may be found in the CgMs Heritage Desk Based Assessment and have been summarised in the Specification produced by SWAT Archaeology (March 2019).

AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

1.3 Specific Aims (SWAT 2019)

1.3.1 The specific aims of the archaeological fieldwork are set out in the Specification (SWAT 2019) were to:

1.4 The present specification seeks to provide a programme and methodology for undertaking the initial evaluation followed setting out the objectives, the standards to be attained and the format for reporting through to publication. The archaeological works are being undertaken to assess the potential impact of the proposed development on any buried archaeological features and deposits that may be present within the proposed development area (PDA) and what additional (if any) mitigation measures that may be necessary.

1.5 General Aims

- 1.5.1 The general aims of the archaeological fieldwork were 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;
 - 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;
 - 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.

2 METHODOLOGY

2.1 Introduction

2.1.1 All fieldwork was conducted in accordance with the methodology set out in the Specification (SWAT 2019) and carried out in compliance with the standards outlined in the Chartered Institute for Archaeologists' Standards Guidance for Archaeological Evaluations (CIFA 2017).

2.2 Fieldwork

- 2.2.1 A total of 28 evaluation trenches were excavated across the site (Figures 1, 2.3).
- 2.2.2 Each trench 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 natural or archaeological horizon, under the constant supervision of an experienced archaeologist.
- 2.2.3 Where appropriate, trenches, or specific areas of trenches, were subsequently hand-cleaned 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 KCC and CIfA 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.

2.3 Recording

- 2.3.1 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. These are retained in the site project archive.
- 2.3.2 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 site project archive.
- 2.3.3 A single context recording system was used to record the deposits. A full list is presented in Appendix 1. Layers and fills are identified in this report thus (100), whilst the cut of the feature is shown [100]. Context numbers were assigned to all deposits for recording purposes. Each number has been attributed to a specific trench with the primary number(s) relating to specific trenches (i.e. Trench 1, 101+, Trench 2, 201+, Trench 3, 301+ etc.).

3 RESULTS

3.1 Introduction

3.1.1 A total of 28 evaluation trenches were mechanically excavated under archaeological supervision.

3.2 Stratigraphic Deposit Sequence

- 3.2.1 A relatively consistent stratigraphic sequence was recorded across the majority of the Site comprising topsoil sealing an intact subsoil of mid brown light grey silty clay (Plates 1-65).
- 3.2.2 Appendix 1 provides the stratigraphic sequence for all trenches. Figures 1-6 provide a site plan and trench location plan while Plates 1-65 include selected site photographs.

3.3 Overview

3.3.1 The 28 trenches were located across the site to ensure full coverage of potential archaeological remains.

4 FINDS

6.1 No finds of any archaeological merit were recovered from the archaeological evaluation.

5 Discussion

5.1 Archaeological Narrative

5.1.1 No archaeological features were exposed in any of the trenches.

5.2 Conclusions

- 5.2.1 The archaeological evaluation has been successful in fulfilling the primary aims and objectives of the Specification. Development proposals are not likely to impact on archaeological remains.
- 5.2.2 This evaluation has, therefore, assessed the archaeological potential of land intended for development. The results from this work show that the proposed development is not likely to impact on any archaeological remains.

6 ARCHIVE

6.1 General

- 6.1.1 The Site Archive, which will include; paper records, photographic records, graphics and digital data, will be prepared following nationally recommended guidelines (SMA 1995; CIfA 2014; Brown 2011; ADS 2013).
- 6.1.2 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 and will be retained by SWAT Archaeology until a Kent museum archive procedure is in place.

7 ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

- 7.1.1 SWAT would like to thank the developer for commissioning the project. Thanks are also extended to the Archaeological Officer Runnymede Borough Council, for his advice and assistance.
- 7.1.2 Peter Cichy supervised the archaeological evaluation and survey and illustrations were produced by Bartek Cichy. Paul Wilkinson MCIfA produced the text for this report.

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Appendix 1. Trench Narrative

Trench 1

(Figs 3 and 5)(Plates 1-3)

Trench 1 was placed in south-eastern part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 15metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.49metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (103) comprising mid brown mottled with light grey silty clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological features or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Geological test-pit (Plate 3) was dug at its NNE end to the depth of 0.95metre and exposed natural alluvial geology comprising light brownish grey silty-clay with frequent iron pan and gravel (context 104)

Trench2

(Figs 3 and 6)(Plates 4-7)

Trench 2 was placed in the eastern part of the site in NW-SE alignment and measured 23.5metre long by 1.8metre wide and 0.49metre in depth. Trench exposed natural geology comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning, infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

Trench exposed small modern circular pit [205] (Plate 5) 0.4metre in diameter and 0.13metre in depth. Feature was back-filled with light-grey silty-clay with moderate modern brick fragments and coal fragments.

Less than a metre to the north-west a narrow field ditch [207] (Plate 6) was exposed and investigated. Feature had moderately to shallow sloping sides and nearly flat base and measured 0.68metre wide and 0.25metre in depth. It was back-filled with context (206) comprising, light brownish grey silty-clay with frequent iron stone and occasional modern brick fragments.

Further to the north-west sub-oval pit [209] was exposed in NE-SW alignment. Feature had shallow sides and concave base and measured 0.7metre long by 0.47metre wide and 0.15metre in depth. It was back-filled with mid grey orange-brown, silty-clay with infrequent iron panning and modern brick fragments.

A modern land drain [210] housing red earthenware pipe was also exposed in this trench.

Trench 3

(Fig 3)(Plates 8-9)

Trench 3 was placed in south-eastern part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.49metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (303) comprising mid brown mottled with light grey silty-clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological features or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 4

(Figs 3 and 7)(Plates 10-11)

Trench 4 was placed in south-eastern part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (403) comprising mid brown silty-clay mottled with light grey silty-clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

A WNW-ESE aligned ditch [404] (Plate 11) was exposed here with moderate sides and narrow concave base. Feature was 0.8m wide and 0.23m deep. Its back-fill consisted of single context (405) comprising mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown silty-clay with occasional small sub angular flint, iron stone and brick fragments.

(Figs 3 and 8)(Plates 12-13)

Trench 5 was placed in the eastern part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (503) comprising mid orange-brown clay-silt mottled with mid grey, clayey-silt with moderate iron panning, infrequent ironstone, flint and pebbles.

