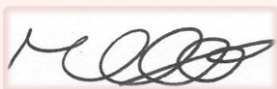


**Dear CBA South-East members,**

2016 has begun in earnest with the first of our new pottery workshops. These sessions have been very informative and are filling a skills gap that many of our members have been asking for. Some spaces for the upcoming medieval and post-medieval pottery sessions are still available, but these will not last long. April sees the first of this year's tour schedule which will take in the fascinating LiDAR project 'Secrets of the High Woods' at Slindon Park led by Alice Thorne of the South Downs National Park, and in the afternoon James Kenny the District Archaeology will be taking us on an excursion of Chichester town walls.

We are happy to report from our recent committee meeting that membership is on the increase and that 2015 was a profitable year. All the profit we make will be reinvested back into the charity, and we will continue to expand and improve our membership benefits over the coming years, whilst making sure that our finances are sustainable. The CBA South-East research grant is now back and open for applications after a number of years in the 'wilderness'. If you are putting together a research project or a community project, please think about submitting an application to our grants officer John Funnell (email [john.funnell@brightonarch.org.uk](mailto:john.funnell@brightonarch.org.uk)). The deadline for this year's applications is 1<sup>st</sup> April.

Very best wishes,



Dr Martyn Allen  
*Chair, CBA South-East*



## CBA-SE events

### Pottery Workshop Series


This winter sees the first of the CBA-SE's new annual training day series, which for 2016 will focus on ceramic identification and interpretation. Run by local experts of various periods, the sessions will include a general introduction to ceramics analysis, followed by four period-based workshops (Prehistoric, Roman, Medieval, Post-Medieval), which will vary in location across the south-east.

*Medieval* – Jacqui Pearce (MOLA) – Leatherhead Institute, Leatherhead – Sat April 23<sup>rd</sup> (10:00-16:00)

*Post-Medieval* – Luke Barber (Sussex Archaeological Society) – St Peter and Paul Parish Church, Tonbridge – Sat May 7<sup>th</sup> (10:00-16:00)

Cost £15 members / £20 non

Please follow updates of the programme line-up, or email [events@cbasouth-east.org](mailto:events@cbasouth-east.org) with any queries or to book



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## Training Workshops 2016



2016  
**Pottery Workshop Series**  
All-day seminars run by local experts of all periods in locations across the south-east, focusing on ceramic analysis, identification and interpretation  
**Saturdays from January-May (10am-4pm)**

**Session Schedule**

- **Introductory** – Jonathan Dicks (Uni of Southampton)  
Northchapel Village Hall, Petworth  
Saturday January 30<sup>th</sup> (10:00-16:00)
- **Prehistory** – Barbara McNee (Uni of Southampton)  
Northchapel Village Hall, Petworth  
Saturday February 6<sup>th</sup> (10:00-16:00)
- **Roman** – Louise Rayner (Archaeology South-East)  
Leatherhead Institute, Leatherhead  
Saturday March 12<sup>th</sup> (10:00-16:00)
- **Medieval** – Jacqui Pearce (Museum of London Archaeology)  
Leatherhead Institute, Leatherhead  
Saturday April 23<sup>rd</sup> (10:00-16:00)
- **Post-Medieval** – Luke Barber (Sussex Archaeological Society)  
St Peter and Paul Parish Church, Tonbridge  
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Cost £15 for CBA-SE members /  
£20 for non-members

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## CBA-SE Site and Town tours 2016

Full-day tours to current research excavations and historic sites and towns across the south-east, led by local experts. Seven tours in total, between April and October, with sites ranging from Roman villas to Tudor Palaces!

Free to all CBA-SE members - £5 for non-members (entry fees may apply at some sites). Limited spaces, thus early booking recommended. Directions and joining instructions available upon sign-up – please email any queries to our Events Officer at [events@cbasouth-east.org](mailto:events@cbasouth-east.org) or visit <http://www.cbasouth-east.org/events/cbase-tours-and-field-trips/>.

