

# NORTHAMPTONSHIRE ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

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The Society also aims to promote an informed appreciation of the county's rich archaeological heritage through lectures and field visits, and seeks to provide an effective public voice in the interest of the archaeology of the area.

The Society has a website at [www.northants-archaeology.org.uk](http://www.northants-archaeology.org.uk) and a Facebook page.

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