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ARCHAEOLOGICAL EVALUATION: PARKSIDE HOTEL NEWPORT ROAD WOUGHTON-ON-THE-GREEN MILTON KEYNES

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on behalf of Street Design Partnership



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| County: | | Buckingl | namshire (historic coun | ty) | | | |
| Village/Town: | | Woughto | on-on-the-Green | | | | |
| Civil Parish: | | Woughto | on-on-the-Green | | | | |
| NGR (to 8 figs): | | SP 8775 | 3765 | | | | |
| Extent of site: | | <i>c</i> .16,200 | square metres | | | | |
| Present use: | | Hotel gro | ounds | | | | |
| Planning proposal: | | Two extensions to the existing building and new car parking | | | | | |
| Planning application | ref/date: | Milton Keynes Council | | | | | |
| Local Planning Author | ority: | Pre-application | | | | | |
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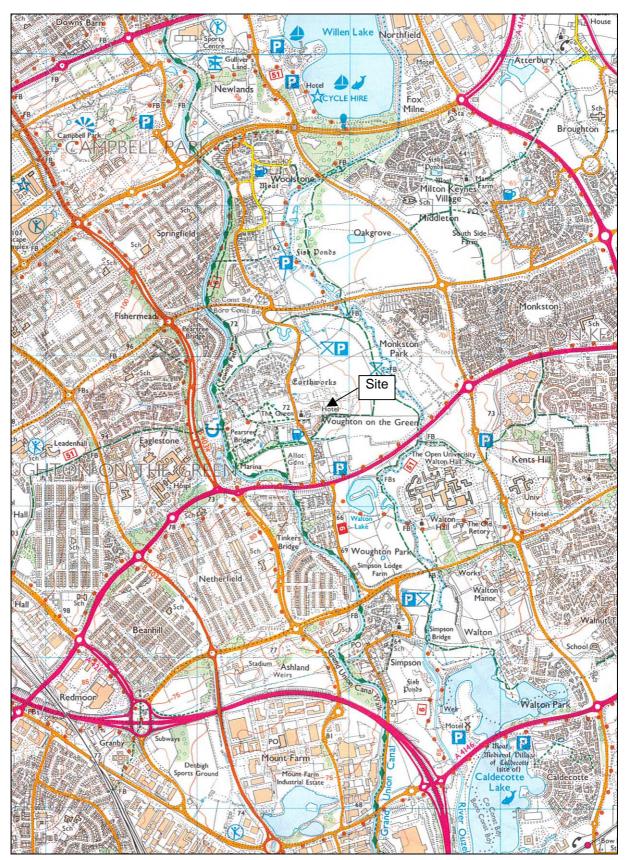


Figure 1: General location (*Scale 1:25,000*)

Summary

In November 2008 Archaeological Services and Consultancy Ltd undertook an archaeological evaluation at Parkside Hotel, Newport Road, Woughton-on-the-Green, Milton Keynes. The work was carried out prior to the submission of an application for planning permission and was required under the terms of Planning Policy Guidance note 16 (PPG16). The evaluation revealed stone foundations, as well as a pit containing medieval pottery and three ditches that contained no dating evidence.

1. Introduction

1.1 In November 2008 Archaeological Services and Consultancy Ltd (ASC) carried out an evaluation at Parkside Hotel, Woughton-on-the-Green, Milton Keynes. The project was commissioned by Street Design Partnership, and was carried out according to a brief (Crank 2008) prepared on behalf of the local planning authority (LPA), Milton Keynes Council, by their Archaeological Officer (AO), and a project design prepared by ASC (Richards 2008).

1.2 **Planning Background**

This evaluation was required under the terms of *Planning Policy Guidance Note 16* (PPG16), in order to inform proposals for the development of the site.

1.3 Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd

Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd (ASC) is an independent archaeological practice providing a full range of archaeological services including consultancy, field evaluation, mitigation and post-excavation studies, historic building recording and analysis. ASC is recognised as a *Registered Organisation* by the Institute for Archaeologists, in recognition of its high standards and working practices.

1.4 Management

The project was managed by Karin Semmelmann BA MA MIFA, and was carried out under the overall direction of Bob Zeepvat BA MIFA.

1.5 *The Site*

1.5.1 Location & Description

The site is situated in Woughton-on-the-Green in the administrative district of Milton Keynes in the historic county of Buckinghamshire. It is situated to the east of Milton Keynes city centre, on the east side of the Grand Union Canal and is centred on Ordnance Survey National Grid Reference SP 8770 3760 (Fig. 1).

The site comprises a sub-rectangular area of land within the grounds of Parkside Hotel, accessed via Newport Road to the west. The site is occupied by the hotel and associated outbuildings, there are also several mature trees on the site (Fig. 2).

