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# **NEWSLETTER – December 2018**

# We wish everyone

# MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR

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**Current Archaeology Award - Research Project of the Year 2019:** this year EDAS member Dave Stewart and Miles Russell of Bournemouth University have been nominated for the prestigious Current Archaeology Research Project of the Year 2019 award. Please support this important Dorset focused project "Iron Age Interior Design – mapping the inside of Dorset's Hillfort Enclosures" by voting for them (see page 6)

#### NOTES:

**The EDAS November Lecture** by Margaret Cox proved to be very popular and we had a number of new faces in the audience. This was great and I hope that some at least will return. It also shows that our publicity works, so thank you Vanessa.

The EDAS December Lecture : is by Phil Judkins: "Chess - The Air War Over Britain and Germany"

**The EDASWorth Matravers Conference**: held on 1<sup>st</sup> December was a great success and a big thank you to everyone involved. See page 5

**New View from Above Series**: big thank you to EDAS members Jo and Sue Crane who have provided us with a lot more aerial photoraphs they have taken of fantastic archaeological features in the area

**Weblinks:** this is proving to be a very popular monthly feature so a big thanks to Alan Dedden who collates articles about archaeology and anything that he finds of interest available on the web.

A BIG THANK YOU to all the team who provide the refreshments at our meetings.

#### Andrew Morgan

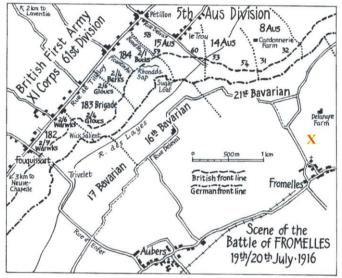
# EDAS Lecture: The lost soldiers of Fromelles - Naming the Dead by Professor Margaret Cox PhD, FRIA

In November we were prividged to have professor Margaret Cox give us a talk about the Fromelles Project 2008present. This proved to be a very popular subject and we were delighted to welcome a number of guests.

This project was set up by Australia Defence (UWC-A) and the British MoD and Margaret was employed as the Consultant Scientific Advisor to Unrecovered War Casualties. This was a suitably poignant lecture since we were celebrating the 100<sup>th</sup> year since the armistice that ended the First World War, the war to end all wars. Margaret was once a member of EDAS until she moved away from the area. She is now one of the country's most renowned forensic anthropologist with an international reputation.

Margaret explained that Fromelles lies 22kms west of Lille and was the location for the Battle of Fromelles on the  $19^{th}$ and  $20^{th}$  July 1916. This was a British military operation to support the main Somme offensive and intended to exploit an anticipated weakening of the German defences. The battle was fought by men of the 5<sup>th</sup> Australian and 61st British Divisions against the  $16^{th}$ ,  $17^{th}$  and  $21^{st}$  Bavarian Divisions supported by two flanking divisions of the German  $6^{th}$  Army. The front was four kilometres long and focussed on a salient named Sugar Loaf.

Preparations for the attack were rushed, the troops involved were inexperienced in trench warfare and the strength of the German defence was significantly underestimated, the attackers being outnumbered 2:1. The



advance took place in daylight on a narrow front against defences overlooked by the Aubers Ridge, which left German artillery on either side free to fire into the flanks of the attack. Unsurprisingly the attack was a failure. The battle resulted in the greatest number of Australian deaths in action in 24 hours. The 5th Australian Division lost 5,313 casualties (1,780 fatalities, 1,370 missing) whilst the under strength 61st Division lost 1,547 casualties (503 fatalities and 206 missing). There were 1,659 commonwealth bodies missing after the battle. The German casualties were c. 978 (469 fatalities, 206 missing). At the time there was a convention that after an assult a truce would be agreed so that each side could recover their dead, but for some reason at Fromelles, the allies refused.

Margaret explained the official British attitude towards missing soldiers is to leave them unless they happen to be found, when they will be treated with due repect. In reality this is a logistical necessity because of the sheer numbers; too many men lost in too many conflicts fought to build and protect the Empire. BUT Australia takes a different approach and acticvely searches for its missing soldiers.

