
The Society for Medieval Archaeology was founded in 1957 to further ‘the study of unwritten evidences of British history since the Roman period by the publication of a journal and in any way that may be approved from time to time by the Council’. The Officers and Council of the Society are listed after the Accounts. The Society is a Registered Charity, no. 216619.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Society was held on Monday, 1 December 2003 in the Terrace Gallery of the Museum of London. The retiring members of Council were Dr Geoff Egan, Dr Sally Foster and Dr David Griffiths. The following were elected to Council: Dr Dawn Hadley, Mark Hall and Peter Yeoman. The President, Dr Richard Hall expressed his thanks to all the retiring members of Council. Professor John Hines, Dr Andrew Reynolds and Dr Mark Gardiner were re-elected as Hon. Editor, Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer respectively. The Treasurer then sought the agreement of the meeting for an increase in subscription rates, which was approved. The AGM was followed by the Annual Lecture given by Professor Dagfinn Skre entitled ‘Kaupang — A Norwegian Viking Town of the Ninth Century’.

RESEARCH GRANTS

The following research grants were awarded:

Research Fund
Simon Timberlake for dating of hearths at Cwmystwyth, Ceredigion £500
Gabor Thomas for survey work at Bishopstone, Sussex £1,410

Fletcher Fund
Katharine Forsyth to participate in the 12th International Celtic Congress £100
Jacquelyn Frith for monastic crafts in Yorkshire £250
Natalie Cohen towards the publication of St Mary’s Church, Putney £400

EDITORIAL

Volume 47 of Medieval Archaeology was published on time and issued to members in November 2003.

CONFERENCE

The Society organized a three-day conference entitled ‘Able Minds and Practised Hands’ which was held in Edinburgh during April 2003. A monograph comprising papers given at the conference is in preparation.

Dr Richard Hall
President