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**Site and  
Town Tours  
2016**

Tour 1  
**'Secrets of the High Woods' at Slindon Park /  
Chichester town walls, West Sussex**  
Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> April – 10am-3pm



Tour guides:  
Alice Thorne (South Downs National Trust) /  
John Kenny (Chichester District Council)

This tour incorporates a Lidar demonstration and exercise at Slindon Park with the 'Secrets of the High Woods' project, which has been working with volunteers to rediscover lost landscapes in the South Downs, followed by a short trip to Chichester, after lunch, where a talk and tour of the Roman sections of the town walls will take place



Please bring either  
a packed lunch or  
money for a pub



Tour free for  
CBA-SE  
members /  
£5 for non-  
members

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for booking details, or email our Events  
Officer at [events@cbasouth-east.org](mailto:events@cbasouth-east.org)

### Tour 1

Saturday, April 16<sup>th</sup> 2016  
(10:00-15:00)

## 'Secrets of the High Woods at Slindon Park / Chichester town walls, West Sussex

Led by Alice Thorne of the South Downs National Park and James Kenny, Chichester DC. This tour incorporates a Lidar demonstration and exercise at Slindon Park with the 'Secrets of the High Woods' project, which has been working with volunteers to rediscover lost landscapes in the South Downs, followed by a short trip to Chichester, after lunch, where a talk and tour of the Roman sections of the town walls will take place.

## Tour 2

Saturday, May 14<sup>th</sup> 2016

### **Petersfield Barrows / Portchester castle and church, Hampshire, Hampshire**

Led by George Anelay of West Sussex Archaeology and Martyn Allen, University of Reading, this tour begins with a visit to the Petersfield Heath Barrow Project which is currently investigating one of the largest and best preserved early Bronze Age cemetery monuments. After lunch, we will travel to Portchester and explore a mixture of periods, where the medieval castle and priory sit within the Roman walls.



## Conferences and symposiums

Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:30-16:30)

### **Surrey Archaeological Society Medieval Studies Forum – Castles**

The Medieval Studies Forum has arranged a meeting at the Leatherhead Institute on the topic of 'Castles'. Full details will be sent to members and put on the website. For more information contact: [medforum@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:medforum@hotmail.co.uk)  
The Institute, 67 High Street, Leatherhead, KT22 8AH



## Conferences and symposiums

Saturday, March 19<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:00-16:30)

### Sussex School of Archaeology – **The Sussex Archaeological Symposium 2016**



Recent discoveries in Sussex archaeology and modern techniques in the field, including National Trust Archaeology on the South Downs (Tom Dommett), Coastguard Cottages at Crowlink (Jo Seaman), the lost Hunting Lodge of the Earls of Arundel at Singleton (Mark Roberts), the archaeology of the Central Downs (Alice Thorne), Plumpton Roman Villa (David Rudling), mapping Roman Chichester (David Staveley), Lewes Bronze Age Hoard (Stephanie Smith and Jaime Kaminski), Pett Level (Scott Timpany and Lara Band), prehistoric discoveries on the Bexhill to Hastings Link Road (Mike Donnolly), Piltdown Man (Matt Pope)

£35 (Friends Fee £30) – refreshments and buffet lunch included in the ticket price

University of Brighton, Huxley Lecture Theatre, Moulsecoomb Campus, BN2 4GJ

Saturday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> 2016 (09:15-17:00)

### Surrey Archaeological Society Local History Committee – **Change and Continuity in Surrey Churches and Chapels**

The annual symposium will cover various aspects of church history and also look at useful sources for historians. There is a very full and varied programme with some excellent speakers which will be of great interest to local historians across the county. See

<http://www.surreyarchaeology.org.uk/content/annual-local-history-symposium-change-and-continuity-in-surrey-churches-and-chapels> for more details.

Cost £12 if registered in advance with Gerry Moss by email [g.p.moss@qmul.ac.uk](mailto:g.p.moss@qmul.ac.uk) / non-registered tickets also available on the day at £14

Ashted Peace Memorial Hall, Ashted, KT21 2BE



Saturday, April 9<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:00-17:00)

### Sussex Archaeological Society – **Roadside Settlements in Roman Britain and Beyond**

The conference will explore different aspects of Roman roadside settlements and debate whether there are many or any commonalities between them. Speakers include: Martyn Allen, David Bird, Ernest Black, Paul Booth, David Calow, Karen Jeneson, David Millum, Rob Wallace, and Steve Willis.

Tickets £40 (£25 student rate), including lunch. Contact [members@sussexpast.co.uk](mailto:members@sussexpast.co.uk)

(<http://sussexpast.co.uk/event/roman>) for more details.