Australian research uncovered convincing evidence that Australian soldiers from this battle had been buried by the Germans in mass graves near Pheasant Wood, Fromelles. They found references in Red Cross records that c. 1,600 Commonwealth soldiers had been buried by the Germans. Specifically there was a record that Colonel von Braun, commander of a Bavarian Infantry Regiment had ordered his men to prepare mass graves for 400 British soldiers. Aerial photographs were taken at the time by a British reconnaissance aircraft on 21<sup>st</sup> July showed a light railway had been constructed ending near the wood, now known to have been constructed to carry the bodies. Eight earthworks were recognised and mistakenly recorded as dugouts and mortar pits but in fact these were eight burial pits each measuring 10m x 2.2m x 5m.

In response to this research the Australian Government commissioned a geophysical survey in 2007, and an archaeological evaluation of the site near Pheasant Wood in 2008. These were undertaken by Glasgow University Archaeological Research Department (GUARD). A series of test trenches pits were dug and these suggested that up to 400 soldiers were present in five mass graves. Because of British soldiers were also expected a bipartite project was incepted and funded by the British and Australian governments.

The main objectives of the project were clearly defined: to identify as many soldiers as possible to their name, or to the army for which they fought, else they were classified as Known Only Unto God. The final task was to re-inter the soldiers in named graves in a new bespoke cemetery in Fromelles in 2010.

The excavation was undertaken based on a set of procedures and protocols that had been developed by Margaret and published by the Inforce Foundation (Cox,M et all. 2008, CUP). The site was treated as a crime scene. The archaeological excavation recording and recovery was based on forensic principles to ensure the integrity of the artefacts and to prevent contamination. Eight features were excavated.



The project was cutting edge in combining forensic and archaeological methods with DNA and other scientific analyses.

All the human remains and associated artefacts were recovered. The human remains underwent anthropological analysis including: radiography and odontology to determine characteristics relevant to identification.

DNA analysis of bone and/or teeth was performed for each soldier. At the same time genealogy checks were undertaken to trace the families of the missing soldiers and other evidence sought such as photographs and any information that could help establish identity. Wherever possible the project took DNA samples from 'genetically informative relatives' of the families of the missing soldiers.

Mararet explained that this was very challenging but stimulating work. The land of Flanders is difficult, the soil being rich in clay and prone to flooding. As the site was opened up it required specialised techniques to drain the site and pumps to keep the water from accumulating.

Oxford Archaeology excavated the graves with an international team of highly experienced forensic archaeologists, anthropologists, surveyors, photographers, scene of crime officers, logistics and health and safety managers (including EOD/UXO). Many had worked on other hideous crime scenes such as in Bosnia, Rwanda and the London Tube bombing.

Six graves contained the human remains and some associated artefacts. Five held between 44 and 52 soldiers and the sixth held three. The soldiers had each been placed in graves sized c. 9.0m x 1.8m x 1.5m. The identification process was based on three methods, the anthropological analysis, archaeological analysis and finally DNA analysis.

Anthropological analysis of the human remains can assist with identification. This was very useful with the Australian soldiers since their military records were very thorough and any health or physical characteristics were well recorded. Existing conditions such as a bone break or a slight disability could be used to help in the identification process. (It has to be pointed out that much of the British WWI archive had been lost during the London blitz in WWII.) It could on occasion also help suggest a likely cause of death, whether a bullet wound, or cut by a sword blade. An unexpected problem was that witness statements recorded at the time were often conflicting; totally understandable since they were trying to recall an image amongst the inferno of battle.

One of the problems facing the team was the lack of artefacts. This is because the Germans had removed most of them, not as war trophies, but to be sent to the Red Cross so they could be returned to relatives and help them understand the fate of their lost ones. But the reaining objects could help to build up a picture. Dog tags and military insignia and prized personal items were especially helpful, even a name scratched into a set of dentures.



The anthropological analysis provides sets of data which build up an

identification profile: to include biological sex, age estimate and range, approximate stature, healed trauma and pathology events, dental disease and treatment, and peri mortem events. Basic aging of human remains is straight

forward when the skeletal remains are well preserved and achieved by considering the development of certain bones. All bones will have fused completely by the age of 21 years apart from the discs at end of the clavicle which fuse by the age of 31 years. It is difficult to age older corpses.

As an aside Margaret commented on the fact that Australians usually showed very advanced and good dental care whilst the British suffered from rotten teeth. It was a common practise in Britain to celebrate a 21<sup>st</sup> birthday by having all your teeth removed and replaced by a set of dentures.

