

**ARCHAEOLOGY SCOTLAND OUT & ABOUT  
No. 27 December 2015 to January 2016**

If you would like an event, course or new publication to be included, please send basic details (e.g. date, title, place, organising body, very brief description, website and/or email address and/or phone number) to [volunteer@archaeologyscotland.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@archaeologyscotland.org.uk). Please do not send attachments. The next deadline is 14 January. Archaeology Scotland members who wish to be added to the mailing list, or those who would like their name removed, should email [volunteer@archaeologyscotland.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@archaeologyscotland.org.uk).

\*NEW\* and \*UPDATE\* indicate additions or changes to the previous list.

**1. PROGRAMMES OF EVENTS**

\*NEW\* December 2015 to Summer 2016

**CAPTURING THE PAST**

Capturing the Past is funded by the Heritage Lottery Fund supported Clyde and Avon Valley Landscape Partnership and Historic Scotland and runs until summer 2016. CAVLP Heritage are appealing for volunteers to get involved and share the historical knowledge they have already – even a small amount of time can help uncover the story of the valleys over a few thousand years. Free archaeological training will be available through the project including undertaking research, discovering and recording sites and learning how to publicise discoveries. The Capturing the Past project will document details of objects brought by the public to RSPB Baron's Haugh and make 3D models of a number of them. People's memories and stories associated with the objects will also be captured, meaning that the project team will build a picture of how people lived and worked in the valleys in the past. Further events and training weekends will take place throughout January, February and March.

<http://www.clydeandavonvalley.org>

\*NEW\* December 2015

**NATIONAL MUSEUM OF SCOTLAND THEMED TOURS**

Our free guided themed tours at National Museum of Scotland explore everything from Scotland's history to the supernatural. Themed tours take place every day at 3pm and have a different theme every day. Themed tours are subject to guide availability and some titles may change. Our free public guided tours are for adult individuals and small groups (up to six people only). More details on tours and themes at

<http://www.nms.ac.uk/national-museum-of-scotland/whats-on/december-themed-tours/>

\*NEW\* 17 December 2015

**MEET THE BOOKS: HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE FRASER MACKINTOSH RARE BOOK COLLECTION, CHARLES FRASER MACKINTOSH AND THE NAPIER COMMISSION**

Dr Jim MacPherson, UHI Centre for History leads this workshop at Inverness Library, 12:00, free event. To book call 01463 236463, further information:

[www.highlifehighland.com/meet-the-books](http://www.highlifehighland.com/meet-the-books)

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**TREASURE TROVE SCOTLAND EVENTS AND OUTREACH**

From Monday 2nd February, 2015 To Saturday 5th December, 2015 We have an exciting line up of events for 2015. Have you found an artefact and need advice on how to report it? Then come along to one of our Finds Days from 11am—3pm (unless otherwise stated) Finds Days are held across Scotland, including six regular events in the Kelvingrove Museum, Glasgow. Or come along to one of our talks and found out more about the Treasure Trove process. Events will take place in Peeblesshire, Berwick, Rothelsey, Elgin, Glasgow, Largs, St Andrews, Abertay, Perth, and Aberfeldy. To view the full schedule visit [http://digit2015.com/wpcontent/uploads/2015/01/TreasureTroveScotlandEvents\\_2015.pdf](http://digit2015.com/wpcontent/uploads/2015/01/TreasureTroveScotlandEvents_2015.pdf)

2015

**DIG IT! 2015**

Archaeology is for everyone.

It's about you, me and all the people who've gone before us. It's about identities and a sense of belonging. It's about getting muddy – or staying laboratory clean – and having fun. It's about discovering and telling Scotland's stories.

Dig It! 2015 is a year-long celebration of Scottish archaeology, co-ordinated by the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland and Archaeology Scotland. From kids taking over museums, and people exploring the story of their own local area, to digs, festivals, competitions, hidden relics and lost worlds, there are so many ways for people to get involved. We will be exploring our past through song, art, performance and story-telling. It will be exciting, fun, grassroots and messy – just like archaeology and archaeologists.

At its heart, Dig It! 2015 will explore the theme of identities.

Identities are dynamic. They operate at different scales, from the individual and local communities to the international. They change according to circumstances, whether in the great outdoors or in urban city landscapes, at sporting events or religious occasions, with the family or among strangers. They are about belonging, difference, new and old, the individual and the collective. More than anything else, identities are forged where people, places and the past meet.