Trench has exposed NNE-SSW aligned ditch [504] (Plate 13) in its NW part with moderate sides and narrow concave base. Feature measured 0.55m wide and 0.2m deep and was back-filled with single context (505) comprising mid grey silty-clay mottled with mid orange-brown silty-clay with infrequent small sub angular flint, iron stone and modern brick fragments. Two small Victorian potsherds were retrieved during the investigation.

Trench 6

(Figs 3)(Plates 14-15)

Trench 6 was placed in southern part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (603) comprising mid brown silty-clay mottled with light grey-silty clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench has exposed modern land-drain [404] housing red earthenware pipe.

Trench 7

(Figs 3 and 9)(Plates 16-17)

Trench 7 was placed in southern part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.48metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (703) comprising mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Two geological features [705] and [707] were exposed in the middle part of the Trench and a modern land-drain housing red earthenware pipe was unveiled in its north-western end.

(Fig 3)(Plates 18-19)

Trench 8 was placed in southern part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.28metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (803) comprising mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

Trench has exposed geological feature [805] in form of linear-appearing lenses of grey silty-clay and modern land-drain [806] housing earthenware pipe was also revealed here.

Trench 9

(Figs 3)(Plates 20-21)

Trench 9 was placed in southern part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.42metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (903) comprising mid brown silty-clay mottled with light grey silty-clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 10

(Fig 3)(Plates 22-23)

Trench 10 was placed in south-western part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 24metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.4metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1003) comprising mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench has exposed modern rectangular machine cut [1004] (Plate 23) with near vertical sides and NE-SW aligned sub-oval geological feature [1006] with moderate sides and uneven slightly concave base. Feature measured 0.3metre wide by 0.7metre long and 0.12m deep.

Two modern land-drains housing earthenware pipes [1008] and [1009] were also exposed in this trench.

(Fig 3)(Plates 24-25)

Trench 11 was placed in south-western part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.52metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1103) comprising mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench has exposed modern NNE-SSW aligned field drain [1104] with earthen ware pipe.

Trench 12

(Fig 3)(Plates 26-27)

Trench 12 was placed in western part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1203) comprising mid brown silty-clay mottled with light grey silty-clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 13

(Figs 3 and 10)(Plates 28-30)

Trench 13 was placed in central part of the site in WNW-ESE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1303) comprising mid brown silty-clay mottled with light grey silty-clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

Three north-south aligned linear features were exposed here. Starting from south-east end of the Trench first field ditch [1305] was north-east; south-west aligned linear cut with moderately-stepped sloping sides and slightly concave base. It measured 0.79metre wide and 0.22metre in depth and was filled-in by single context (1304) comprising dark brown-grey clayey-silt with infrequent flint pebble, ironstone and brick fragments. Fill produced one 19th C potsherd.

Five metres to the north-west another parallel field ditch [1309] had moderately sloping sides and concave base. It measured 0.88metre wide by 0.28metre and its back-fill sequence consisted of two deposits. Stratigraphically lower context (1308) was mid-grey clayey-silt with infrequent small angular stones and iron panning. It measured 0.62metre wide and 0.13metre in depth and was capped by context (1310) comprising mid brown-grey clayey-silt with frequent iron panning and occasional angular stones and brick fragments. It measured 0.76metre wide and 0.19metre in depth.

Further less than three metre to the north-west another parallel field ditch [1307] was revealed and investigated. Feature had moderately sloping sides, flat base and measured 0.78metre wide and 0.28metre in depth. Its back-fill context (1306) comprised mid brown-grey clayey-silt with infrequent small stones, iron panning and brick fragments.

A trapezoidal modern pit [1311] was also exposed in north-western part of this trench. It measured 0.34metre by 0.5metre and was back-filled with mixture of top-soil and natural clay.

Trench 14

(Fig 3)(Plates 31-32)

Trench 14 was placed in central part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1403) comprising mid brown silty-clay mottled with light grey silty-clay with infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Two modern land-drains housing red earthenware pipes were exposed here.

Trench 15

(Fig 3)(Plates 33-34)

Trench 15 was placed in central part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.38metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1503) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cuts or deposits were exposed in this trench.

(Fig 3)(Plates 35-37)

Trench 16 was placed in south-western part of the site in NE-SW alignment and measured 20metres long by

1.8metre wide and 0.46metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1603) comprising mid orange-

brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

A shallow ditch [1605] was exposed in south-western end of this trench. Feature had shallow sloping sides

and slightly concave base and measured 0.6 metre wide by 0.14metre in depth. Its back-fill context (1604)

comprised mid brown-grey silty-clay with moderate iron panning, infrequent angular stone and brick

fragments. One single 19th century potsherd was retrieved from this fill.

A modern land-drain [1606] housing red earthenware pipe was exposed in north-eastern end of this trench.

Trench 17

(Fig 3)(Plates 38-39)

Trench 17 was placed in north-western part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 20metres long

by 1.8metre wide and 0.38metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1703) comprising mid

yellow-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 18

(Fig 3)(Plates 40-41)

Trench 18 was placed in north-western part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long

by 1.8metre wide and 0.39metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1803) comprising mid

yellow-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 19

(Fig 3)(Plates 42-43)

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Trench 19 was placed in north-western part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.32metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (1903) comprising mid yellow-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 20

(Fig 3)(Plates 44-45)

Trench 20 was placed in north-western part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.28metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2003) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

A modern land-drain [2004] housing red earthenware pipe was exposed at south-west-south end of this trench.

Trench 21

(Fig 3)(Plates 46-47)

Trench 21 was placed in north-western part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.32metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2103) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 22

(Fig 3 and 5)(Plates 48-49)

Trench 22 was placed in western part of the site in WNW-ESE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.33metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2203) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

(Fig 3)(Plates 50-51)

Trench 23 was placed in western part of the site in WNW-ESE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.28metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2303) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 24

(Fig 3)(Plates 52-53)

Trench 24 was placed in north-central part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.28metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2403) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 25

(Fig 3)(Plates 54-55)

Trench 25 was placed in north-central part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 25metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.32metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2503) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 26

(Fig 3)(Plates 56-57)

Trench 26 was placed in north-eastern part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 23.2metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.31metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2603) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 27

(Fig 3)(Plates 58-59)

Trench 27 was placed in north-eastern part of the site in NNW-SSE alignment and measured 24metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.32metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2703) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench 28

(Fig 3)(Plates 60-61)

Trench 28 was placed in north-eastern part of the site in NNE-SSW alignment and measured 20.4metres long by 1.8metre wide and 0.35metre deep. Trench exposed natural geology context (2803) comprising mid orange-brown silty-clay with moderate iron panning and flint pebbles.