1.5.2 Geology & Topography

The soils on the site comprise those of the *Bishampton 2 Association* "deep fine loamy and fine loamy over clayey soils" (Soil Survey 1983, 572t), overlying Oxford Clay (BGS, 203).

1.5.3 Proposed Development

The proposed development is for the construction of two extensions to the existing building and new car parking (Fig. 3).

Parkside Hotel, Woughton-on-the-Green, Milton Keynes 1121/WPH



Figure 2: Site plan (scale 1:1250)

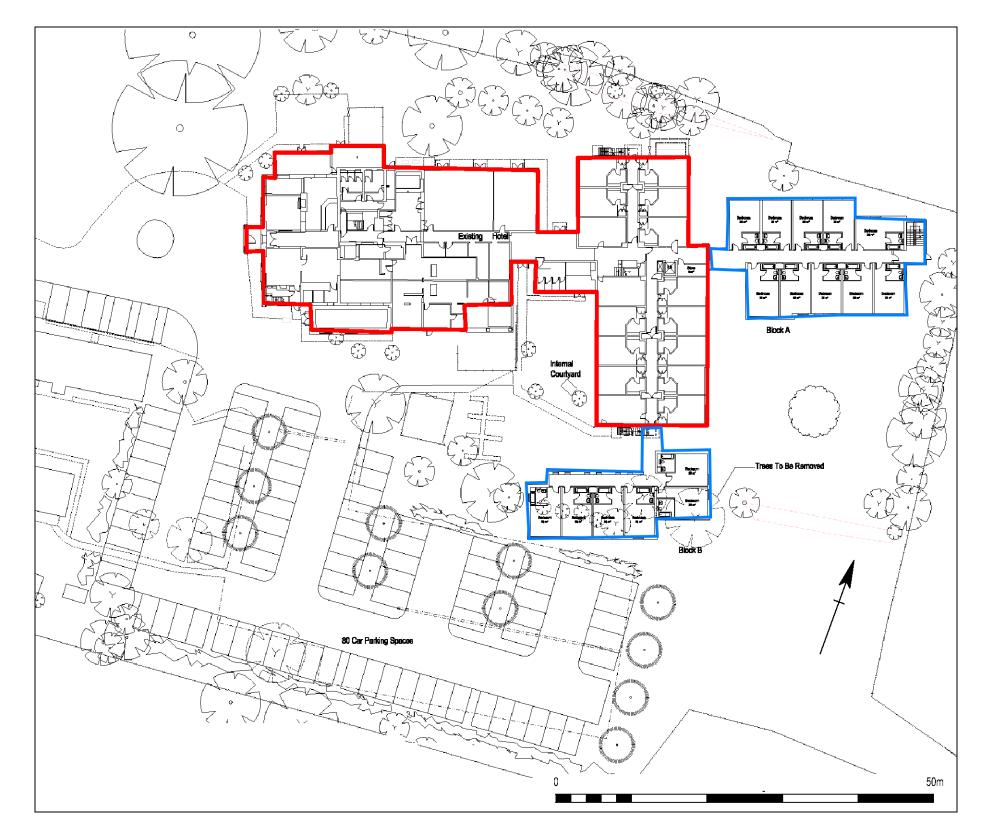


Figure 3: Proposed development outlined in blue, existing buildings outlined in red. (Scale 1:500)

2. Aims & Methods

2.1 *Aims*

As described in the *brief* (Section 5), the aims of the evaluation were:

- To obtain sufficient information to establish the extent, character, quality, date and condition of any archaeological features, structures, deposits, artefacts and ecofacts within the area affected by the proposed development
- To identify potential options for minimising or avoiding damage to any archaeological remains that may be present

2.2 *Standards*

The work conformed to the project design, to the relevant sections of the Institute of Archaeologists' *Code of Conduct* (IFA 2000) and *Standard & Guidance Notes* (IFA 2001), to the Association of Local Government Archaeological Officers East of England Region *Standards for Field Archaeology in the East of England* (ALGAO 2003), and to the relevant sections of ASC's own *Operations Manual*.

2.3 *Methods*

In line with the requirements of the *brief* (Section 7), the methods adopted for this project were:

• 80 linear metres of trial trenching within the footprint of the proposed new development (Fig. 4)

ASC's general methodology for the above is described in detail in Sections 3.4 *et seq* of the project design.

2.4 *Constraints*

Trench 3 was limited in length to 13.5 metres instead of the proposed 21m, due to the presence of electrical cables. Trench 4 was limited to a length of 15 metres instead of the proposed 20m due to standing trees. The total of linear metre trial trenching was therefore reduced to approximately 67.5 metres, with the agreement of the AO.