Full event details are available on the DigIt! 2015 website, along with the ability to sign up for regular updates on activities and events: <http://digit2015.com/>

SAVE THE DATE FOR 20 to 23 MAY 2016

ARCHAEOLOGY SCOTLAND SUMMER SCHOOL 2016

The Summer School will be going to Stirlingshire in 2016 from 20th – 23rd of May 2016 so put the dates in your diary if you do not wish to miss out! More details will be sent out in the new year.

## **2. DIGS, CONSERVATION AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES**

2015

ADOPT-A-MONUMENT

Archaeology Scotland is working with community groups across Scotland to conserve and interpret a range of important archaeological and historical sites. There are still opportunities to have Archaeology Scotland help you with a project at a local archaeological or historic site.

For further information, please contact Phil Richardson, Adopt-a-Monument Project Manager, at Archaeology Scotland on 0845 8723333, [p.richardson@archaeologyscotland.org.uk](mailto:p.richardson@archaeologyscotland.org.uk)

You can follow Adopt-a-Monument on Twitter @adoptamonument

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INVERNESS MUSEUM AND ART GALLERY

Are able to help with enquiries or providing information on any objects of curiosity you may have. The museum also houses extensive collections, research library and expertise. For enquiries contact [cait.mccullagh@highland.life.com](mailto:cait.mccullagh@highland.life.com)

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GUIDED TOURS OF NEWBATTLE ABBEY

Guided tour of one of Midlothian's hidden historic treasures. Hear the enchanting story of Newbattle Abbey College from the 12th century to the present day. The tours are led by trained volunteer tour guides who have a keen interest in Newbattle Abbey and local history. TUESDAY EVENINGS FROM 28 August at 7.30pm

£5 per person for a 50 minute tour. Please book in advance by calling 0131 663 1921 or email [office@newbattleabbeycollege.ac.uk](mailto:office@newbattleabbeycollege.ac.uk)

GROUPS - please call the College to arrange a package to suit your requirements and budget.

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RESEARCHING AVIEMORE, GLENMORE AND UPPER STRATHSPEY

The Cairngorms National Park Authority and the Royal Commission on the Ancient and Historical Monuments of Scotland (RCAHMS) are organising a three-year programme of activities offering training and support to those wishing to research and explore the history

of Aviemore and its surrounding area. Further information from Kevin Grant, [communities@rcahms.gov.uk](mailto:communities@rcahms.gov.uk)

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#### WESTERN ISLES ARCHAEOLOGY PROJECT

Fishermen, beachcombers, divers and local people in the Western Isles are being urged to report anything unusual they've spotted at the shoreline or under the sea to a new archaeological project, which is searching for the prehistoric and historic remains of the coastal and marine areas of the Outer Hebrides. OHCCMAPP is a partnership between RCAHMS, WA Coastal & Marine, Historic Scotland and Comhairle nan Eilean Siar. For more information or to have a chat about getting involved, contact [marine@rcahms.gov.uk](mailto:marine@rcahms.gov.uk) or see <http://www.rcahms.gov.uk>

### 3. CONFERENCES

### 4. TALKS AND LECTURES

\*UPDATE\*

#### RCAHMS LUNCHTIME LECTURES

The 2015 schedule is not yet complete but a full list will be available on their website soon. A number of the 2012 lectures can be downloaded in mp3 format.

<http://www.rcahms.gov.uk/rcahms-lunchtime-lectures.html>

\*NEW\* 9<sup>th</sup> December 2015

#### LANDSCAPE ENCOUNTERS II: AN ILLICIT WHISKY CHASER

A talk by Clare Wilson, 7:00pm - 9:00pm at the Stirling Smith. Landscape Encounters II is the second in a series of free public lectures designed to showcase to a wider audience some of the past and current research projects undertaken by the staff at the Centre for Environment, Heritage and Policy at the University of Stirling.

\*NEW\* 9 December 2015

Pioneers of the Highland Railway Tracks" The story of William and Murdoch Paterson  
A talk by Ann-Mary Paterson, 7:30pm, Millburn Academy, Inverness. Organised by Inverness Field Club. See <http://www.invernessfieldclub.org.uk/>