No archaeological cut or deposits were exposed in this trench.

Trench Table

Trench 1	Dimensions: 15m x 1.8m Depth: 0.49m Trench alignment: NE-SW Ground level at NE end: 12.82m OD Ground level at SW end: 12.56m OD 0.95m deep test pit excavated at NNE end		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
101	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brown silty clay with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.23
102	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone.	0.23-0.49
103	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid brown mottled with light grey, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.49-0.95
104	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, light brownish grey, silty clay with freq. iron panning and gravel (flint pebble – average size 4cm, sub angular flint- average size 3cm, sub angular sandstone- average size 4cm, max size 10cm)	0.95+

Trench 2	Dimensions: 23.5m x 1.8m Depth: 0.49m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at WNW end: 12.95m OD Ground level at ESE end: 12.83m OD				
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)		
201	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brown silty clay	0-0.14		

202	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone.	0.14-0.45
203	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown mottled with light grey, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.45+
204	Fill of pit [205]	Firm compaction, light grey occ. mottled with mid orange brown, silty clay with moderate brick fragment, coal fragments and roots	0.45-0.58
[205]	Cut of modern pit	Circular shape in plan, moderate sides and flat base. Feature measured 0.4m in diameter and was 0.13m deep. Feature was visible throughout subsoil.	0.45-0.58
206	Fill of gully [207]	Firm compaction, light brownish grey silty clay with freq. iron stone At the bottom light grey silty clay.	0.2-0.55
[207]	Cut of modern ditch/ gully	Linear shape in plan, NE-SW aligned gully with shallow sides and almost flat base.	0.2-0.55
208	Fill of pit [209]	Firm compaction, mid grey occ. mottled with orangish brown, silty clay with occ. iron panning and modern brick fragments	0.3-0.6
[209]	Cut of pit	Half oval exposed in plan, NE-SW aligned pit with shallow sides and concave base. Feature was 0.7m wide, 0.47m long and 0.15m deep	0.14-0.6
[210]	Land drain	N-S aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.2-0.45+

Trench 3	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.49m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at WNW end: 12.91m OD Ground level at ESE end: 12.93m OD			
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)	
301	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brown silty clay with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.23	
302	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown mottled with light grey, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone.	0.23-0.49	
303	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, light grey mottled with orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.49+	

Trench 4	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.4m Trench alignment: NE-SW Ground level at NE end: 13.02m OD Ground level at SW end: 12.98m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
401	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.22
402	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint	0.22-0.35
403	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown mottled with mid grey, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.35+
[404]	Cut of ditch	Linear shape in plan, WNW-ESE aligned ditch with moderate sides and narrow concave base. Feature was 0.8m wide and 0.23m deep.	0.35-0.57
405	Fill of ditch [404]	Mid compaction, mid grey occ. mottled with mid orangish brown, occ. small sub angular flint, iron stone and brick fragment	0.35-0.57

Trench 5		Depth: 0.49m Trench alignment: NW-SE .3.05m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.06m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
501	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.2
502	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint	0.2-0.42
503	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown mottled with mid grey, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.42+
[504]	Cut of gully/ field ditch	Linear shape in plan, NNE-SSW aligned ditch with moderate sides and narrow concave base. Feature was 0.55m wide and 0.2m deep.	0.42-0.6
505	Fill of gully [404]	Mid compaction, mid grey occ. mottled with mid orangish brown, occ. small sub angular flint, iron stone and brick fragment. Victorian potsherds were retrieved from this context.	0.42-0.6

Trench 6		Depth: 0.37m Trench alignment: NE-SW 13.02m OD Ground level at SW end: 12.92m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
601	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.15
602	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.15-0.35
603	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid grey mottled with orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.35+
[604]	Land drain	WNW-ESE aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.35+

Trench 7	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.49m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.05m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.06m OD			
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)	
701	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.2	
702	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.2-0.28	
703	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid grey mottled with orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.28+	
704	Fill of [705]	Firm compaction, mid grey clay with occ. iron panning. Linear lens within (703)	0.42-0.6	
[705]	Geological feature	NE-SW aligned linear, excavated section had moderate sides and flat base.		
706	Fill of [707]	Firm compaction, mid grey clay with occ. iron panning. Oval lens within (703)	0.31-0.6	
[707]	Geological feature	NE-SW aligned SW-terminus; excavated section had moderate sides and flat base.		
[708]	Land drain	WNW-ESE aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.28-0.49+	

Trench 8	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.55m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.62m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.54m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
801	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.17
802	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.17-0.25
803	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown, silty-clay with moderate iron panning infrequent ironstone and flint pebbles	0.25+
804	Fill of [805]	Firm compaction, mid grey clay with occ. iron panning. Linear lens within (803)	0.25-0.6
[805]	Geological feature	NE-SW aligned linear, excavated section had moderate-shallow sides and uneven slightly concave base.	0.25-0.6
[806]	Land drain	WSW-ENE aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.25-0.6

Trench 9	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.42m Trench alignment: NE-SW Ground level at NE end: 13.81m OD Ground level at SW end: 13.69m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
901	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.2
902	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.2-0.4
903	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid grey silty-clay mottled with orange-brown, silty-clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.4+

Trench 10	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.4m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.83m OD Ground level at SE end: 14.4m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1001	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.16
1002	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.16-0.25
1003	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid grey mottled with orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.25+
[1004]	Cut of modern pit	Part of rectangular shape in plan exposed, pit with near vertical sides	0.25-0.4+
1005	Backfill of modern pit	Firm compaction, mixed re-deposited natural clay (mostly mid orangish brown) and topsoil.	0.25-0.4+
[1006]	Geological feature	NE-SW aligned sub-oval shape in plan with moderate sides and concave base. Feature was 0.3m wide, 0.7m long and 0.12m deep.	0.25-0.5
1007	Fill of [1006]/ natural lens	Firm compaction, mid grey silty-clay mottled with brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.25-0.5
[1008]	Land drain	NNE-SSW aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.25-0.4+
[1009]	Land drain	WSW-ENE aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.25-0.4+

Trench 11	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.52m Trench alignment: NW-SE
	Ground level at NW end: 14.06m OD Ground level at SE end: 14.06m OD

Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1101	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.18
1102	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.18-0.48
1103	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid grey mottled with orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. ironstone and flint pebbles	0.48+
[1104]	Land drain	NNE-SSW aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.48-0.52+