3. Archaeological & Historical Background

3.1 The following section provides a summary of the readily available archaeological and historical background to the development site and its environs. The site lies within an area of archaeological and historical interest, and has the potential to reveal evidence of a range of periods.

3.2 **Prehistoric** (before 600BC)

Little is known of Woughton-on-the-Green in the prehistoric and Roman periods. A number of prehistoric flints have been found in the parish (Croft & Mynard 1993, 201) and a Roman settlement was excavated 2km west of the site in 1973-5 (Mynard 1987, 189).

3.3 Saxon (c.450-1066)

Woughton-the-Green was included in the Domesday Survey (1086) where it was recorded as being divided into two manors, one worth £3 and the second worth 100s (Williams & Martin 2003, 403, 419). Its name in the Domesday Survey, *Ulchetone*, probably refers to the estate, or *tun*, of *Weoca*, suggesting that the village is a late 8th or 9th-century foundation (Croft & Mynard 1993, 201). Three sherds of Saxon pottery were found during fieldwalking in the west of the parish (*ibid*).

3.4 *Medieval* (1066-1500)

At its fullest extent, the medieval village was a linear development, stretching westwards from the site of a ford on the Ousel and a mill, called *Voxmill* in 1346, to the moated manorial site now occupied by the Old Rectory, a distance of c.1.3km (Croft & Mynard 1993, 201-7).

Woughton on the Green has been recognised as one of the finest examples of a deserted medieval village surviving within Milton Keynes (*ibid*). The principal manor was located in the centre of this medieval village next to the church on the site of the current Parkside Hotel, although the focus of the village has now shifted to the west (Mynard 1994, 121).

Extensive earthworks to the north and east of the site are the remains of the deserted medieval village, now a scheduled ancient monument (Crank 2008). A portion of the earthworks were isolated by the construction of the Grand Junction Canal in the late 18th century and this complex was excavated in 1973 in advance of the construction of Woughton Marina (Mynard 1994, 121-150). A series of crofts containing buildings of 14th to 17th century date, and associated yards and features, was examined (*ibid*; Crank 2008).

South and west of the site is the Grade II* listed St Mary's Church which dates in part to the 13th century, although most of the current building is of 14th century date with 15th and 19th century additions (Pevsner 2000, 568-9; Page 1927, 346).

3.5 **Post-Medieval** (1500-1900)

Wolsey's commissioners recorded that some enclosure had been carried out at Woughton in 1517 (probably around the village core and the green), although the parish was not formally enclosed until 1768 (Croft & Mynard 1993, 201-7). Farming developments in the 1960s resulted in the removal of many of the enclosure hedges in the west of the parish, however the earthworks to the east of the site were given over to pasture until being incorporated into the park of Woughton House in the 19th century and have never been ploughed (*ibid*).

3.6 *Site specific*

Woughton House was built around 1840 and extended and remodelled in 1876 by W.J. Levi and is Grade II listed. The house occupies the site of one of two manors of Woughton, probably the one owned by the Longuevilles at least up to the civil war. Against the driveway is a yard with early 19th century carriage house and up until recently various farm buildings of an earlier period. Amongst these buildings once stood a 17th century timber framed and slated corn barn originally with wattle and daub infilling replaced with weatherboarding that was demolished in 1983 (Woodfield 1986 p188).

4 **Results**

4.1 *General*

Five trial trenches ranging between 10 and 21 metres targeted the proposed development areas (fig 4.). Trenches 1 and 2 targeted the proposed extension at the northeastern portion of site, Trench 3 an extension to the south and Trenches 4 and 5 a proposed new car park at the southeast. Four of the five trenches were stripped to natural substrata or the level of archaeological features. Trench 3 was only partially stripped to natural due to the presence of an electrical cable. The evaluation findings are summarised below. Detailed descriptions of the trenches are provided in Appendix 1. All trenches revealed significant levels of ground disturbance.

4.2 **Trench 1** (Figs. 5 and 6: Plates 1 and 2)

The trench was aligned east to west and was 21m long x 1.6m wide.

Two features were found cut into the natural mid yellow brown clay (103). Both features were overlain by a 'buried' subsoil which was covered by a layer of levelling material, predominately consisting of builders rubble. This was covered by dark brown topsoil laid to lawn. Feature [104] was a linear of uncertain alignment and contained no finds and was located in southern portion of the trench. Feature [106], a ditch terminus which was located at the eastern end of the trench, also contained no finds. The ground in this trench, as in every trench, showed significant modern disturbance as a result of ground levelling and modern building activity.

4.3 **Trench 2** (Figs.5 and 6 Plate 3)

The trench was aligned north to south and was 11m long x 1.6m wide.

