



WATCHING BRIEF RECORD

SITE CODE **OX50120** SITE NAME **Somerville College, kitchen** DATE **14/10/20**

NGR **SP 510 0700** County **OXFORD** Start Time **8.00**
 Finish Time **4.00**

Milage **walk** Previous Visit **X** Visit By **Aof**

Type of construction work
External electric trench

Contacts made
 [REDACTED]

Archaeology present?

Yes: **19th-20th Century garden soil**

No:

Undated:

Other:

COMMENTS

Garden soil to 0.90m bgl. with new electric trench leading from chapel north-east to kitchen/dining room

see SA1

Note - see sections for context description

Records?



WATCHING BRIEF RECORD

SITE CODE *OX504520*

SITE NAME *Somerville College, Witton*

DATE *15/10/20*

NGR
SP Stk 0700

County
Oxford

Start Time
8.00

Finish Time
16.00

Milage

Previous Visit
Nov 14/10

Visit By
RAF

Type of construction work
External electric trench

Contacts made
/

Archaeology present?

Yes: *GS*

No:

Undated:

Other:

COMMENTS

*Continued excavation of electric trench.
↳ only garden soil*

See St# 2

Records?



WATCHING BRIEF RECORD

SITE CODE *OX620*

SITE NAME *Somerhill College, Winton*

DATE *20/10/20*

NGR
SP 561 070

County
Oxford

Start Time
8.00

Finish Time
4.00

Milage

Previous Visit
Apr 15/10

Visit By
RAF

Type of construction work
Electric trench

Contacts made

Archaeology present?

Yes: *GS*

No:

Undated:

Other:

COMMENTS

*Continue excavation of electric trench
↳ GS + Natural slope to west
↳ see STB*

Records?



WATCHING BRIEF RECORD

SITE CODE OX56520

SITE NAME Somerville College

DATE 2/12/20

NGR
SP 5101 0700

County
OXFORD

Start Time
13.00

Finish Time
16.00

Milage
Previous Visit
AMB

Visit By
AMB

Type of construction work
Internal Drainage

Contacts made

Archaeology present?

Yes: Garden Soil + Septa.

No:

Undated:

Other:

COMMENTS

- 20/11/20 - Site Visit to see progress/update on planned works
 - 26/11/20 - Continued breaking slab (small piece of tx to be bgl.)
 - 27/11/20 - " " " " " "
 - 2/12/20 - Southern area of drainage trench opened
 - 4/12/20 - ↓ Continued. ↳ See SHS + 6-7 for ext notes.
 - 7/12/20 - Northern area started
 - 9/12/20 - ↓ Continued
↳ SH 7 + 8
- ↳ only area left is the small amount of drainage in the NE rooms.

Records?



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

2

SITE OXSCH20

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE GSTrench 1Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 2 1

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

1-3

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: NAT 3

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

1. Mod firm

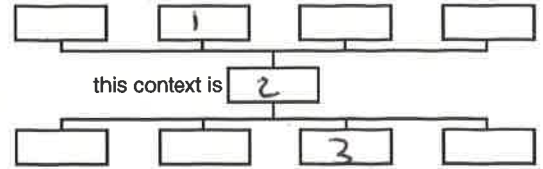
2. Mid yellowish Brown

3. Sandy clay

4. Mod degraded CBM, O₄, limestone + charcoal flecks

5. 0.6cm+ thick

6. Machine



Interpretation/Discussion:

Post-med Garden Sci 1

Finds (tick): None [] Pot [✓] Bone [] Flint [] Stone [] Burnt stone [] Glass []
 Metal [] CBM [✓] Wood [] Leather []

△ Small Finds

◇ Samples

⬠ Building Materials

Recorder ADF

Date

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

S

SITE Orsch 20

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Construction

Trench 1

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 4

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abutted by:

Plan No.

1

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

4

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: LOE

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form 6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

1. Mod soft

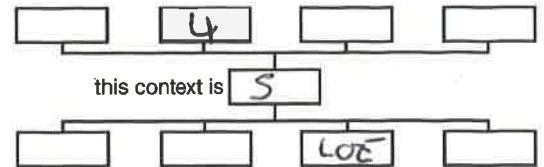
2. Mid yellowish Brown

3. Sandy Silt

4. Med-freq CBM limestone + mortar

StG: 0.4cm + thick

H5: masonry



Interpretation/Discussion:

Either a construction horizon for the building of Bachfill
to a construction cut not seen in plan.

Finds (tick): None [] Pot [] Bone [] Flint [] Stone [] Burnt stone [] Glass []
Metal [] CBM [] Wood [] Leather []

 Small Finds

Recorder AOF

 Samples

Date

 Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

8

SITE OX 50hs 20

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE GSTrench 2

Context Type: Deposit / Cut / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 7

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abuted by:

Plan No.

Cut by:

2

Filled by:

Section No.

Same as:

S, 6 + 8

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: 9 + 10

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

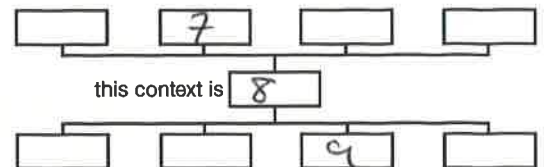
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

1. Mod firm
 2. Mod yellowish brown
 3. Sandy silt
 4. mod charcoal fleck + sub rounded flint gravel
- St6 0.24m thick
78 Machine



Interpretation/Discussion:

Post-med garden soil

Finds (tick): None Pot Bone Flint Stone Burnt stone Glass
 Metal CBM Wood Leather

△ Small Finds

Recorder NOF

◇ Samples

Date

△ Building Materials

Initials



CONTEXT RECORD

Context No.

11

SITE OK504520

ADDITIONAL SHEETS:

TYPE Con fillTrench DContext Type: Deposit / ~~Cut~~ / Structure

Check Lists:

Site sub-div

Overlain by: 7

DEPOSIT:

1. compaction
2. colour
3. composition
4. inclusion
5. thickness
6. extent
7. comments
8. method & conditions

Structure No.

Abuted by:

Plan No.

2

Cut by:

Filled by:

Section No.

7

Same as:

Part of:

CUT:

1. shape in plan
2. base/sides/top profile
3. dimension and depth
4. sketch
5. truncation
6. fill nos
7. other comments

Co-Ordinates

Consists of:

Overlies: LCE

Level

Butts:

MASONRY:

1. materials
2. size of bricks etc
3. finish of stones
4. coursing/bond
5. form
6. faces
7. bond
8. dimensions as found
9. other comments

Slide No.

Cuts:

Neg No.

Fill of:

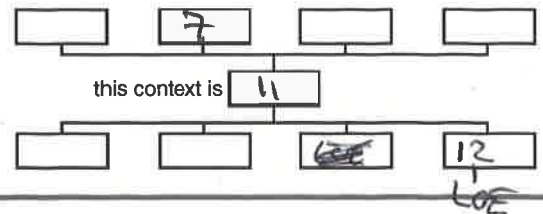
Matrix location

Relationships uncertain

Description (See check lists):

STRATIGRAPHIC MATRIX

1. Mid soft
2. Mid yellowish white
3. Silty Sand
4. Frag degraded limestone + mortar
- StG. 0.24m +
- 7+8. Machine



Interpretation/Discussion:

Construction backfill for basement in northern area

Finds (tick): None Pot Bone Flint Stone Burnt stone Glass
 Metal CBM Wood Leather

△ Small Finds

Recorder ABR

◇ Samples

Date

⬆ Building Materials

Initials