DNA analysis is a vital tool for identifying human remains and samples were taken for all the bodies. Both mDNA and Y-STR (Y-chromosone only passed down by the male parent) analysis was used for positive identification. Prevention of contamination was crucial during recovery, storage and analysis – appropriate precautions were taken and an elimination database was established.

Another problem that the team had to cope with was that the Australian army was recruited not just from Australia but also Britain and the rest of Europe due to migration. There are two categories of identification.

**Presumptive Identification**: is based on anthropological criteria (eg. age, sex, stature, health, peri-mortum evidence), and archaeological information such as location and associated artefacts which may provide name, identify regiment, and suggest personal interests (eg. dentures, dog tags, insignia, rosary beads).

**Positive Identification**: can only be provided with the use of DNA analysis and even then the DNA sample must be of good quality and there must be no other conflicting evidence. To help with the identification a large number of possible genetic relations donated over 6000 samples that have so far been processed. Even though the DNA results are compared with informative donors (eg. children, nephews/nieces, grandchildren) it is not beyond reasonable doubt and Positive identification is caveated as being: 'substantially more likely than than not', supported by clear and convincing evidence.

To date 159 of the human remains have been named. 233 have been aligned with the Australian army, 2 from the British army and 13 Known Only Unto God.

The cemetery was officially opened on 19<sup>th</sup> July 2010. The work continues but this is dependent on family members coming forward with DNA samples.

One unexpected insight into the horrors of this conflict was the respect shown by the Bavarian soldiers to their dead enemies. Margaret suggested this was a reflection of them being Bavarian rather than Prussian who may not have shown such care.



An unfortunate aside being that one of the German survivors was Lance Corporal Adolph Hitler aged 27 years.

There were a number of interesting questions asked at the end and we all thanked Margaret for a fascinating talk.

#### Andrew Morgan

# **EDAS - Worth Matravers Excavation Conference**

The conference was held on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December at Dorford Centre Dorchester. It must be one of the most prestigious events yet organised by EDAS with an excellent selection of expert speakers. (The Last Open Day held at Druce Roman Villa in 2015 with 1,000 visitors remains the biggest!) We had publicised the event throughout Dorset and beyond; all the local societies with a possible interest had been informed one way or another. Posters and leaflets were also put on display in as many libraries and



museums we could get to. We had arranged for 150 seats to be arranged at the Dorford Centre and offered Free Admission so as not to discourage anybody. However we remained slightly anxious about the turnout, but before the hall was officially opened we started to receive a trickle of people and well

before we started the hall was very busy and we had welcomed well in excess of 120 people (our official counter ran out of fingers).

During the afternoon Lilian eagerly displayed her monograph and 19 were sold on the day, meaning the full complement of books sent by BAR Publishing have been sold. Note all these monies are for BAR Publishing.

After a brief introduction which included thanks to everyone who had helped the project, we handed over to David Hinton who gave an excellent overview of the archaeological work that has taken place in Purbeck through the ages including Calkin and Cunliffe. He ended by describing the training excavation he organised for Southampton University undergraduates in the early 1990's on a site adjacent to where EDAS worked. Lilian then explained the work that EDAS undertook from 2006 – 2011 which covered a Neolithic enclosure ditch and went via middle bronze age round house, a very exciting LBA/EIA transition period midden site, included lots of large storage pits and into the iron Age and the Roman barn used as a shale workshop. She explained how we were recalled to excavate a post-Roman cemetery unexpectedly discovered by a large mechanical digger and spotted by Bob Kenyon. We enjoyed a quick comfort break and some refreshments expertly managed by Janet, Karen, Peter and others.

The second part started with probably the most exciting session of the afternoon by Niall Sharples who talked about his research work on midden sites throughout southern England. Of particular interest was his investigation into their relationship with the development of later hillfort structures. I did a brief explanation of the findings from the post excavation analysis undertaken by contracted experts on four special finds



found on the site including a fragment of glass which originated in Poland during the LBA/EIA transition period. This was followed by Sue Cullinane who gave an interesting explanation of the scale and importance of the shale industry from the Neolithic period into Roman times. Showing some magnificent artefacts that have been found throughout England and on the continent which had been made from the local blackstone of Kimmeridge. Finally in the twilight zone (as she called it) Clare Randall our osteoarcheologist gave a fascinating talk about the animal bone assemblage throughout the period making comparisons to other sites. Then she explained the significance of the neonate burials found within the Roman buildings. Finally she described her work on the human remains found in the post Roman cemetery where she has discovered some interesting physiological features that are shared between some of the skeletal remains, which are indicative of family relationships.