Three features cut into the natural mid yellow brown clay (208), which was covered by redeposited topsoil and builders rubble (201). This was in turn covered by (200), a mid brown topsoil and turf. Feature [206], a small east-west ditch, was located at the southern end of the trench and was truncated by ditch re-cut [202] on the same alignment No dating evidence was apparent in either feature. A small irregular pit [204], located in the northern portion of the trench, contained 4 sherds of medieval pot within a pale green clay fill (205).

4.4 **Trench 3**

The trench was aligned east to west and was 13.5m long x 1.6m wide.

The natural (where reached) was mid brown grey clay (302), overlain by builders sand and brick rubble (301). This was covered by mid grey brown silt topsoil (300). The trench was limited in length and depth due to the presence of services. The trench showed significant ground disturbance.

No archaeology was observed in this trench

4.5 **Trench 4** (Fig. 5 and 6: Plates 5 and 6)

The trench was aligned north to south and was 15m long x 1.6m wide.

One feature was found cut into the natural mid grey green clay (402), which was overlain by a backfill consisting mostly of brick, stone and slate tile (401), and covered by dark grey brown topsoil (400). Feature [403], a wall consisting of one course of stone and mortar, entered the trench at the north end on an east-west alignment. It turned to an north-south alignment for 6.25 metres and returned to east-west, disappearing into the eastern baulk.

4.6 **Trench 5**

The trench was aligned north to south and was 10m long x 1.6m wide.

A firm mid yellow grey clay natural (502) was overlain by made ground consisting mostly of brick rubble and builders rubbish (501). This was covered by dark grey brown silt topsoil (500). An northwest-southeast orientated field drain was observed in southern end of the trench. The remains of a modern bedding trench emanated from the western baulk, and a modern pit was found in the western baulk at the northern end of the trench.

No finds were recovered and no archaeology was observed.

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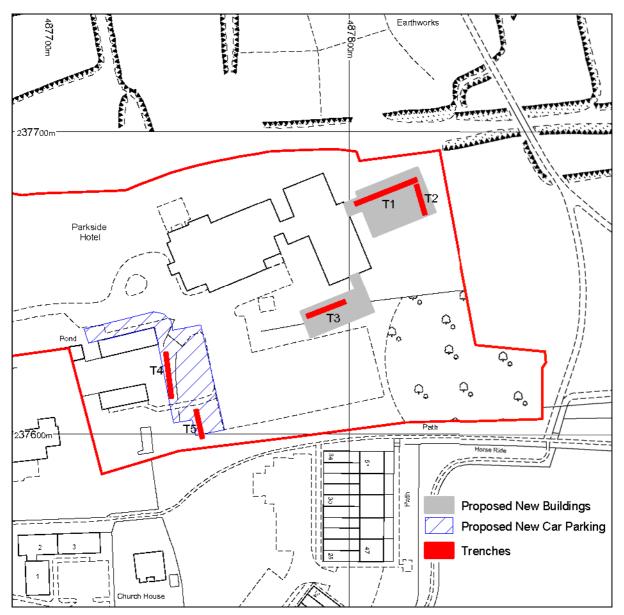


Figure 4: Site plan showing trench locations (Scale 1:1250)

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Plate 1: Ditch [104] facing west



Plate 2: Ditch terminus [106] facing south east



Plate 3: Ditches [202] and [206] east facing



Plate 4: Pit [204] east facing



Plate 5: Wall [403] west facing



Plate 6: Wall [403] general shot

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Plate 7: Wall [403] general shot looking north