\*NEW\* 14 December 2015

#### SIR ROBERT, THE ROYAL INCORPORATION AND THE FESTIVAL OF ARCHITECTURE 2016

A lecture by Neil Baxter, Hon FRIAS, The Royal Incorporation of Architects in Scotland. Founded in 1916 at a dinner honouring Sir Robert Rowand Anderson, the Royal Incorporation of Architects in Scotland (RIAS) was, with Holyrood Palace, a main beneficiary of Anderson's Will, five years later. For its centenary, the Incorporation is preparing the largest celebration of the 'mother of the arts' ever seen – with public events the length and breadth of Scotland, highlighting the crucial importance of a quality built environment to all of our lives – and to generate a lot of fun! 6pm, Auditorium National Museum Scotland (use Lothian Street doors), Chambers Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1JF United Kingdom, booking essential <http://www.socantscot.org/event/100-years-young-the-rias-and-the-festival-of-architecture-2016/>

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\*NEW\* 17 December 2015

EVERY OBJECT TELLS A STORY: HANDLING AND SHARING ITEMS FROM THE HUGH MILLER'S BIRTHPLACE COTTAGE & MUSEUM AND FROM OUR OWN LIVES

A talk by Dr Alix H.J. Powers-Jones. Followed by mulled wine and minced pies, 7:30pm, West Church Hall, Cromarty. Non-members: £3. Organised by Cromarty History Society and Friends of Cromarty Courthouse. Further information at [www.cromartyhistory.scot](http://www.cromartyhistory.scot)

\*NEW\* 7 January 2016

LAND OWNERSHIP IN LOCHABER V

A talk by Richard Sidgwick, 8pm, Ben Nevis Hotel, Fort William. Organised by Lochaber Local History Society.

\*NEW\* 11 January 2016

THE BRONZE AGE NEOLITHIC? PROBLEMS OF CONTINUITY AND CHRONOLOGY

A lecture by Dr Alex Gibson, Reader in Prehistory, University of Bradford, in association with The Prehistoric Society. For some time it has been commonly acknowledged that Bronze Age ceramics developed from Neolithic forms. Radiocarbon chronology, however, has shown that there was almost a millennium between the demise of Impressed Wares and the advent of Food Vessels and Urns. Given this chronological gap, how do we explain the undeniable similarities? A closer inspection of Bronze Age culture and customs suggests that there was more than just pottery making a re-appearance. 6pm, Auditorium National Museum Scotland (use Lothian Street doors), Chambers Street, Edinburgh, EH1 1JF United Kingdom, booking essential

<http://www.socantscot.org/event/the-bronze-age-neolithic-problems-of-continuity-and-chronology-edinburgh/>

\*NEW\* 12 January 2016

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<http://www.socantscot.org/event/the-bronze-age-neolithic-problems-of-continuity-and-chronology-aberdeen/>

\*NEW\* 21 January 2016

SCANDALS AND REAY HOUSE: BANKRUPTCIES, FORNICATION, KIDNAPPING AND THE PURSUIT OF DEBT

A talk by Roger Young, 7:30 pm, West Church Hall, Cromarty. Non-members: £3.

Organised by Cromarty History Society and Friends of Cromarty Courthouse. Further information at [www.cromartyhistory.scot](http://www.cromartyhistory.scot)

\*NEW\* 22 January 2016

MURDER ON THE BLACK ISLE: A TALE OF LUST, LUCK & LEGACY

A talk by Dr Graham Clark, 7:30pm, Nairn Free Church, Gordon Street, Nairn, IV12 4DQ Organised by Nairn Literary Institute

\*NEW\* 27 January 2015

CULLODEN ESTATE: A LOCAL HISTORY CASE STUDY FROM THE 18TH CENTURY TO THE GREAT WAR

A talk by Norman Newton, 7:30pm, Highland Archive and Registration Centre, Bught Road, Inverness. Organised by Highland Family History Society [www.highlandfamilyhistorysociety.org](http://www.highlandfamilyhistorysociety.org)

## 5. EXHIBITIONS

21 March 2015 to 20 May 2017

#### NEXT OF KIN TOUR: SCOTTISH FAMILIES AND THE GREAT WAR

1914 brought war to Scotland on what would prove to be an unprecedented scale. This exhibition reveals the profound personal stories of the separation and loss experienced by Scottish families and by communities with loved ones fighting abroad. The First World War separated millions of people worldwide from their families and homes. The impact of the conflict was felt by communities in every part of Scotland as family members fought across the fronts and news of losses were received. For the servicemen and women who experienced the conflict first-hand, keeping objects was a way of remembering this extraordinary period in their lives. Families coped with the loss of their loved ones by collecting and cherishing these souvenirs along with postcards, letters and photographs sent home and official presentations such as service medals and memorial plaques. Through a selection of these family keepsakes, this exhibition presents a portrait of Scotland at war, where the private lives of Scottish families introduce some of the themes and events of the conflict across the fighting fronts.

