

## Chairman's Welcome

Dear Members,

I hope that you have had a good summer and were able to participate in, or visit, some of the wide range of archaeological fieldwork projects and events in our region and beyond. One of the main aims of these CBA-SE e-newsletters is to inform you of such opportunities. I would like to take this occasion to thank our Secretary, Rose Hooker, for all the hard and careful work she undertakes collating and editing these newsletters. Please always feel welcome to let Rose know about relevant projects and events that may be of interest to fellow CBA-SE members. Thank you.

As the autumn approaches, and the main fieldwork season comes to an end, we begin to think again about various indoor activities. An important such event for CBA-SE is our annual conference and AGM, this year to be held on November 2<sup>nd</sup> at Rutherford College, University of Kent, at Canterbury. The conference, which is being organised in association with the Kent Archaeological Society, is on the theme **'Archaeological Perspectives on links between the South-East and the Continent'**. (See separate details on p2) During the conference we will hold our AGM. Your committee still needs people to help with publicity and the provision of activities for young archaeologists (ie those aged 8-16). Please let either myself or any of the other committee members know if you are interested in getting involved.

This summer Yale University Press published a new edition in the Pevsner Architectural Guides: *The Buildings of England* series – this time *Sussex: West* (Editors: E Williamson, T Hudson, J Musson and I Nairn). This book now complements *Sussex: East with Brighton and Hove* (2013: eds N Antram and N Pevsner), these two volumes replacing the previous *Sussex* guide (1965: eds N Pevsner and I Nairn – which has the post 1988 counties of East Sussex and West Sussex treated as two separate sections). Other volumes for our region include: *Surrey* (1971: eds I Nairn, N Pevsner and B Cherry); *Kent: West and the Weald* (2012: ed J Newman) and *Kent: North East and East* (2013: ed J Newman)

Finally, Greg Chuter, the County Archaeologist for East Sussex, is leaving Sussex after 17 years of service to take up a position as a Regional Archaeologist in the South-West for the Environment Agency. Greg will be replaced from September 2<sup>nd</sup> by Neil Griffin, who for many years has worked for Archaeology South-East (of UCL). We wish them well in their new jobs.

David Rudling



**Joint Annual Conference  
Kent Archaeological Society & Council for British Archaeology South East**

***Archaeological Perspectives on Links between the South East and the Continent*  
Saturday 2nd November 2019**

**Rutherford College, University of Kent at Canterbury CT2 7NX**

9.30 – 10.00	Coffee and registration	
10.00 – 10.10	KAS President Dr Gerald Cramp	<b>Welcome &amp; Introduction</b>
10.10 – 10.45	Dr Sophie Adams, SUERC, University of Glasgow	Rolling up The Sleeve and getting down to business - Investigating the production and deposition of Bronze Age bronzes across the channel
10.45 – 11.20	Dr Michael Walsh, Marine Archaeologist at Coracle Archaeology	Pudding Pan Shipwreck
11.20 – 11.30	Questions	
11.30 – 11.50	Coffee	
11.50 – 12.25	Walter (Jo) Ahmet, Finds Liaison Officer, Heritage Conservation, KCC	On the edge of Europe – a discussion of British, Continental and Mediterranean finds out of context
12.25 – 13.00	Dr Leonie Hicks, Canterbury Christ Church University	Norman Landscapes & Connections
13.00 – 13.10	Questions	
13.10 – 14.20	Lunch & CBA SE AGM	
14.20 – 14.55	Dr Murray Andrews	Continental Connections: cross-channel coin flows in the late middle ages
14.55 – 15.30	Gustav Milne, CITIZAN Project Leader MOLA	“Wrecked off the Kentish Flats: the <i>Gresham Ship</i> ” summarising the discovery, recovery and research of an armed Elizabethan merchantman, built in AD 1574, but lost some thirty years later
15.30 – 16.00	Tea	
16.00 – 16.10	Questions	
16.10 – 16.50	Steve Willis	“Fair stood the wind for France” vignettes of our region through time
16.50 – 17.00	Thanks	

**KAS /CBA SE Conference –Archaeological Perspectives on Links between the South East and the Continent –  
Booking form Saturday 2nd November 2019**

Name of Delegate(s):.....