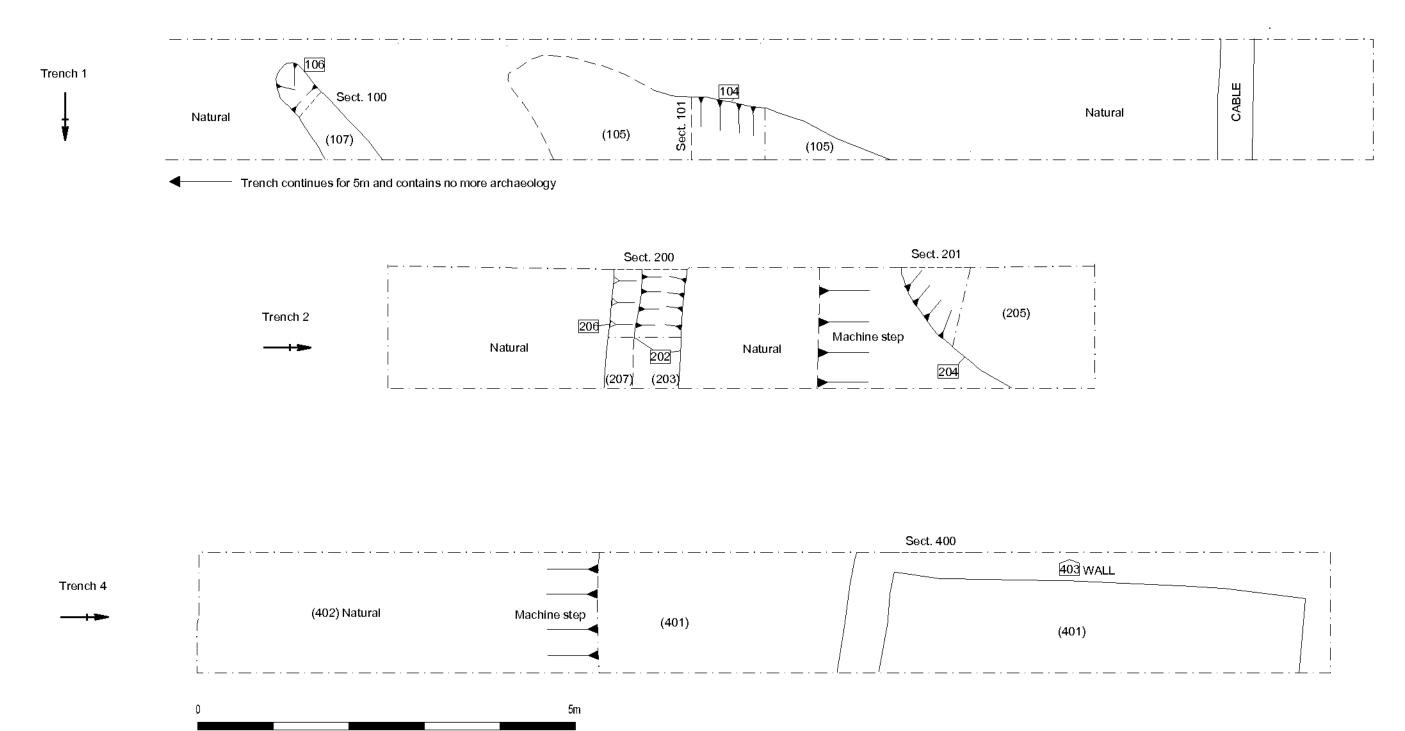


Figure 5: Trench plans (*1:50*)

Evaluation Report

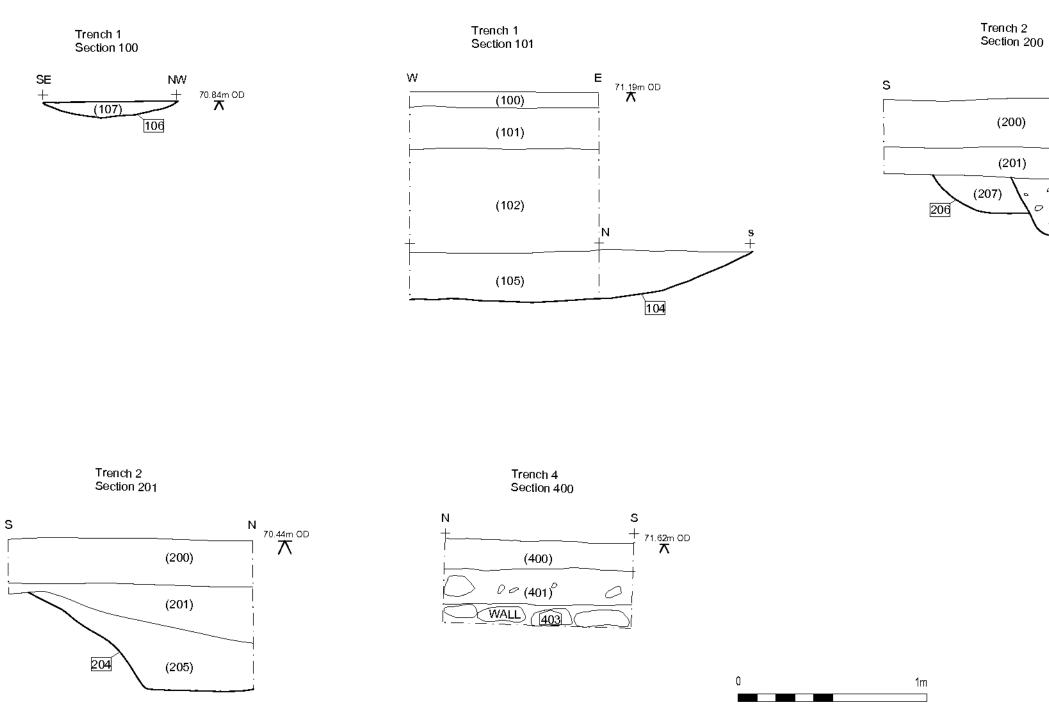
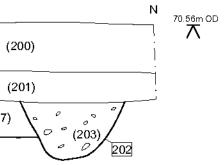


Figure 6:Sections through features (1:20)





5 **Conclusions**

The evaluation uncovered archaeological remains within the footprint of the proposed development. Archaeology was observed in 3 of the 5 trenches. The absence of archaeology in the remaining two trenches is likely to be the result of significant ground disturbance caused by extensions to the hotel in the 1980's.