Trench 12	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.35m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.86m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.72m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1201	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.23
1202	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.23-0.35
1203	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orange brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.35+

Trench 13		Depth: 0.35m Trench alignment: NW-SE 3.76m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.84m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1301	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.21
1302	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.21-0.3
1303	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orange brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.3+
1304	Fill of ditch [1305]	Firm compaction, dark brownish gray clayey silt with occ. flint pebble, freq. iron stone, occ. brick fragment and fragment op pottery (19 th C.)	0.3-0.6
[1305]	Cut of 19 th C. ditch	NE-SW aligned ditch with moderate sides and concave base. Feature was 0.79m wide and 0.22m deep.	0.3-0.6
1306	Fill of ditch [1307]	Firm compaction, mid gray clayey silt with occ. small stone, iron panning.	0.3-0.65
[1307]	Cut of early modern ditch	NE-SW aligned ditch with moderate sides and flat base. Feature was 0.8m wide and 0.27m deep.	0.3-0.65
1308	Primary fill of ditch [1309]	Firm compaction, mid gray clayey silt with occ. small stone, iron panning and brick fragments	0.55-0.8
[1309]	Cut of early modern ditch	Moderately sloping sides, concave base. Measured 0.88m wide and 0.28m deep.	0.3-0.8
1310	Secondary fill of ditch [1309]	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey clayey silt wit freq. iron panning and occ. stones	0.3-0.63
[1311]	Cut of modern pit	Trapezoidal shape in plan, un excavated pit measuring 0.34m by 0.5m	0.3+
1312	Backfill of pit [1311]	Firm compaction, mixed re deposited natural and top soil. Mid orange brown with grey and brown blotches, clayey silt with occ. Stones, brick fragments and glass shards.	0.3+

Trench 14		Depth: 0.35m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.49m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.47m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1401	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.11
1402	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brown, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.11-0.28
1403	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.28+
[1404]	Land drain	N-S aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.28+
[1405]	Land drain	N-S aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.28+

Trench 15	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.38m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.62m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.63m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1501	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.2
1502	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.2-0.36

1503	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and blotches of flint gravel (sub angular and pebbles, average size 40mm)	0.36+
Trench 16		Depth: 0.46m Trench alignment: ENE-WSW 4.12m OD Ground level at WSWE end: 14.18m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1601	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.3
1602	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.3-0.45
1603	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and blotches of flint gravel (sub angular and pebbles, average size 40mm)	0.45+
1604	Fill of ditch [1605]	Firm compaction, mid brownish grey, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. stone. 19th C. Pottery fragment was recovered.	0.4-0.55
[1605]	Cut of 19 th C. ditch	WNW-ESE aligned ditch with shallow sides and slightly concave base. Feature was 0.6m wide and 0.14m deep. Feature in close vicinity and parallel to present day boundary.	0.4-0.55
[1606]	Land drain	WSW-ENE aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.45+
Trench 17		Depth: 0.38m Trench alignment: NE-SW 1.39m OD Ground level at SW end: 14.7m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1701	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.16
1702	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.16-0.33
1703	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid yellowish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 40mm)	0.33+
Trench 18	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.39m Trench alignment: NE-SW Ground level at NE end: 13.82m OD Ground level at SW end: 14.02m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1801	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.28
1802	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.28-0.39
1803	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, silty clay with moderate iron panning and occ. of flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.39+
Trench 19		Depth: 0.3m Trench alignment: NW-SE 3.95m OD Ground level at SE end: 14.08m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
1901	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.14
1902	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron	0.14-0.26
1903	Natural layer/ alluvium	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 40mm)	0.26+
Trench 20		Depth: 0.28m Trench alignment: NE-SW 8.8m OD Ground level at SW end: 13.7m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
2001	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.19
2002	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.19-0.28
2003	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, loam with moderate iron panning and flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.28+
[2004]	Land drain	WNW-ESE aligned field drain with earthen ware pipe	0.28+
Trench 21		Depth: 0.33m Trench alignment: NW-SE 3.93m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.82m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
2101	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.23

	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.23-0.33
2103	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 40mm)	0.33+
Trench 22	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.32m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.52m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.98m OD		
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Context	Interpretation Topsoil	Description Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone.	Depth (m)
2201	·	Grass vegetation	0-0.13
2202	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, silty clay with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.13-0.32
2203	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown mottled with grey, clay with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size20mm)	0.32+
Trench 23		Depth: 0.28m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.52m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.98m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
2301	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.12
2302	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.12-0.28
2303	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.28+
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Trench 24	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Depth: 0.28m Trench alignment: NW-SE Ground level at NW end: 13.8m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.7m OD		
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
2401	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.19
2402	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble	0.19-0.27
2403	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, loam with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.27+
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Trench 25		Depth: 0.28m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.54m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.47m OD	
Context	Interpretation	Description	Depth (m)
2501	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.12
2502	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble and CBM fragments	
			0.12-0.28
2503	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.12-0.28
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	alluvium Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.31m Trench alignment: NW-SE	
Trench 26	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Ground level at NW end	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.31m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.2m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.17m OD	0.28+
Trench 26 Context	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Ground level at NW end Interpretation	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.31m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.2m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.17m OD Description Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone.	0.28+ Depth (m)
Trench 26 Context 2601	Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Ground level at NW end Interpretation Topsoil Subsoil / modern	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.31m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.2m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.17m OD Description Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron	0.28+ Depth (m) 0-0.11
Trench 26 Context 2601 2602	alluvium Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Ground level at NW end Interpretation Topsoil Subsoil / modern ploughed layer Natural layer/ alluvium Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.31m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.2m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.17m OD Description Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble and CBM fragments Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.36m Trench alignment: NW-SE	0.28+ Depth (m) 0-0.11 0.11-0.31
Trench 26 Context 2601 2602 2603 Trench 27	alluvium Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Ground level at NW end Interpretation Topsoil Subsoil / modern ploughed layer Natural layer/ alluvium Dimensions: 25m x 1.8m Ground level at NW end	panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.31m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.2m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.17m OD Description Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble and CBM fragments Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm) Depth: 0.36m Trench alignment: NW-SE 13.54m OD Ground level at SE end: 13.47m OD	0.28+ Depth (m) 0-0.11 0.11-0.31 0.31
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2801	Topsoil	Mid compaction, dark brownish grey, clayey silt with occ. stone. Grass vegetation	0-0.19
2802	Subsoil / modern ploughed layer	Firm compaction, dark greyish brown, clayey silt with freq. iron panning and occ. flint pebble and CBM fragments	0.19-0.31
2803	Natural layer/ alluvium	Firm compaction, mid orangish brown, clayey silt with moderate iron panning and occ. flint (sub angular and pebbles, average size 30mm)	0.31+

HER Summary Form

Site Name: Land to the south of Hanworth Lane, Chertsey, Surrey

SWAT Site Code: CHERT/EV/19

Site Address: As above

Summary:

Swale and Thames Survey Company (SWAT) carried out Archaeological Evaluation on the development site above. The site has a planning application for the construction of 158 new dwellings whereby Runnymede Borough Council requested that archaeological works be undertaken to determine the possible impact of the development on any archaeological remains.