King's Church, Brooks Road, Lewes, BN7 2BY

Saturday, April 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016 (09:00-17:00)

Surrey Industrial History Group – **South East Regional Industrial Archaeology Conference (SERIAC) 2016**

See <http://www.sihg.org.uk/seriac.pdf> for more details

Cost £12 per person.

Holy Cross Preparatory School, George Road (off Kingston Hill), Kingston upon Thames, KT2 7NU

**Lectures and talks**

Thursday, March 3<sup>rd</sup> 2016 (10:00-12:00)

Surrey Industrial History Group – **Stainless Steel in Britain**

Talk by David Dulieu – part of the Leatherhead lecture series

Single lectures £5, payable on the day, but please contact Bob Bryson, 01483577809, [meetings@sihg.org.uk](mailto:meetings@sihg.org.uk) as seating is strictly limited

Room G6, The Institute, 67 High Street, Leatherhead, KT22 8AH



Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30)

Worthing Archaeological Society – **The Excavations at Petworth Park**

Talk by Tom Dommett, a National Trust archaeologist – this follows the AGM at 19:00  
Lecture Theatre, Worthing Library, Worthing, BN11 1HD



Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:00-12:00)

Surrey Industrial History Group – **Technology, Industry and The Napoleonic Wars**

Talk by Roger Knight, London University – part of the Leatherhead lecture series

Single lectures £5, payable on the day, but please contact Bob Bryson, 01483577809, [meetings@sihg.org.uk](mailto:meetings@sihg.org.uk) as seating is strictly limited

Room G6, The Institute, 67 High Street, Leatherhead, KT22 8AH



Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:45)

**Tonbridge Historical Society – The real Downton Abbey, Edwardian Service**

Talk by Ian Porter

Non-members welcome at fee of £3 (under 18s free), payable at the door.

Riverside Room, Angel Centre, Angel Lane, Tonbridge, TN9 1SF



Friday, March 11<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30)

**Brighton and Hove Archaeological Society – Excavations at Pockocks Field, Eastbourne**

Talk by Giles Dawkes

Free entry for members, £3 to non-members

Unitarian Church, New Road, Brighton, BN1 1UF



Tuesday, March 15<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30-21:30)

**Surrey Industrial History Group – Death of a Light Bulb**

Talk by John Otten, Engineer & Author – part of the 40th Series of Lectures in Guildford

Single lectures £5, payable on the day – contact Bob Bryson, [meetings@sihg.org.uk](mailto:meetings@sihg.org.uk)

The Education Centre, The Cathedral, Stag Hill, Guildford, GU2 7UP



Thursday, March 17<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:00-12:00)

**Surrey Industrial History Group – Members' Talks**

Part of the Leatherhead series

Single lectures £5, payable on the day, but please contact Bob Bryson, 01483577809,

[meetings@sihg.org.uk](mailto:meetings@sihg.org.uk) as seating is strictly limited

Room G6, The Institute, 67 High Street, Leatherhead, KT22 8AH

Friday, March 18<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30)

**Lewes Archaeological Group – Seven Sisters Archaeological Project**

Talk by Tom Dommett, Archaeologist for the National Trust

Members £3 (£2 concessions) / Non-members £4 (£3 concessions) /

FREE entry for 18 and under

Lecture Room, Lewes Town Hall, High Street, Lewes, BN7 2Q5



Sunday, March 20<sup>th</sup> 2016 (13:30-15:00)

Wealden Buildings Study Group – **Secrets of the High Woods**

Talk by Alice Thorne, LiDAR and Heritage Mapping Officer for the ‘Secrets of the High Woods Project

£2.50 members / £5 non-members

Wivelsfield Church Hall, Church Lane, Wivelsfield, RH17 7RD

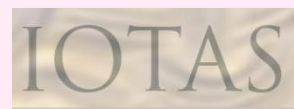
Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup> 2016 (19:15)

Isle of Thanet Archaeological Society – **Celtic Rituals**

Talk by John Grigsby

Free to members – £2 to non-members

Lecture Hall, Crampton Tower Yards, High Street, Broadstairs, CT10 2AB



Wednesday, March 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016 (19:30-21:00)

Chichester & District Archaeological Society – **Monumentality in Neolithic Wessex: New Results**

Talk by Jim Leary – £3 payable by non-members at the door.

New Park Centre, New Park Road, Chichester, PO19 7XY



Saturday, March 26<sup>th</sup> 2016 (14:30)

Brighton and Hove Archaeological Society Local History Forum – **English Fossil Landscapes - how place names deep-freeze the past**

Talk by Stephen Durnford.