Address for tickets:.....

Tel No:.....Email (Block capitals please):.....

KAS Member YES / NO      CBA Member YES/NO

Tickets £25 each (£20 KAS & CBA Members; £10 students). Please make cheques payable to Kent Archaeological Society and send with this tear off slip to: Mrs Shiela Broomfield, Membership KAS, 8 Woodview Crescent, Hildenborough, Tonbridge, Kent TN11 9HD (Please enclose a SAE). Further enquiries: email: [membership@kentarchaeology.org.uk](mailto:membership@kentarchaeology.org.uk) Tel: (01732) 838698.



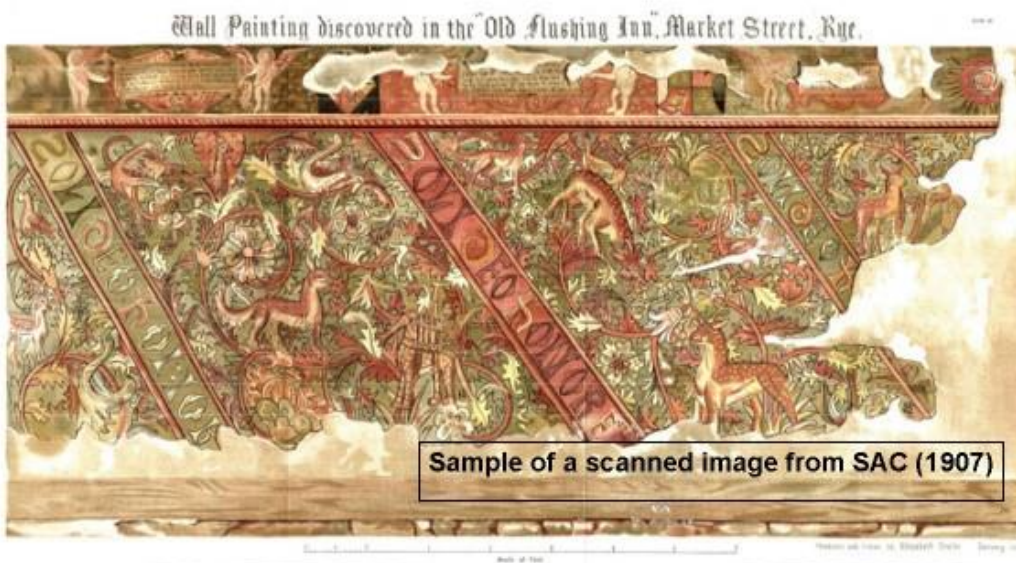
## ***Can you help us put 136 volumes of Sussex Archaeological Collections online?***



Since 1847 the Society has published its Collections of articles about the local history and archaeology of Sussex annually; volumes since 1999 have been published simultaneously online. Now we would like to retrospectively digitise the earlier volumes from Volume 1 (1847) onwards – 136 volumes in all!

Investigations have located potential sources of income to cover some of the cost but we need to raise 50% of the total cost to secure funding from external sources.

***Can you help us to raise funds so we can proceed with this project which will provide online access to the complete set of SAC?***



Donations can be made either by sending a cheque marked SAC Project to Barbican House Library, Lewes BN7 1YE or via [www.sussexpast.co.uk](http://www.sussexpast.co.uk) as a Library Donation.

## Events

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September – Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2019

### **Kent Archaeological Society – Lees Court Estate Project Excavation**

If you are interested in participating in this project you need to be a KAS member and new members will be welcome.

Details from: [www.kentarchaeology.org.uk/site-documentation/lees-court-estate-project](http://www.kentarchaeology.org.uk/site-documentation/lees-court-estate-project)

KAS is also looking for volunteers for documentary research into the Lees Court estate. For more information contact: [clive.drew@kentarchaeology.org.uk](mailto:clive.drew@kentarchaeology.org.uk)

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (18.30 +)

### **Canterbury Cathedral – Heritage Open Day Graffiti Crypt Tour**

A series of after hour tours led by the Graffiti Researcher volunteer team.