The Archaeological Monitoring consisted of an Archaeological Evaluation which revealed no meaningful archaeology.

District/Unitary: Runnymede Borough Council

Period(s):

NGR (centre of site to eight figures) NGR 04131 65959

Type of Archaeological work: Archaeological Evaluation

Date of recording: August 2019

Unit undertaking recording: Swale and Thames Survey Company (SWAT. Archaeology)

Geology: Underlying geology is Bedrock Geology of Bagshot Formation

Title and author of accompanying report: Wilkinson P. (2019) Archaeological Evaluation of Land to the south of Hanworth Lane, Chertsey, Surrey

Summary of fieldwork results (begin with earliest period first, add NGRs where appropriate)

No archaeology found

Location of archive/finds: SWAT. Archaeology. Graveney Rd, Faversham, Kent. ME13 8UP

Contact at Unit: Paul Wilkinson

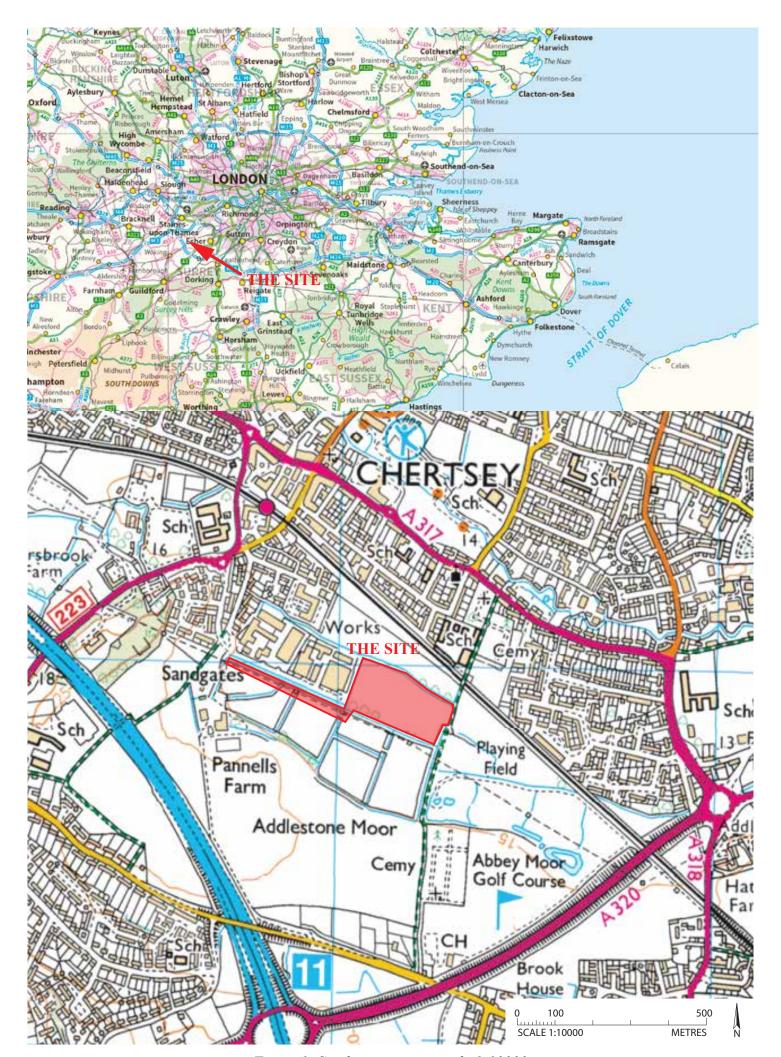


Figure 1: Site location map, scale 1:10000.



Figure 2: Evaluation trenches in relation to OS map, scale 1:2500

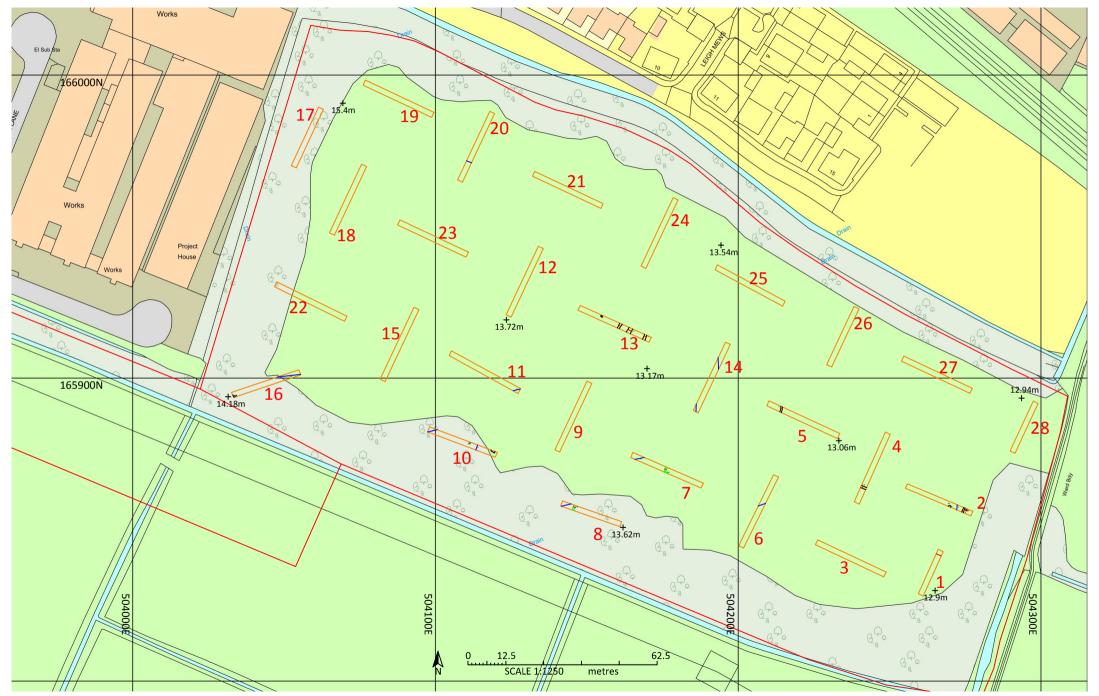
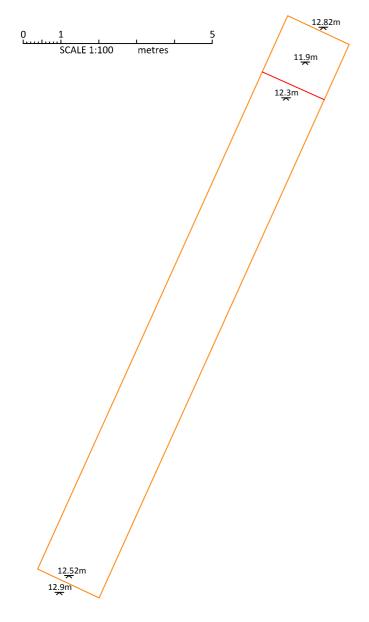