Ventnor Hall, Central United Reform Church, 102 Blatchington Road, Hove, BN3 3YF



Tuesday, April 12<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30)

Worthing Archaeological Society – **The Lambley's Lane Kiln excavations**

Illustrated lecture by Connie Shirley.

Lecture Theatre, Worthing Library, Worthing, BN11 1HD





Friday, April 15<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30)

Lewes Archaeological Group – **Bignor Roman Villa**

Talk by David Rudling

Members £3 (£2 concessions) / Non-members £4 (£3 concessions) / FREE entry for 18 and under

Lecture Room, Lewes Town Hall, High Street, Lewes, BN7 2Q5



Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup> 2016 (19:00)

University of Sussex Archaeological Society – **Recent work on the Mesolithic of the coast and wetland edge in Southern Britain (Holleyman Archaeology Lecture 2016)**

Lecture by Professor Martin Bell, Professor of Archaeological Science at Reading University. In association with the Sussex School of Archaeology and the Sussex Archaeological Society.

Admission £8 for members of USAS, SSA or SAS; others £10. Advance booking essential via

[www.sussexarchaeology.org](http://www.sussexarchaeology.org) – further information [admin@usas.org.uk](mailto:admin@usas.org.uk)

Lecture Theatre A, Fulton Building, University of Sussex, Brighton BN1 9NZ

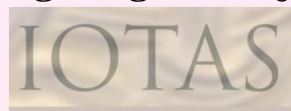
Monday, April 25<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:15)

Isle of Thanet Archaeological Society – **'The Nightingale Project'**

Talk by Philip Andrews of Wessex Archaeology

Free to members – £2 to non-members

Venue to be confirmed



Wednesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> 2016 (19:30-21:00)

Chichester & District Archaeological Society – **Process and techniques of conservation at UCL**

Talk by Luciana Carvalho – £3 payable by non-members at the door.

New Park Centre, New Park Road, Chichester, PO19 7XY



Monday, May 23<sup>rd</sup> 2016 (19:15)

Isle of Thanet Archaeological Society – **The Caesars Camp/Ebbsfleet, Thanet Project**

Talk by Andrew Mayfield

Free to members – £2 to non-members

Lecture Hall, Crampton Tower Yards, High Street, Broadstairs, CT10 2AB



## Courses

Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> 2016

### Canterbury Archaeological Trust – **Putting Colour in the Past: an introduction to environmental archaeology**

Course by Enid Allison and Alex Vokes. £40 (£35 for Friends of CAT) – for more details see [http://www.canterburytrust.co.uk/community\\_archaeology/archaeology-courses/](http://www.canterburytrust.co.uk/community_archaeology/archaeology-courses/)  
Canterbury Archaeological Trust, 92a Broad Street, Canterbury, Kent CT1 2LU

Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:00-16:00)

### Arundel Museum – **Study day on 'Roman villas in Sussex'**

Course by Dr David Rudling – with particular emphasis on the villas at Bignor, Barcombe and Beddingham.

Cost £20 (or £15 for Friends of Arundel Museum) – contact Arundel Museum on 01903 885866  
Arundel Museum, Mill Road, Arundel, BN18

Saturday, March 12<sup>th</sup> 2016

### Canterbury Archaeological Trust – **Archaeological Report Writing**

Course by Jake Weekes. £40 (£35 for Friends of CAT) – for more details see [http://www.canterburytrust.co.uk/community\\_archaeology/archaeology-courses/](http://www.canterburytrust.co.uk/community_archaeology/archaeology-courses/)  
Canterbury Archaeological Trust, 92a Broad Street, Canterbury, Kent CT1 2LU

Wednesday, April 27<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday, May 4<sup>th</sup> 2016

### Sussex School of Archaeology – **Archaeology Study Tour to Southern Cyprus**

Tour Leader David Rudling; From Gatwick; Full board; From £1,299 pp  
Contact [www.sussexarchaeology.org/news](http://www.sussexarchaeology.org/news)



Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup> 2016 (10:00-17:00)

### Sussex School of Archaeology – **Neolithic Flintwork study day**

Learn how to recognise prehistoric worked flint and investigate the importance of flint and flint tools to the people of Neolithic Britain, and discover where they extracted the material from. Watch a live demonstration of flint tool production. Speakers/demonstrators to include Chris Butler and Paul Saddleton.