Venue: Canterbury Cathedral

Free entry, but booking necessary

Contact: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/heritage-open-days-graffiti-crypt-tours-tickets-63105301656>

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (14.00-16.30)

### **Orpington and District Archaeological Society – Scadbury Manor Open Weekend**

Follow a self-guided train around the moated manor. See the excavations. Visit the refreshments, bookstall and exhibition.

Venue: Scadbury Manor, Orpington.

Free entry.

Details: [www.odas.org.uk](http://www.odas.org.uk)



Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (11.00-16.00)

### **Surrey Archaeological Society – Heritage Open Day at the Abinger Research Centre**

The Surrey Archaeological Society Research Centre and Library will be open to all. There will be displays on local research, finds from the area and a chance to browse the library collections. The Surrey Finds Liaison Officer will also be there to advise on any artefacts brought along.

Venue: Abinger Research Centre, Hackhurst Lane, Abinger Hammer, Surrey

Free entry

Details: [www.surreyarchaeology.org.uk](http://www.surreyarchaeology.org.uk)

Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (10.30-12.30, plus)

## Chichester and District Archaeology Society – **Guided walk around Arundel**

This walk will be led by John Barkshire and it will be possible to visit Arundel Museum in the afternoon.

Cost: £12 non-members

Details and booking: [activities@das.info](mailto:activities@das.info)



Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (10.30-14.30)

## Surrey Churches Preservation Trust – **Surrey Church History Study Tour.**

Led by Dr Mary Alexander to study a modern Benedictine monastery, arts and crafts in religious meeting places. Meet at St Augustine's Abbey, Sample Oak Lane, Chilworth then self-drive to Blackheath. After lunch, move on to Womersley.

Details and booking from: [mary.alexander@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:mary.alexander@hotmail.co.uk)

Friday 12<sup>th</sup>-Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June 2020

## Sussex School of Archaeology – **Tour of Hadrian's Wall and the Antonine Wall**

Baxter Hoare Travel in association with the Sussex School of Archaeology will be running a tour of various archaeological sites in the north of Britain.

Prices start at £1349 per person based on 2 sharing.

Dr David Rudling will be the tour leader.

ATOL and ABTA protected.

To book your place or get more information, including the full itinerary contact: Baxter Hoare Travel, 61 Great Dover Street, London SE1 4YF: Telephone 0207 404 5492 or e-mail:

[enquiries@baxterhaore.com](mailto:enquiries@baxterhaore.com) and ask about the Hadrian's Wall Tour.



## Courses

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (10.00-16.00)

### Canterbury Archaeological Trust – **First steps in Archaeology**

Led by Dr Andrew Richardson this dayschool provides the perfect introduction to the subject. No previous knowledge or experience is required.

Venue: Newspaper House, 29 Simmonds Road, Wincheap, Canterbury

Cost: £45

Details and booking: [annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk](mailto:annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk)

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (10.30-12.30)

### A 10 week course – **Introducing Archaeology Part 1**

Led by Dr David Rudling this course will introduce students to Archaeology and concentrate on the practical aspects of the discipline. Part 2 of this course will be offered in autumn 2020.

Venue: Rottingdean Whiteway Centre.

Cost: £84

Details and booking: [www.rwc.org.uk](http://www.rwc.org.uk) or e-mail: [courseorganiser@rwc.org.uk](mailto:courseorganiser@rwc.org.uk)

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (10.00-12.00)

### Rottingdean Whiteway Centre & SSA – **The Impact of the Normans (Pt 2)**

Led by Simon Stevens this is the first of a series of three courses on the towns, countryside and people after the Norman Conquest.

Venue: Rottingdean Whiteway Centre, Rottingdean

Cost: £12 per lecture or £30 for all three

Details and booking: [courseorganiser@rwc.org.uk](mailto:courseorganiser@rwc.org.uk)

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (10.00-16.00)

### Canterbury Archaeological Trust – **Prehistoric Kent**

Led by Jake Weekes this course will trace the development of the Kentish landscape from the Palaeolithic onwards.

Venue: Newspaper House, 29 Simmonds Road, Wincheap, Canterbury

Cost: £45

Details and booking: [annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk](mailto:annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk)



Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (10.00-16.00)

Surrey Archaeological Society – **Introduction to GIS and QGIS for Archaeology**

Led by Simon Miles this course provides an introduction to the key concepts and capabilities of these programmes. Funded by the Heritage Lottery this course is free and booking is essential. A follow-up dayschool will take place on 12<sup>th</sup> October.