After four hours of intensive talks the audience and the speakers were exhausted, I did not see anybody leave early! There was a brief Q&A before final thanks to the audience and the speakers.

#### Big thank you to everyone who supported the event.

#### Andrew Morgan



# Current Archaeology Award - Research Project of the Year 2019

Hillforts are among the most dramatic and visually striking archaeological monuments in the landscape. Dorset is particularly rich in such enclosures, with 35 – including the internationally famous sites of Badbury Rings, Hambledon Hill, Hod Hill, and Maiden Castle – having been recorded to date.

In recent years, detailed geophysical surveys have been undertaken elsewhere but the Dorset sites had been rather neglected. This was something EDAS member Dave Stewart and Miles Russell of Bournemouth University were keen to correct. For more information about the project follow the below listed weblink.

Their impressive work has been recognised and been nominated for the prestigious Current Archaeology Research Project of the Year 2019 award.

Please support this project which is provides a better understanding about some of the most important archaeological features in Dorset. "Iron Age Interior Design – mapping the inside of Dorset's Hillfort Enclosures". **PLEASE VOTE** on the following website:

https://www.archaeology.co.uk/awards/research-project-of-the-year-2019.htm

## View from Above No 14: Avebury (NGR SU10266996)

The village of Avebury sits within one of the most impressive prehistoric monuments in southern England. It is located 17 miles from Stonehenge and 6 miles from Marlborough and sits in a chalk landscape. If you haven't been go immediately.



Photo by Sue and Jo Crane

This Neolithic monument comprises a large henge with an impressive ditch and outer bank, within which is the largest megalithic stone circle in Europe. Two separate smaller stone circles are situated inside the centre of the monument. There is an avenue defined by paired stones approaching the henge from the south east and leads towards the Sanctuary which featured rings of wooden posts within a henge structure, they were later replaced by stones.

It is part of an extensive prehistoric landscape which includes the West Kennet Long Barrow, Silbury Hill and Windmill Hill. Avebury suffered a great deal of destruction in the Late Medieval and Early Modern periods due to both religious and practical reasons. Recent surveys have revealed an earlier lost square structure possibly dating to 3,500 BC.

This makes for a great day out and there are several interesting walks as well as a very good museum and a NT manor house nearby.

Jo Crane

## Behind the scenes at Salisbury Museum

In November, several EDAS members attended a "Behind the Scenes" tour at Salisbury Museum, led by Museum Director Adrian Green. We started outside the museum and Adrian explained the history and architecture of the King's House, the history of which dates back to the 13th century. It is Grade I listed, one of many outstanding buildings in the Close. When a torrential rain storm ensued, we were rapidly led up obscure stairways and down narrow corridors to areas where the public do not normally tread.



In the first archive room, Adrian showed us a variety of artefacts ranging from Palaeolithic and Neolithic hand axes to hammer stones - probably used with slings to smash stones for paved areas – to antler picks. Being able to handle these artefacts was a great privilege as such objects are normally behind glass in exhibition cases. We also viewed mammoth teeth and tusks and the femur of an auroch but were not allowed to touch these due to their fragile condition.



In the library, Adrian discussed many of the great antiquarians including William Camden (Britannia on topography of Britain 1586), John Aubrey (Stonehenge), William Stukeley, William Cunnington and Richard Colt Hoare, as well as Pitt Rivers and Heywood Sumner. Salisbury Museum is privileged to have many of their privately-published works in its collections and some were on display for us. It was very striking how effectively these antiquarians had surveyed Wessex archaeological sites without the scientific techniques we now take for granted.

Finally, we went to the main archaeology storeroom where Adrian prepared us for the new exhibition with a range of artefacts related to various hoards which have been acquired on behalf of Salisbury Museum. These included Bronze Age palstaves and axes, torques and finger rings. Some of the axes were so poorly made they would have used for deposition only.

At the end of the tour, there was the opportunity to visit the new



exhibition "Hoards: A Hidden History of Ancient Britain" which has been put on in partnership with the British Museum. This exhibition traces the story of hoarding from Bronze Age weapons discovered in the river Thames and the first Iron Age coin hoards, through to hoards buried after the collapse of Roman rule in Britain and in more recent times. It showcases recent discoveries of hoards reported by finders and archaeologists through the Treasure Act and brings together objects from the British Museum and Salisbury Museum, including the spectacular Ipswich Iron Age gold torcs and new prehistoric and Roman finds from Wessex.