Hawick Museum – 5 October to 21 December 2015

Low Parks Museum, Hamilton – 23 December 2015 to 29 March 2016

Grampian Transport Museum, Alford – 2 April to 31 August 2016

Inverness Museum and Art Gallery – 17 September to 5 November 2016

Perth Museum and Art Gallery – 11 November 2016 to 6 February 2017

Orkney Museum – 18 February to 20 May 2017

\*NEW\* 1 December 2015 to 17 January 2016

#### ROUKEN GLEN PARK ARCHAEOLOGY EXHIBITION

Exhibition of park excavations, items found and research conducted by Archaeology Scotland over the last 18 months. Find out about our Bronze Age art, bleach fields, working mills, buildings and bandstands. No booking required. 10am to 4pm. Closed public holidays of Christmas Eve afternoon, Christmas Day, Boxing Day, Hogmanay afternoon, New Year's Day and 2nd January.

## 6. WALKS, HOLIDAYS AND OUTINGS

#### THE SCOTTISH CRANNOG CENTRE, KENMORE, LOCH TAY

Featuring a unique reconstruction of an early Iron Age loch-dwelling.

Exhibition, guided tour, 'hands on' crafts and technology demonstrations, and special events. For opening times see <http://www.crannog.co.uk>

#### ORKNEY ARCHAEOLOGY TOURS

All-inclusive small group holidays and private tours run by professional archaeologists who are also accredited Orkney Tourist Guides.

2013 brochure downloadable from <http://www.orkneyarchaeologytours.co.uk>

tel. 01856 721217 or 01856 721450

#### BORDERS HERITAGE WEBSITE

Official web site of the Countryside and Heritage Service of Scottish Borders Council.

Information includes places to visit and publications.

<http://www.scottishbordersheritage.co.uk>

#### EAST LOTHIAN COUNCIL ARCHAEOLOGY SERVICE

For archaeological guided walks in East Lothian, see

<http://www.eastlothian.gov.uk/archaeology>

#### HIGHLAND COUNCIL RANGERS

The 2015 programme of walks by the Highland Council Rangers can be downloaded here:

<http://www.outdoorhighlands.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2015/02/Ranger-Guide-2015-D.pdf>

#### LOCAL MUSEUMS

See Museums Galleries Scotland website,

<http://www.museumsgalleriesScotland.org.uk/search-for-museums-&-galleries/results/?all>

#### STIRLING HERITAGE TRAILS

Stirling Heritage Trails are a series of walks and interpretation around the historic cores of Stirling linked to the key locations around the Battle of Bannockburn. There are 7 local walks: Riverside, St Ninians, Cambuskenneth, Borestone, Braehead and Broomridge, Cambusbarron and Bannockburn with an eighth overarching walk.

<http://www.stirlingheritagetrails.co.uk>

## **7. SHORT COURSES**

## **8. DEGREE COURSES**

BISHOP GROSSETESTE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LINCOLN

Masters Programme in Community Archaeology

<http://www.bishopg.ac.uk/postgraduate>

UNIVERSITY OF ABERDEEN

SCHOOL OF GEOSCIENCES

Undergraduate and postgraduate courses in archaeology: all may be done by Flexible Learning.

<http://www.abdn.ac.uk/archaeology/>

UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

SCHOOL OF HISTORY, CLASSICS AND ARCHAEOLOGY

Undergraduate and postgraduate courses in archaeology

<http://www.shca.ed.ac.uk/archaeology>

UNIVERSITY OF GLASGOW

DEPARTMENT OF ARCHAEOLOGY

Undergraduate and postgraduate courses in archaeology

<http://www.gla.ac.uk/departments/archaeology/>

UNIVERSITY OF THE HIGHLANDS AND ISLANDS (UHI)

Undergraduate and postgraduate courses in archaeology and geophysics (subject to validation)

<http://www.uhi.ac.uk/home/courses/courses-available/arts-social-sciences-and-theology/archaeology-and-geophysics>

studyarchaeology@uhi.ac.uk, tel: Orkney College 01856 569000

FOR MORE COURSES

see British Archaeological Jobs and Resources (BAJR)

<http://www.bajr.org/BAJREducation/default.asp>

## **9. NEW PUBLICATIONS**

THOMAS TELFORD TRAIL AROUND THE KYLE OF SUTHERLAND

The ARCH project Telford in the Kyle of Sutherland has produced a trail highlighting Telford remains in the Kyle of Sutherland, including several previously unrecorded examples.