Venue: Abinger Research Centre, Hackhurst Lane, Abinger Hammer

Details and booking: [outreach@surreyarchaeology.org.uk](mailto:outreach@surreyarchaeology.org.uk)

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (10.00-16.00)

Canterbury Archaeological Trust – **Duraveno and Durovernum**

Led by Jake Weekes this course investigates the origins of Canterbury from an Iron Age centre to a late Roman town.

Venue: Newspaper House, 29 Simmonds Road, Wincheap, Canterbury

Cost: £45

Details and booking: [annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk](mailto:annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk)

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (10.30-16.30)

Chichester and District Archaeology Society – **The Coins, Tokens and Jetons of England cAD600-1971**

Led by David Rudling (SSA) this course examines the development of coinage in Britain from Saxon to post-medieval times.

Venue: Fishbourne Roman Palace (Rudkin Room), Roman Way, Fishbourne, Chichester

Cost: £30 non-members

Details and booking: [activities@cdas.info](mailto:activities@cdas.info)



Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> and Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (10.00-16.00)

Canterbury Archaeological Trust – **A basic introduction to animal bone**

Led by Enid Allison and Asa Perhson this course introduces the basic techniques for the study of bone assemblages. There will be practical sessions.

Venue: Canterbury Archaeological Trust, 92 Broad Street, Canterbury

Cost: £80

Details and booking: [annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk](mailto:annie.partridge@canterburytrust.co.uk)

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (10.00-12.00)

## Chichester and District Archaeology Society – **The Medieval Towns of Sussex**

Led by Simon Stevens (ASE) this dayschool will discuss the development of Sussex towns as revealed by recent archaeology.

Venue: Fishbourne Roman Palace (Rudkin Room), Roman Way, Fishbourne, Chichester

Cost: £30 non-members

Details and booking: [activities@cdas.info](mailto:activities@cdas.info)



Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (9.45-16.15)

## An Andante Study Day – **Iron Age and Roman Coins in Britain**

Led by Dr David Rudling FSA this course will start by examining primitive currencies and the development of coins in different parts of the world. Then participants will look in more detail at the coins and other types of currencies used in Britain during the Late Iron Age and Roman periods.

Venue: Fishbourne Roman Palace (Rudkin Room), Roman Way, Fishbourne, Chichester.

Cost: £115 (includes buffet lunch)

Details and booking: [www.andantetravels.com](http://www.andantetravels.com)

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2019 (10.00-16.00)

## Worthing Archaeological Society – **The Archaeology of Death and Commemoration**

Led by Simon Stevens (ASE) this dayschool will discuss how from Neolithic tombs to Commonwealth war grave cemeteries attitudes to the deceased can be literally set in stone.

Venue: Worthing Museum Education Room, Worthing Museum

Details and booking: [www.worthingarchaeological.org/contact](http://www.worthingarchaeological.org/contact)

Mid Howe, Orkney





## Conferences and Symposia

Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (9.00-19.00)

### Southampton University – **Making your Mark**

The first national conference to study historic graffiti.

Venue: Avenue Campus, Highfield Road, Southampton

Free but booking essential.

Contact: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/making-your-mark-1st-national-symposium-for-the-study-of-historic-graffiti-tickets-64352600360>

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (8.45-17.45)

### CBA Wessex: **Sunrise over the Stones: Recent Research into Neolithic and Chalcolithic Wessex**

Venue: Kimmeridge House, Talbot Campus, Bournemouth University, Fern Barrow, Poole

Buffet lunch provided.

Tickets: £35 for CBA W members, £45 for non-members, £20 for full time students

For full details: [www.cba-Wessex.org.uk/events](http://www.cba-Wessex.org.uk/events) or contact: [events@cbawessex.org.uk](mailto:events@cbawessex.org.uk)

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (10.00-16.00)

### Surrey Archaeological Society – **Surrey Historic Environment Research Framework: Archaeological Sciences**

Venue: Ashted Peace Memorial Hall, Ashted, Surrey

Cost: £15 (tbc)

Booking online is now available..