Figure 3: Evaluation trenches in relation to OS map, scale 1:1250



Figure 4: Evaluation trenches in relation to development, scale 1:1250



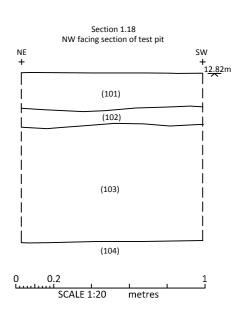


Figure 5: Trench 1 - plan and sections

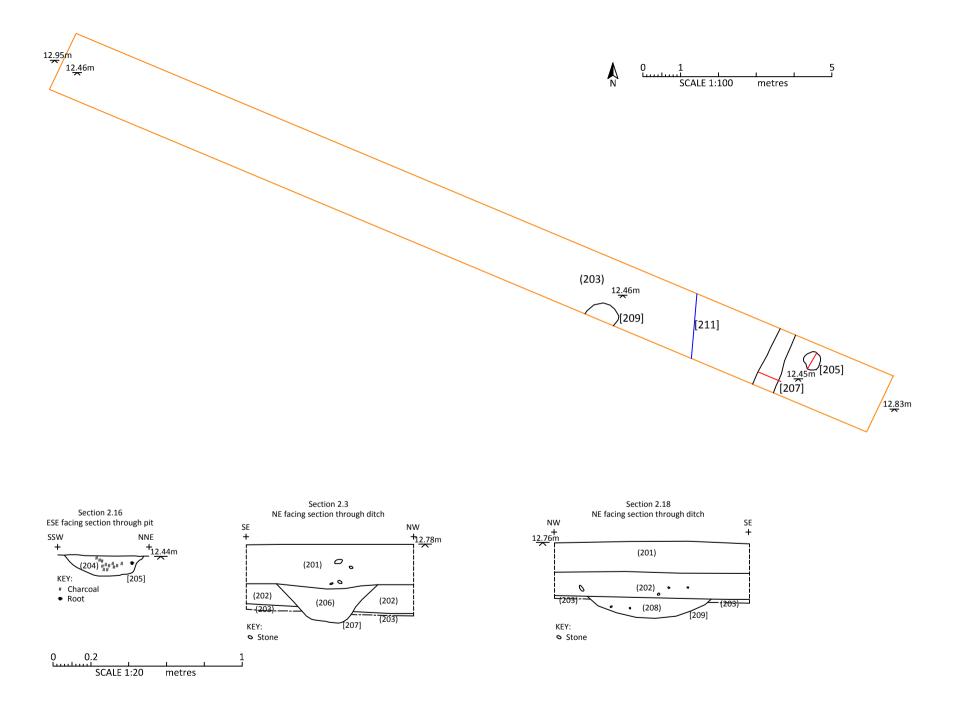


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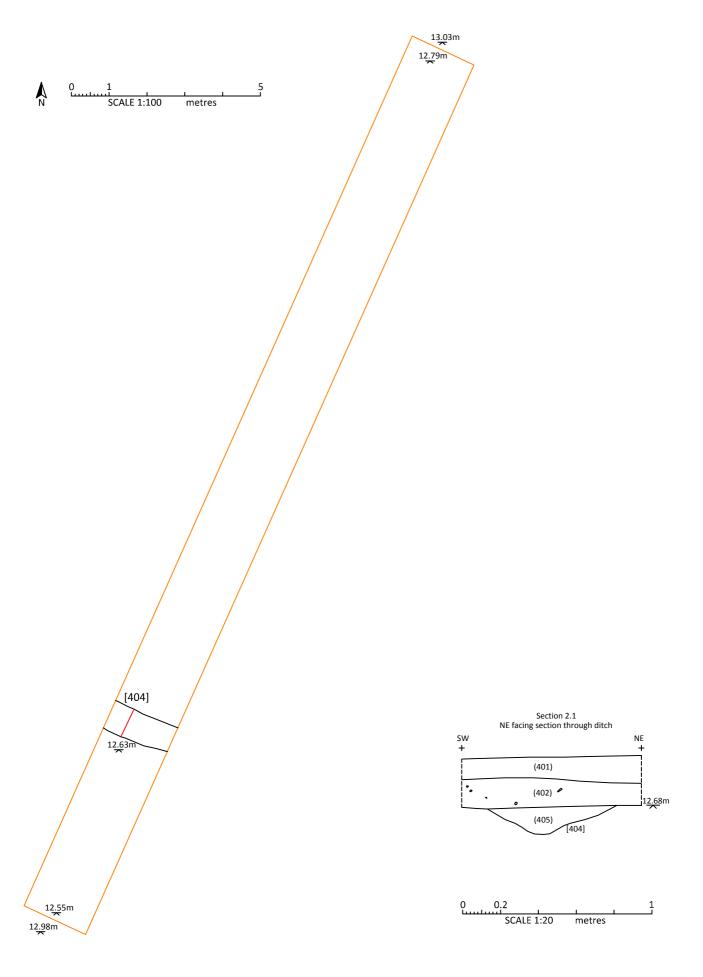
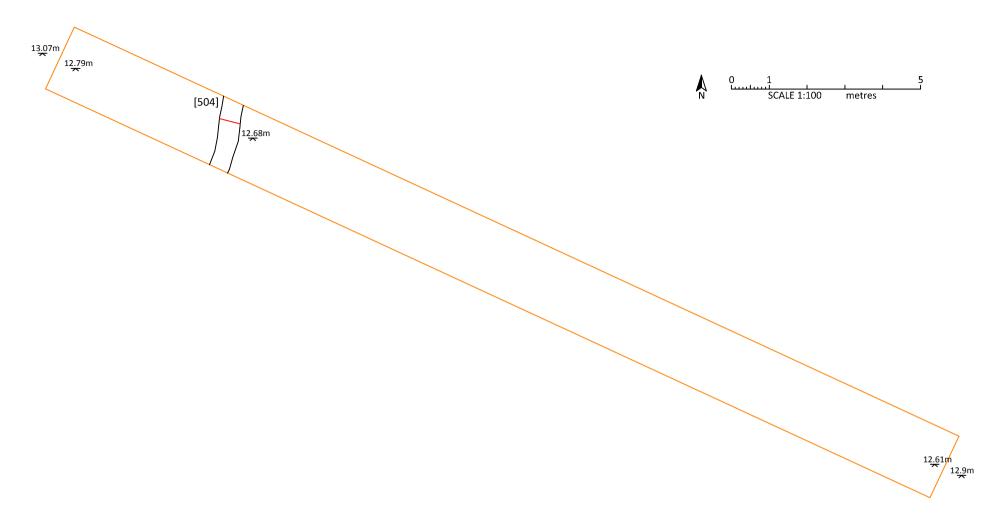