Available locally including from the Kyle of Sutherland Heritage Trust, or send SAE to ARCH, The Goods Shed, The Old Station, Strathpeffer IV14 9DH.

SNAPSHOTS OF HISTORY ALONG DINGWALL HIGH STREET

The first of the Dingwall History Society walks has just been published and is available locally, including at Dingwall library.

PREHISTORIC ROUNDHOUSES IN WESTER ROSS AND PARTS OF SKYE

The results from the interesting WeDigs project in Wester Ross are summarised in this booklet. Cost: £4 plus postage. Email Anna Welti on [annawelti@btinternet.com](mailto:annawelti@btinternet.com) The project website <http://www.wedigs.co.uk/> also has information about the project.

Scotland's Archaeology Strategy Consultation

## 10. E-NEWSLETTERS

### ARCH NEWSLETTER

Archaeology for Communities in the Highlands (ARCH)

Subscribe free via <http://www.archhighland.org.uk/index.asp>

### ARCHAEO NEWS

Summaries of news articles about the latest prehistoric discoveries worldwide.

Subscribe free via <http://www.stonepages.com/news/>

### HARP E-BULLETIN

Heritage and Archaeological Research Practice. A bi-monthly e-bulletin detailing workshops, field schools and events run by HARP in both the UK and abroad

Subscribe free via <http://www.harparchaeology.co.uk/contact-us>

### RURAL ARCHAEOLOGY BULLETIN

An occasional, downloadable newsletter from Archaeology Scotland with the latest events, policies and other news affecting archaeology and rural land management.

Rural Archaeology Bulletin No. 53, 14 July 2014

<http://www.archaeologyscotland.org.uk/sites/default/files/pdfs/AS%20Rural%20Archaeology%20Bulletin%2053%2011th%20July%202014.pdf>

### SCHARP NEWSLETTER

A free downloadable newsletter produced every month by SCHARP (Scotland's Coastal Heritage At Risk Project)

<http://scharp.co.uk/news/2013/Oct/07/latest-scharp-newsletter-out-now/>

## 11. USEFUL WEBSITES

### BRITISH ARCHAEOLOGICAL JOBS AND RESOURCES (BAJR)

A wide range of information on archaeological affairs, including jobs, courses and reading material.

<http://www.bajr.org/>

### CANMORE

The window into the RCAHMS database of archaeological sites and monuments.

<http://www.rcahms.gov.uk/canmore.html>

### COUNCIL FOR BRITISH ARCHAEOLOGY PUBLICATIONS

<http://www.britarch.ac.uk/books>

### HIGHLAND HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT RECORD

The Highland Council's database of buildings, archaeological sites and finds.

<http://her.highland.gov.uk/>

### INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL FOR ARCHAEOZOOLOGY

The International Council for Archaeozoology (ICAZ) is a nonprofit organization devoted to promoting archaeozoological research of the highest scientific standards and fostering communication among the international community of archaeozoologists.

<http://www.alexandriaarchive.org/icaaz/>

### NATIONAL LIBRARY OF SCOTLAND

The National Library of Scotland is the world's leading centre for the study of Scotland and the Scots. A major European research library, with collections of world-class importance. Houses over 48,000 maps of Scotland viewable online.

<http://www.nls.uk/>

<http://maps.nls.uk/>

### NORTH OF SCOTLAND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY (NOSAS)

Website: [www.nosas.co.uk](http://www.nosas.co.uk)

Facebook Page: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/NOSAS/220238921450620>  
 Blog: <http://nosasblog.wordpress.com/>

#### THE PICTISH ART SOCIETY

Website for the Pictish Arts Society detailing events and annual conference details. Membership can be obtained through the website.  
[www.thepictishartsociety.org.uk](http://www.thepictishartsociety.org.uk)

#### SCARF

The Scottish Archaeological Research Framework website  
 The Scottish Archaeological Research Framework (ScARF) reflects the current state of knowledge regarding Scotland's past. As understanding of the past changes, so too will ScARF. It should be seen as a live document that will be constantly updated, edited and improved.  
<http://www.scottishheritagehub.com/>

#### THE SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES OF SCOTLAND ONLINE CONTENT

Many lectures and events from the Society are now available to view for free online  
<http://www.socantscot.org/articles.asp?pubid=92&Menu=>