Details: [www.surreyarchaeology.org.uk/content/sherf19](http://www.surreyarchaeology.org.uk/content/sherf19)

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (9.00-17.00)

### An inaugural conference – **Wealden Geological Assembly**

Venue: Worthing College, Worthing

Cost: £30 (includes lunch)

Details and booking: [anthony.brook27@btinternet.com](mailto:anthony.brook27@btinternet.com)

## Lectures and talks

Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (19.30)

### Horsham District Archaeological Group – **Minepits, Mud and Mayhem, Recent Archaeological Work at Horam, East Sussex.**

Talk by Simon Stevens (ASE) on a landscape pockmarked with deep minepits, used for the extraction of iron ore and discussing their place in the study of the Wealden iron industry.

Venue: Brighton Road Baptist Church, Horsham

Members Free; non-members £3

Contact: [horshamarch@Hotmail.co.uk](mailto:horshamarch@Hotmail.co.uk)

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2019 (19.30)

### Chichester and District Archaeology Group – **Mystery Warrior: The North Bersted Man**

Talk by James Kenny and Amy Roberts on the spectacular discovery of an Iron Age warrior.

Venue: New Park Centre, New Park Road, Chichester

Non-members £5

Contact: [www.cdas.info/Lectures](http://www.cdas.info/Lectures)



Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (19.30)

### Lewes Archaeological Group – **Henges and Hand Grenades: New Discoveries from Salisbury Plain.**

Talk by Martin Brown (Asst County Archaeologist, Wiltshire) will talk about new developments connected with the Army Basing Project which have led to a reappraisal of the past of Salisbury Plain.

Venue: Lecture Room, Lewes Town Hall, Lewes

Non-members £4

Contact: [www.lewesarchaeology.org.uk](http://www.lewesarchaeology.org.uk)



Friday 4<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (19.30-21.00)

### Shoreham Wordfest – **Chalkscape – The Shaping of the South Downs in Prehistory.**

Talk by Dr Matt Pope (UCL) considering the prehistoric forces that shaped the landscape of the South Downs National Park.

Venue: The Shoreham Centre, Pond Road, Shoreham

Cost: £8

Booking: [www.shorehamwordfest.com/events](http://www.shorehamwordfest.com/events) or 07522 957691

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (14.00-15.00)

### Shoreham Wordfest – **Changing Landscapes**

Talk by Dr Geoff Mead (University of Sussex) looking at the wide variety of Sussex landscapes, continuity and change.

Venue: The Shoreham Centre, Pond Road, Shoreham by Sea

Cost £8

Booking: [www.shorehamwordfest.com/events](http://www.shorehamwordfest.com/events) or 07522 957691

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (19.30-21.00)

### Worthing Archaeological Society – **The Malthouse Fields at Sompting: Investigations of Building Remains**

Talk by Connie Shirley reviewing the Worthing Archaeological Society excavations of this site and the findings to date.

Venue: Lecture Theatre, Worthing Library, Richmond Road, Worthing.

Non-members £4

Details: [www.worthingarchaeological.org/events](http://www.worthingarchaeological.org/events)

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (20.00)

### Kingston upon Thames Archaeological Society – **Recent Finds From Surrey**

Talk by Simon Maslin (Surrey FLO) on recently reported finds. You are welcome to bring your own finds for identification.

Venue: Main Hall, Surbiton Library Halls, Ewell Road, Surbiton

Non-members £3

Details: [kutas.archaeology@gmail.com](mailto:kutas.archaeology@gmail.com)

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (19.30)

### Brighton & Hove Archaeological Society – **Sussex and Surrey in Later Prehistory**

Talk by Judie English discussing the contrasting prehistories of these adjacent counties.

Venue: Unitarian Church, New Road, Brighton

Non-members £4

Contact via: [www.brightonarch.org.uk](http://www.brightonarch.org.uk)





Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (19.00)

University of Sussex Archaeological Society: Sally Christian Lecture – **The Frome Coin Hoard, Carausius and the Roman Brexit.**

Talk by Dr Sam Moorhead (BM) on the possible implications of this recently studied coin hoard.