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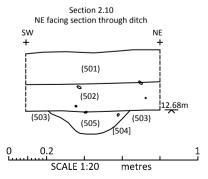


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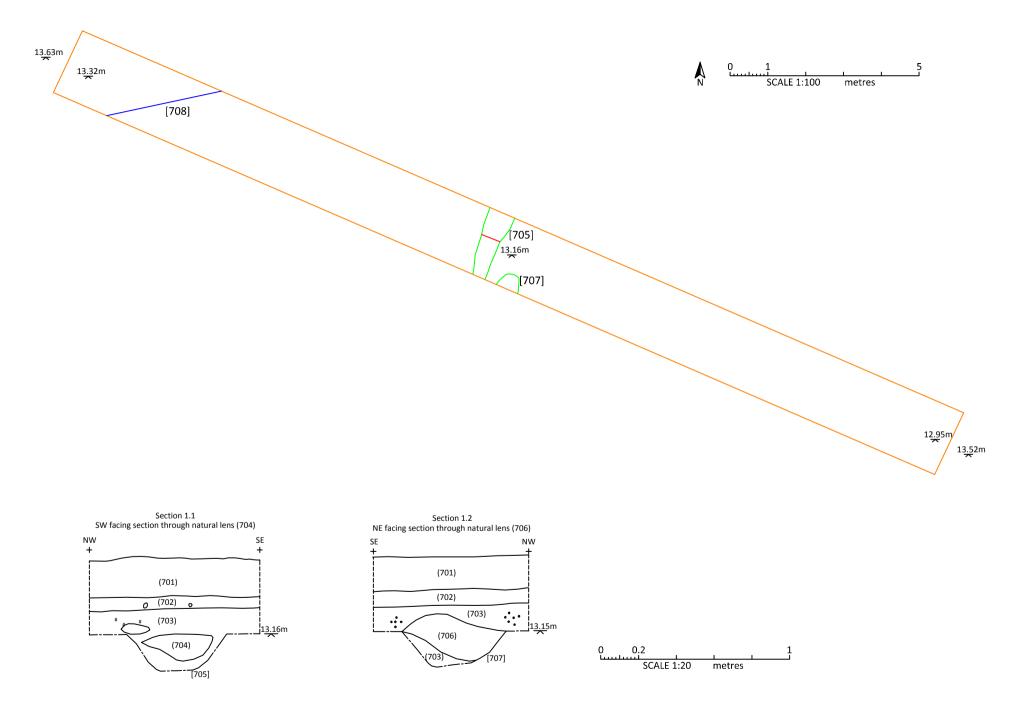


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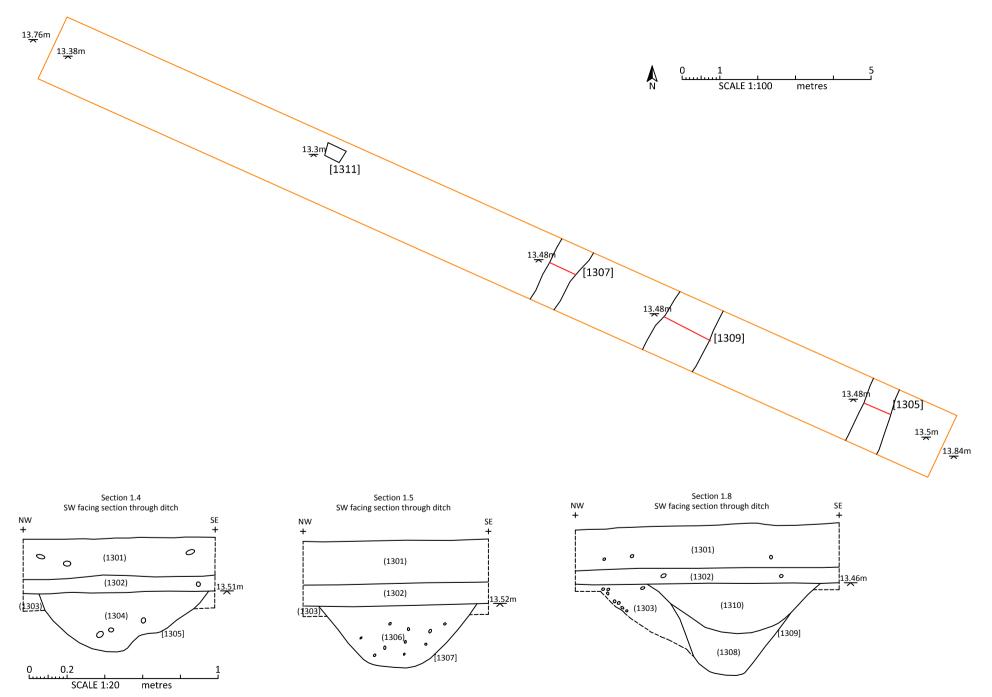


Figure 10: Trench 13 - plan and sections



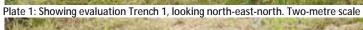




Plate 2: Showing representative section in Trench 1. One metre scale.