All in all, it was a fascinating tour enjoyed by everybody. The Hoards exhibition is well worth a visit and is open until January 5<sup>th</sup> 2019.

#### Vanessa Joseph

### WEBLINKS - November

This month's list contains a number of items pushing back the pre-historic timelines. The item on the stone tools found in Algeria once again throws the previously accepted human origins story into doubt. It appears that this shows that early hominids moved out of the rift valley hundreds of thousands of years earlier than thought previously and raises a number of questions. Why did we think that the earliest human ancestors were content to stay relatively local for so long? Surely there were several possible drivers to expansion such as simple curiosity, or competition for space, or inter group rivalries, or the creation of outcasts or climatic or geological events that would have led to wider colonisation outside of the rift valley.

It is of course also possible that the first hominids evolved in multiple sites. This, to me (definitely not a specialist in this area), seems even more ground-breaking than the early migration theory. At least that, as pointed out above, has a number of easily understood rational explanations. Migration of all species is a phenomenon that has always existed, and continues to this day.

I await further discoveries of the earliest hominids with interest.

Other items on the list are from a number of sites being investigated in Egypt. These are the latest in a long string of announcements from Egypt on archaeological finds and is part of a deliberate effort to attract tourists back to Egypt following the recent troubles there. As I write this a news item has emerged of a UK student arrested getting off a commercial flight into Alexandria because he took a photo from the aircraft window that happened to include a military helicopter. In any event, we may ask, is this a good thing, that archaeology should be driven by such motives, rather than purely academic interest? If not, is it so different to rescue archaeology carried out so frequently in this country?

#### Alan Dedden

#### **Building The Pyramids**

https://www.msn.com/en-gb/news/world/new-discovery-throws-light-on-mystery-of-pyramidsconstruction/ar-BBPnZlj?li=BBoPWjQ

#### **Oldest Figurative Painting Found In Borneo Cave**

https://www.theguardian.com/science/2018/nov/07/worlds-oldest-figurative-painting-discovered-inborneo-cave

#### 10000 Year Old Mummy Is Native American Ancestor

https://www.theguardian.com/science/2018/nov/08/scientists-prove-10000-year-old-mummy-is-nativeamerican-ancestor

#### Mummified Cats And Scarab Beetles Found In Newly Discovered Egyptian Tomb

https://www.abc.net.au/news/2018-11-11/egyptian-archaeologists-uncover-cat-mummies-in-newlydiscovered/10485974

#### Lost City Of Tenea Found

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-6384747/Greek-authorities-say-lost-ancient-city-Tenealocated.html

#### Skeletons Of New Species Of Vegetarian Dinosaur Found In Brazil

https://www.independent.co.uk/news/science/dinosaur-bones-skeleton-brazil-south-america-discovery-vegetarian-a8643651.html

#### Lost Gold Of The Danube

https://hungarytoday.hu/lost-gold-treasures-of-the-danube-found-near-budapest/

#### Gold Coin From Time Of Ptolemy III Found In Egypt

https://greekcitytimes.com/2018/06/02/2200-year-old-gold-coin-depicting-king-ptolemy-iii-discoveredin-egypt/

#### 6000 Year Old Native American Axe Found On George Washington's Estate

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-6342853/Students-6-000-year-old-ax-George-Washington-estate.html

#### Roman Gold Coin Hoard Found Under Demolished Theatre In Como

https://www.archyworldys.com/huge-hoard-of-roman-gold-coins-discovered-in-the-italian-theatercellar/

#### Enchanted Villa Garden Uncovered In Pompeii

https://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2018/10/05/enchanting-roman-villa-adorned-writhing-snakespeacocks-discovered/

#### Iron Age Chariot Burial In Wales

https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-wales-46294000

#### **Ornate Helmet Created Based On Staffordshire Hoard Fragments**

https://www.theguardian.com/culture/2018/nov/23/ornate-gold-helmet-from-staffordshire-hoardrecreated

#### Tomb From Egyptian 18th Dynasty Found

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-4868124/Tomb-Pharoah-s-goldsmith-discovered-Luxor.html