Trench 1 located on an east-west alignment revealed two ditches, neither of which contained dating evidence. It is suggested the level of modern ground disturbance significantly reduced the likelihood of finding uncontaminated archaeological features/deposits within this trench.

Trench 2 offered the only datable feature, pit [204], the fill of which contained 4 sherds of medieval pot. It is tentatively suggested the pot could indicate this features association with Woughton-on-the-Green deserted medieval village. located to the north and east of the site. Two other features were located in the trench; feature [206], an east west orientated ditch and [202] a re-cut of the same ditch. Neither feature yielded dating evidence.

The single course of stone wall found in Trench 4 is likely to be the remains of a building that was once a part of a complex of farm buildings predating Woughton House. A 17th century timber framed barn under a slate roof is known to have stood here until 1983 (Woodfield 1986, 188). Evidence in the trench backfill included slate roof tile as well as modern rubbish, which suggest the foundations relate to this structure.

The site is located in the centre of an archaeologically rich area. Parkside Hotel is Grade II listed and occupies a previous manorial site. Also in close proximity is St Mary's Church, which dates in part back to the 13th century. (Pevsner 2000, 568-9). Further evidence of the areas antiquity presents itself in the form of the extensive earthworks of Woughton-on-the-Green deserted medieval village that bound the site on north, east, and western sides. Excavations carried out on the earthworks in 1973 revealed a series of crofts containing buildings of 14th to 17th century date with associated yards and features.

However despite the level of archaeological survival in the immediate area, very little has survived the redevelopment of this site since the early 1980's

Confidence rating

The evaluation was undertaken in good weather conditions, and full cooperation was received from all parties involved. As a result, a high confidence rating is attached to the results of the evaluation.

6 Acknowledgements

The evaluation was commissioned by Street Design Partnership. The project was monitored by Nick Crank on behalf of the local planning authority. Thanks are also due to Lynch Plant Hire for the machining, and backfilling of the trenches.

The project was managed for ASC by Karin Semmelmann MA MIFA. Fieldwork was carried out by Nigel Wilson HND AIFA and Gareth Shane BSc. The report was prepared by Gareth Shane and edited by Bob Zeepvat BA MIFA.

7 Archive

7.1 The project archive will comprise:

- 1. Brief
- 2. Project Design
- 3. Initial Report
- 4. Clients site plans
- 5. Site records
- 6. Finds
- 7. Site record drawings
- 8. List of photographs
- 9. B/W prints & negatives
- 10. CDROM with copies of all digital files.

The archive will be deposited with Buckinghamshire County Museum.

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Appendix 1: Trench Summary Tables

| | | | | Trench | 1 | | | | |
|-------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------|----------|----------------|-------|------------------------|--------------------|
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| | | | | 21.1 | Width | 1.6 | | Depth | 0.89 |
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| | and the second | | Trench b | ase east | | 70.84m | OD | | |
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| 16 S | F. | 140 AV | Orientat | ion | | E-W | | | |
| 17 - In Th | | | Reason | for Trench | | Plannii | ng co | ndition | |
| Context | Туре | Description a | and Interpre | etation | | Wid (max: i | | Thickness (max: mm) | Depth (BGL: mm) |
| 100 | Topsoil | Dark brown fri | iable silt | | | | | 90 | - |
| 101 | Layer | Made up grou | nd, rubble s | and, loose | | | | 230 | 90 |
| 102 | Subsoil | Dark brown gr | rey, friable s | silt clay | | | | 590 | 230 |
| 103 | Natural | Mid yellow bro angular stone | | y, moderate ro | ound and | | | | 910 |
| 104 | Cut | Linear, probat | ole ditch ow | ing to shape in | ו | 800 |) | 240 | 1150 |
| 105 | Fill | | bable ditch, mid yellow blue friable | | | | | 240 | 910 |
| 106 | Cut | | near feature. Probable ditch, very | | | 71(|) | 70 | 910 |
| 107 | Fill | | ar feature. Mid grey blue friable clay | | | | | 70 | 910 |