Plate 4: Showing evaluation Trench 2. Looking west-north-west, two metre scale



Plate 5: Showing half-sectioned pit [205] in Trench 2. Looking north-west, red and white segment on scale equals ten centimetres.



Plate6: Showing section through linear [207]. Looking south-east, one metre scale.



Plate 7: Showing half-sectioned Pit [209]. Looking south-west-south, one-metre scale.



Plate 8: Showing evaluation Trench 3. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale.





Plate 10: Showing evaluation Trench 4. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 11: Showing section through field ditch [404]. Looking west-north-west, one-metre scale.



Plate 12: Showing evaluation Trench 5. Looking east-south-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 13: Showing section through field ditch [504] in Trench 5. Looking north, one-metre scale.



Plate 14: Showing evaluation Trench 6. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 15: Showing representative section in Trench 6. Looking north-west, one-metre scale.



Plate 16: Showing evaluation Trench 7. Looking east-north-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 17. Showing geological feature [705] in trench 7. Looking south-west-south, one-metre scale.



Plate 18: Showing evaluation Trench 8. Looking east-south-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 19: Showing geological feature [805] in Trench 8. Looking north-east-north, one-metre scale.



Plate 20: Showing evaluation Trench 9. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 21: Showing representative section in Trench 9. Looking north-west, one-metre scale.



Plate 22: Showing evaluation Trench 10. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale. Modern machine cut visible in foreground.



Plate 23: Showing representative section in Trench 10. Looking north-east-north with one-metre scale



Plate 24: Showing evaluation Trench 11. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale.



Plate 25: Showing representative section in Trench 11. Looking south-west-south. Two-metre scale.



Plate 26: Showing Evaluation Trench 12. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 27: Showing representative section in Trench 12. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale.



Plate 28: Showing evaluation Trench 13. Looking west-north-west, one-metre scale.



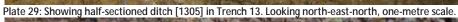




Plate 30: Showing half-sectioned ditch [1309] in Trench 13. Looking north-east-north, one-metre scale.



Plate 31: Showing evaluation Trench 14. Looking north-east-north.



Plate 32. Showing representative section in evaluation Trench 14. Looking west-north-west, red and white segments on scale equals fifty centimetres.

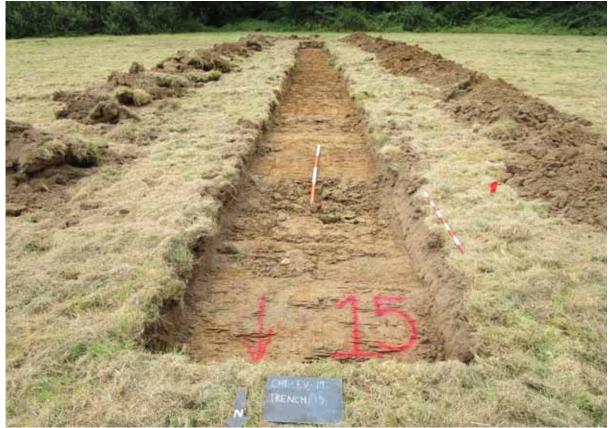


Plate 33: Showing Evaluation Trench 15. Looking south-east-south, two-metre scale.



 ${\bf Plate~34:~Showing~representative~section~in~Trench~15.~Looking~west-north-west,~one-metre~scale.}$



Plate 35: Showing evaluation Trench 16. Looking north-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 36. Showing representative section in Trench 16. Looking west, one-metre scale.



Plate 37: Showing half-sectioned field Gully [1605]. Looking south, one-metre scale.



Plate 38: Showing Evaluation Trench 17. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 39: Showing representative section in Trench 17. Looking west, one-metre scale.





Plate 41: Showing representative section in Trench 18. Looking west, one-metre scale.



Plate 42. Showing evaluation Trench 19. Looking east-south-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 43: Showing representative section in Trench 19. Looking north, one-metre scale.



Plate 44: Showing evaluation Trench 20. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 45: Showing representative section in Trench 20. Looking west, one-metre scale.



Plate 46: Showing evaluation Trench 21. Looking east-south-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 47: Showing representative section in trench 21. Looking north, one-metre scale.



Plate 48: Showing evaluation Trench 22. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale.



Plate 49: Showing representative section in trench 22. Looking north, one-metre scale.



Plate 50: Showing evaluation Trench 23. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale.

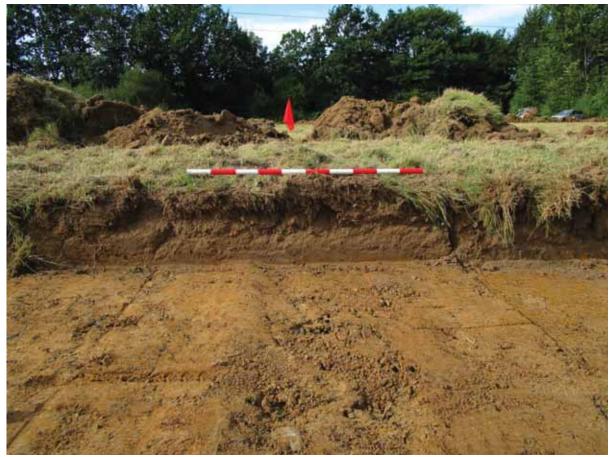


Plate 51: Showing representative section in Trench 23. Looking south, one-metre scale.





Plate 53: Showing representative section in Evaluation Trench 24. Looking west-north-west, two-metre scale.



Plate 54: Showing Evaluation Trench 25. Looking north-west-north.



Plate 55: Showing representative section in Trench 25. Looking south-west, two-metre scale.



Plate 56: Showing Evaluation Trench 26. Looking north-east-north, two-metre scale.



Plate 57: Showing representative section in Trench 26. Looking east, two-metre scale.



Plate 58: Showing evaluation Trench 27. Looking east-south-east.



Plate 59: Showing representative section in evaluation Trench 27. Looking north, two-metre scale.



Plate 60: Showing evaluation Trench 28. Looking south-west-south, two-metre scale.



Plate 61: Showing representative section in Trench 28. Looking east-south-east, two-metre scale.



Plate 62: Viewing The Site from south-west.



Plate 63: Viewing the site from north-east. Machine carries out back-filling of finished trenches.



Plate 64: Viewing the site from north-west.



Plate 65: Viewing the site from the west, showing back-filled evaluation trenches.