Venue: Fulton Lecture Theatre B, University of Sussex

Non-members £4

Details: [www.sussexarchaeology.org](http://www.sussexarchaeology.org)

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019 (19.30)

Chichester and District Archaeology Society – **Megalithic Sites**

Talk by Andy Burnham (Editor of 'The Old Stones' field guide, voted the Current Archaeology book of the year 2019.

Venue: New Park Centre, New Park Road, Chichester

Non-members £5

Details: [www.cdas.info/Lectures](http://www.cdas.info/Lectures)



Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2019 (19.30)

Prof Alice Roberts – **Digging into Britain's Past**

Professor Alice Roberts will share insights, anecdotes and behind the scenes stories from her personal journeys to explore Britain's Past.

Venue: Princes Hall, Princes Way, Aldershot

Cost: £25

Booking and details: [www.princeshall.com/event/89604/professor-alice-roberts](http://www.princeshall.com/event/89604/professor-alice-roberts)

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2019 (19.30)

Brighton & Hove Archaeological Society – **Replicating history: looking at artefacts through the eyes of the maker**

Talk by Tess Machling and Roland Williamson discussing the creation of a number of different artefacts from torcs to Sussex loops.

Venue: Unitarian Church, New Road, Brighton

Non-members £4

Details: [www.brightonarch.org.uk](http://www.brightonarch.org.uk)



## Grants

The CBA South East has been able to offer grants to suitable archaeological projects for a number of years. The types of project vary and have included community activities, research, excavation, and support towards publication. A good number of excavations had had CBASE support, over all the region.. Some of the funding has gone towards the cost of hiring equipment. Some archaeological groups have been supported with help towards the purchase of specialist equipment.

Geophysical projects have been supported in the past, as have school digs. Projects that offer encouragement and field work for school children is often supported. Other grants have been awarded for archaeological training courses, and teacher training. Research has had grants for numerous investigations including the studies of Valencian tiles, Palaeolithic finds in the Lewes museum, metalwork from the Frensham excavations and a study of tesserae from the Southwick Roman Villa. The latest study being supported is about quern stones, their manufacture and distribution patterns.

Folkestone querns



A number of archaeologically related publications have been supported with children's journals, a book on the Wealden Iron Industry, and a publication on the Reculver Roman Fort among the awards. Other projects which have been awarded grants have included financial assistance for carbon 14 dating. The most recent such award may provide the dating for a possible Bronze Age shaft at Belle Tout in Sussex. Any archaeological project whether field or post excavation can be worthy of support.

If your group or project is lacking in funding then the CBASE may be a source of funds. The committee meets every 4 months and applications can be reviewed throughout the year. If you would like to apply for a CBASE grant contact the Grants Officer at [john.funnel@brightonarch.org.uk](mailto:john.funnel@brightonarch.org.uk) for an application form and terms and conditions.. If successful then a note about the project will be requested for publication in the newsletter.

## **Sally Christian Grants** are available from **Sussex Archaeological Society**

to support individuals starting out in archaeology as amateurs or students (including sixth formers) to assist with the costs of practical or academic training, and to enable them to gain experience in archaeological fieldwork and other forms of research in Sussex. Grants are available for short courses and dayschools, covering such subjects as surveying, excavation methods, environmental sampling, drawing and/or identifying finds; and attendance at relevant conferences or research projects.

Feedback will be required from successful applicants.

Further details are available from the Society's Research Officer ([research@sussexpast.co.uk](mailto:research@sussexpast.co.uk)) to whom all applications should be submitted at least five weeks before a proposed funded course or project takes place

## **Give as you Live**



A free way to raise money for CBA South East when shopping online.

Fund raising on behalf of the Council for British Archaeology South East, supporting annual grants to be awarded for archaeological research in the region, can be as simple as using this fund raising platform – <https://www.giveasyoulive.com/> – and costs nothing more than the advertised price of your goods.

Details of how to use Give as you Live can be found on our website: [www.cbасouth-east.org/raise-money-for-cba-se-for-free/](http://www.cbасouth-east.org/raise-money-for-cba-se-for-free/)

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

Next e-letter will be issued approximately **November 1st**– please send any November, December and January items by **October 27<sup>th</sup>**.

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