| | | | | Trench | 2 | | | | | |
|----------|------------|-----------------------------------|---|------------------|-------------|--------------------|-------|------------------------|--------------------|--|
| | | | | | Max Di | mension | s (m) | | | |
| | Altern Lag | a Part | Length | 10.62 | Width | 1.6 | | Depth | 0.7 | |
| AN A SHA | ALC OF | and the second | | | | Levels | | | | |
| | | | Trench ba | ase north | | 70.41m | OD | | | |
| | | | Trench to | p north | | 71.17m | OD | | | |
| | | 潮和 | Trench ba | ase south | | 70.66m | OD | | | |
| | | | Trench to | p south | | 71.16m | OD | | | |
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| Context | Туре | Description a | nd Interpre | etation | | Wid (max: I | | Thickness (max: mm) | Depth (BGL: mm) | |
| 200 | Topsoil | Dark brown fri | able silt | | | | | 250 | 0 | |
| 201 | Layer | Mixed clay and | d redeposite | ed topsoil cont | aining | | | 150-450 | 250 | |
| | , , | modern mater | | | 0 | | | max | | |
| 202 | Cut | E-W orientated 206 | d linear, dite | ch re cut, trun | cates ditch | 540 |) | | 350-650 | |
| 203 | Fill | Sole fill of ditcl | h, Light yello | ow brown, fria | ble clay | | | 300 | 350 | |
| 204 | Cut | Amorphous fe moderate slop | phous feature likely a pit , partial profile only | | | |) | 300 | 700 | |
| 205 | Fill | Sole fill of pit, medieval pot | light grey fri | able silt clay o | ontained | | | 300 | 700-1000 | |
| 206 | Cut | E-W linear dito same alignme | | 2 ditch on | 420 |) | - | 250-450 | | |
| 207 | Fill | Sole fill of ditcl | | e grey silt cla | 1 | | | 200 | 250 | |
| 208 | Natural | Mid yellow bro | | | | | | | 700 | |

| | | | | Trench | 3 | | | | | |
|------------|------------------------|----------------|--------------------|-------------|---------|-------------------|-------------|-----|--------------------|--|
| | ACCORDENCE AND INCOME. | 1104- | | | Max Dir | mensions | (m) | | | |
| | | | Length | 13.5 | Width | 1.6 | Depth | | 0.8 | |
| La | | 4.4.2 | | 11 | I | Levels | | | | |
| der to | | E P | Trench ba | ase east | | 70.58m O | D | | | |
| * - | | an office | Trench to | p east | | 71.01m O | D | | | |
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| | | | Reason | for Trench | | Planning | condition | | | |
| Context | Туре | Description a | and Interpretation | | | Width (max: mr | | | Depth (BGL: mm) | |
| 300 | Topsoil | Topsoil and tu | | | | 200 |) | - | | |
| 301 | Layer | Builders sand | | | | 200 | | 200 | | |
| 302 | Layer | Dark greenish | | clay | | 400-8 | 800 | 400 | | |
| 303 | Natural | Mid grey firm | clay | | | | | | 800 | |

| | | | | Trench 4 | 4 | | | | | |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------|-------------|-------|-----------------|--------|------------------------|--------------------|--|
| | | | Max Dimensions (m) | | | | | | | |
| ü | - | | Length | 15 | Width | 1.6 | | Depth | 0.63 | |
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| and series | · Com | | Trench ba | ase north | | 71.09m | OD | | | |
| 1 | | | Trench to | p north | | 71.72m | OD | | | |
| | The second second | . 1 - | Trench ba | ase south | | 71.33m | OD | | | |
| | | | Trench top south | | | 71.62m OD | | | | |
| | and the second | | | | NGR C | Co-ordinates | | | | |
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| | Bar Star | | Reason | for Trench | | Plannin | ig coi | ndition | | |
| Context | Туре | Description a | nd Interpretation | | | Widt (max: n | | Thickness (max: mm) | Depth (BGL: mm) | |
| 400 | Topsoil | Dark grey brow | wn silt | | | 200 | - | | | |
| 401 | Layer | Made up grou slate tile. As w | nd consistin | | | 180 | 200 | | | |
| 402 | Natural | Mid grey gree | | | | | | | 320 | |
| 403 | Wall | Stone and mo | rtar 1 coars | e surviving | | | | 120 | 380 | |