#### THE SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES OF SCOTLAND ON-LINE SHOP

<http://www.socantscot.org/store.asp?Menu=>

#### THE SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES OF SCOTLAND PUBLICATIONS

These include the entire contents of PSAS as well as current titles.  
<http://www.socantscot.org/publications.asp?Menu=>

#### TRAFFICKING CULTURE WEBSITE

Trafficking Culture is a research project based at the University of Glasgow, currently funded by the European Research Council from 2012-16, which aims to produce an evidence-based picture of the contemporary global trade in looted cultural objects.  
<http://traffickingculture.org/>

#### WEST OF SCOTLAND ARCHAEOLOGY SERVICE

Database of buildings archaeological sites and finds for Argyll and Bute, East Ayrshire, East Renfrewshire, Glasgow City, Inverclyde, North Ayrshire, Renfrewshire, South Ayrshire, South Lanarkshire, West Dumfrieshire, West Lothian, Loch Lomond & the Trossachs National Park  
[www.wosas.net](http://www.wosas.net)

## 12. NATIONAL AND REGIONAL ORGANISATIONS

#### ARCHAEOLOGY FOR COMMUNITIES IN THE HIGHLANDS (ARCH)

<http://www.archhighland.org.uk/index.asp>

#### ARCHAEOLOGY SCOTLAND

<http://www.archaeologyscotland.org.uk>

#### COUNCIL FOR BRITISH ARCHAEOLOGY

<http://www.britarch.ac.uk>

#### HISTORIC SCOTLAND

<http://www.historic-scotland.gov.uk>

#### NATIONAL MUSEUMS SCOTLAND

<http://www.nms.ac.uk>

#### THE NATIONAL TRUST FOR SCOTLAND

<http://www.nts.org.uk/Home>

#### THE NAUTICAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

<http://www.nauticalarchaeologicalsociety.org>



**THE PLACES OF WORSHIP IN SCOTLAND PROJECT**

Promoting the recording of church sites and buildings of all places of worship in Scotland.

<http://www.scottishchurches.org.uk>

**THE ROYAL COMMISSION ON THE ANCIENT AND HISTORIC MONUMENTS OF SCOTLAND (RCAHMS)**

<http://www.rcahms.gov.uk>

**SCOTTISH MAPS FORUM****NATIONAL LIBRARY OF SCOTLAND**

Annual conference and free newsletter (Cairt)

For further information or to be added to the mailing list, email [maps@nls.uk](mailto:maps@nls.uk) or phone 0131 623 3970

**SCAPE — SCOTTISH COASTAL ARCHAEOLOGY AND THE PROBLEM OF EROSION**

A charity that seeks to research, conserve and promote the archaeology of Scotland's coasts.

<http://www.scapetrust.org>

SCAPE runs the SHOREWATCH project, involving communities in recording the eroding archaeology of Scotland's coasts

<http://www.shorewatch.co.uk>

**SCOTTISH ARCHAEOLOGICAL FORUM (SAF)**

SAF is run by a committee of archaeologists and its prime function is to organise conferences and workshops which further the study of archaeology in Scotland.

<http://www.scottisharchaeologicalforum.org.uk/>

**THE SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES OF SCOTLAND**

<http://www.socantscot.org>

**TREASURE TROVE**

<http://www.treasuretrovescotland.co.uk>

All archaeological finds in Scotland, except for Victorian and 20th-century coins, must be reported to the Treasure Trove Unit at National Museums of Scotland.

**YOUNG ARCHAEOLOGISTS CLUB**

UK-wide club for young people aged 8 to 16 who are interested in archaeology. In Scotland there are branches in Aberdeen, Biggar, East Lothian, Falkirk, Inverness, Kilmartin, Perth, Ross & Cromarty, and Stirling.

For information contact YAC, <http://www.yac-uk.org>

**13. OTHER ORGANISATIONS****ARCHAEOLOGICAL CONTRACTORS AND CONSULTANTS**

For a list, see <http://www.archaeologyscotland.org/index.php?q=node/216>

**ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETIES AND OTHER ORGANISATIONS**

For a list, see <http://www.archaeologyscotland.org/?q=node/212>

**LOCAL AUTHORITY ARCHAEOLOGISTS**

For a list, see <http://www.archaeologyscotland.org/?q=node/214>

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<http://www.archhighland.org.uk/index.asp>

**NEW MEMBERS**

Archaeology Scotland welcomes new members: see  
<http://www.archaeologyscotland.org.uk/?q=node/57>

**ARCHAEOLOGY SCOTLAND OUT & ABOUT**

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