#### Denisovan-Neaderthal Mixed Heritage Girl Found

https://www.theguardian.com/science/2018/nov/24/denisovan-neanderthal-hybrid-denny-dna-finderproject

#### Finds From The A14 Works

https://www.theguardian.com/science/2018/nov/26/prehistoric-remains-mammoth-tusks-woolly-rhino

#### Anglo-Saxon Cemetry Found In Lincolnshire

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-6430867/Anglo-Saxon-bling-women-buried-1-600years-ago-priceless-accessories.html

#### **Egypt Unveils Previously Unopened Satcophagus**

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/news/article-6424553/Remains-ancient-Egyptian-priest-oversawembalming-pharaohs-discovered.html

#### Human Origin Story Challenge

https://www.telegraph.co.uk/news/2018/11/30/24-million-year-old-tools-found-algeria-could-upendhuman-origin/

#### 9000 Year Old Stone Mask Found In Israel

https://www.dailymail.co.uk/sciencetech/article-6438301/Israel-unveils-rare-ancient-mask.html

#### Alan Dedden

## EDAS PROGRAMME 2018 - 2019

Date	Event	Who	Title		
Wed 12th Dec	Lecture	Phil Judkins	Chess - The Air War Over Britain and Germany		
2018					
2019					
Wed 9 <sup>th</sup> Jan	Lecture	Kath Walker,	Neolithic Imports or Collectors? - Continental axe-heads in		
2019			Britain by		
Wed 13th Feb	Lecture	Ben Buxton	Orkney and Beyond		
2019					
Sat 13th Mar	EDAS	AGM	2018 EDAS Field Trip: archaeological adventures in SE Wales		
2019	AGM	followed by			
		Geoff Taylor and			
		Andrew Morgan			
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Lecture	Mark Corney	Annual Bournemouth University Lecture – Title to be		
2019			confirmed		
Sun 28th Apr	Guided	David Reeve	Wimborne – the final walk by David revealing the historic town		
2019	Walk		of Wimborne through the C18 and C19th		
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Lecture	Dave Stewart	Once Upon a Hill: a study of Dorset hillforts		
2019					

Note: unless otherwise stated all lectures are from 7.30 – 9.30 pm and are held at St Catherine's Church Hall, Lewens Lane, Wimborne, BH21 1LE.

http://www.dorset-archaeology.org.uk/

# **DISTRICT DIARY**

This is a diary of interesting events held in the area. We cannot be held responsible for the arrangements so please check on the associated web-sites.

2018 Programme						
Date	Event	Group	Who	Title		

AVAS: Avon Valley Archaeological Society	Dorset Humanists
<ul> <li>at Ann Rose Hall, Greyfriars Community Centre,</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Event held at Moordown Community Centre,</li> </ul>
Christchurch Road, Ringwood BH24 1DW	Coronation Avenue, BH9 1TW.
<ul> <li><u>http://www.avas.org.uk/</u></li> </ul>	
	DNHAS: Dorset Natural History and Archaeology Society
BNSS: Bournemouth Natural Sciences Society	• Events held at various locations in Dorchester, now
• Events held at 39 Christchurch Road, Bournemouth	ticketed
BN1 3NS.	<ul> <li><u>http://www.dorsetcountymuseum.org/events</u></li> </ul>
<ul> <li><u>http://bnss.org.uk/</u></li> </ul>	Shaftesbury & District Archaeology Group:
	<ul> <li>St Peters Hall, Gold Hill, Shaftesbury.</li> </ul>
BU AHAS: Bournemouth University Archaeology, History	Wareham: Wareham and District Archaeology and Local
and Anthropology Society	History Society
<ul> <li>Events held on different days and different times</li> </ul>	• Meetings are at 7.30pm on the 3rd Wednesday of the
<ul> <li>Events usually held at Talbot Campus,</li> </ul>	month, unless otherwise indicated.
Bournemouth in Kimmeridge House room KG03 on	• The venue is Wareham Town Hall (on the corner of
Talbot Campus.	North Street and East Street).
	<ul> <li><u>http://wareham-archaeology.co.uk/</u></li> </ul>
Blandford Museum	
<ul> <li>Events held at different venues</li> </ul>	
CAA: Centre for Archaeology and Anthropology: Seminars	
and Research Centre Meetings	
<ul> <li>Events usually held at Talbot Campus,</li> </ul>	
Bournemouth in Kimmeridge House room F111 on	
Talbot Campus.	