Fee £35 – contact SSA at 01323 811785 or [www.sussexarchaeology.org](http://www.sussexarchaeology.org)  
The Redoubt Fortress, Town Hall, Grove Road, Eastbourne, BN21 4UG

## **Research opportunities**

### **Sussex Archaeological Society – Sally Christian Grants**

Grants are available to individuals starting out in archaeology as either amateurs or students which would include sixth formers or undergraduates to assist with the costs of various types of training, both practical and academic and to enable such individuals to gain experience in archaeological fieldwork and other forms of research in East and West Sussex. Grants are available for: short training courses (normally lasting from one to five days long, but sometimes longer) covering such subjects as surveying, excavation methods, environmental sampling, identifying, recording and interpreting finds, etc., day schools covering either practical skills or relevant academic information, attendance at relevant conferences or research projects which provide students and/or amateurs with expert supervision and some training.

Applications must be submitted by the 1 April 2016. Further details regarding applications should be made to the Research Officer ([research@sussexpast.co.uk](mailto:research@sussexpast.co.uk)).

### **Kent Archaeological Society – Allen Grove Local History Grants 2015**

Kent's local, social and family history enthusiasts have until 31 March 2016 to apply for the next tranche of grants to be awarded by the Kent Archaeological Society from its Allen Grove Local History Fund. Amounts of up to £1,000 are offered annually to individuals, groups, organizations and students to help cover the cost of research, publications, exhibitions and other projects focused on the county's history and heritage.

Application forms can be downloaded from [www.kentarchaeology.org.uk](http://www.kentarchaeology.org.uk) or obtained by email from [allengroveadmin@kentarchaeology.org.uk](mailto:allengroveadmin@kentarchaeology.org.uk) or by post from the KAS c/o 8 Woodview Crescent, Hildenborough, Tonbridge, Kent TN11 9HD (please enclose a s.a.e.)

### **Liss Archaeology – The Colemore Project excavations in Hampshire June, 2016 and September/October 2016**

In 2016, two excavations are planned. In June the targets are features seen as geophysical anomalies in the vicinity of the main building that may indicate further rooms/habitation and will take the format of evaluation trenches plus test pits. The September/October excavation target is likely to be determined upon the results of the spring excavation; a large trench is planned. A further series of geophysical surveys are also planned for 2016 plus a local village test pit project in Stroud near Petersfield, field-walking, excavation elsewhere and more!

Volunteers from all walks of life are welcome to take part. Full training offered. In addition to excavation, finds processing, sieving, soil analysis, recording, planning and drawing plus surveying take place to professional standards. Local schools take part in on-site archaeology education; outreach education also available. Students are encouraged to experience community-based, volunteer archaeology with a friendly group of like-minded people. Taster days are available. For further information, please contact us [lissarchaeology@gmail.com](mailto:lissarchaeology@gmail.com)

## Sussex School of Archaeology – **Plumpton Roman Villa, Sussex: Excavation and Field School**

Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> 2016 – Saturday, July 30<sup>th</sup> 2016

A training excavation at Plumpton, Sussex will include six 5-day Excavation Techniques courses. Each will provide a 'hands-on' and theory introduction to archaeological excavation, including: basic surveying and geophysics, excavation methods, written records, planning and section drawing, photography, environmental archaeology, finds processing and Health and Safety. This course is suitable for beginners, those with limited experience, A Level Archaeology students, people thinking of studying archaeology at university, and undergraduates. Tuition fees £150 per 5-day course. 1-day Saturday courses comprise: 'Taster' excavation days; Planning & Section Drawing; Total Station Survey; and Environmental Archaeology. Fees £40 per day.

Volunteering opportunities (i.e. for those with some prior experience) are available from £25 for a 5-day week to a maximum of £50 for the whole season.

Details of local accommodation and camping are available. Contact The Sussex School of Archaeology ([www.sussexarchaeology.org](http://www.sussexarchaeology.org)), [info@sussexarchaeology.co.uk](mailto:info@sussexarchaeology.co.uk), Tel. 01323 811785)

Please email any events, talks, recent publications relevant to the south-east, or fieldwork opportunities to [events@cbasouth-east.org](mailto:events@cbasouth-east.org)

Next e-letter will be issued approximately on **April 30<sup>th</sup>** – please send any May, June or July info by **April 29<sup>th</sup>**

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