| | | | | Trench | 5 | | | | | |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|--------------------|------------|-------|------------------|------|------------------------|--------------------|--|
| | | | Max Dimensions (m) | | | | | | | |
| | A. 14 | 7.49 | Length | 10 | Width | 1.6 | | Depth | 0.5 | |
| | | | | | | Levels | | | | |
| | | P. Solandar | Trench ba | ase north | | 70.90m | DC | | | |
| | | | Trench to | p north | | 71.48m | OD | | | |
| and a start of | Mar II | all all | Trench base south | | | 71.09m OD | | | | |
| and the | | 175 | Trench to | 71.54m OD | | | | | | |
| | TPL AND | A CONTRACTOR | | | NGR | Co-ordina | tes | | | |
| | | | N | 87749 3760 | 8 | S | 877 | 52 37598 | | |
| and the second | - 1 × | 5 | Orientati | ion | | N-S | | | | |
| R) S | Arry the second | | Reason | for Trench | | Plannin | g co | ndition | | |
| Context | Туре | Description a | and Interpretation | | | Widtl (max: n | | Thickness (max: mm) | Depth (BGL: mm) | |
| 500 | Topsoil | Dark grey bro | wn friable si | | | 240 | - | | | |
| 501 | Layer | Made up grou | nd modern | | | 300 | 240 | | | |
| 502 | Natural | Firm yellow gr | | | | | | 540 | | |

Appendix 2 List of Photographs

| SITE NAM | /IE: Parks | ide Hotel | , Woughton-on-the-Green | SITE NO/CODE: 1121/WPH | | | |
|----------|--------------|--------------|---|------------------------|--|--|--|
| Shot | B&W | Digital | Sub | ject | | | |
| 1 | ✓ | ✓ | rench 4 south east end | | | | |
| 2 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 4 'wall' general overview | | | | |
| 3 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 4 wall, taken looking north eas | t | | | |
| 4 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 4 northwest end. | | | | |
| 5 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 1 ditch section. | | | | |
| 6 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 1 general shot. | | | | |
| 7 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 2 general shot looking north | | | | |
| 8 | ~ | ~ | Trench 2 ditch re cut section looking v | vest | | | |
| 9 | \checkmark | \checkmark | Trench 2 general shot looking south | | | | |
| 10 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 2 pit section taken looking sou | th | | | |
| 11 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 1 ditch terminus general shot | | | | |
| 12 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 1 ditch section, taken looking | south. | | | |
| 13 | ✓ | \checkmark | Trench 5 general shot | | | | |
| 14 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 5 general shot | | | | |
| 15 | ✓ | ✓ | Trench 3 west end | | | | |
| 16 | ✓ | \checkmark | Trench 3 east end | | | | |
| 17 | | \checkmark | Trench 4 general shot of wall looking | east | | | |
| 18 | | \checkmark | Trench 4 same as above | | | | |
| 19 | | \checkmark | Trench 4 section of wall | | | | |
| 20 | | \checkmark | Trench 4 general shot of wall looking | east | | | |
| 21 | | ✓ | Trench 1 west end | | | | |
| 22 | | ✓ | Trench 1 east end | | | | |
| 23 | | ✓ | Trench 3 east end | | | | |
| 24 | | ✓ | Trench 4 west end | | | | |
| 25 | | ✓ | General shot of site looking north east | | | | |
| 26 | | ✓ | General shot looking south west | | | | |
| 27 | | ✓ | General shot looking north | | | | |
| 28 | | ✓ | General shot looking west, trench 1 le | | | | |
| 29 | | ✓ | General shot looking south, trench 2 r | | | | |
| 30 | | ✓ | General shot looking south, trench 1 le | eft of picture | | | |
| 31 | | ✓ | General shot looking north, trench 1 | | | | |
| 32 | | ✓ | General shot looking west, trench 3 in | <u> </u> | | | |
| 33 | | ✓ | General shot looking north east, trenc | h 3 | | | |
| 34 | | ✓ | Cable trench 3 | | | | |
| 35 | | ✓ | Cable trench 3 | | | | |
| 36 | | ✓ | General shot looking south east | | | | |
| 37 | | ✓ | General shot looking south west, trend | CN 5 | | | |
| 38 | | ✓ | Replaced turf damage | | | | |
| 39 | | ✓ | General shot looking north east, trenc | n 4 | | | |
| 40 | | ✓ | General shot looking east | | | | |
| 41 | | ✓ | Field drain in trench 5. | | | | |
| 42 | | \checkmark | General shot looking north, trench 5 | | | | |

Appendix 4: ASC OASIS Form

| | PROJECT | T DETAILS | | | |
|--|--|--|-------------|--|--|
| Project Name: | Parkside Hotel, Newport Road, Woughton-on-the-Green, Milton Keynes. | | | | |
| Short Description: | In November 2008 Archaeological Services and Consultancy Ltd undertook an archaeological evaluation at Parkside Hotel, Newport Road, Woughton-on-the-Green Milton Keynes. The work was carried out prior to the submission of an application for planning permission and was required under the terms of Planning Policy Guidance note 16 (PPG16). The evaluation revealed stone foundations, as well as a pit containing medieval pottery and three ditches that contained no dating evidence. | | | | |
| Project Type: (indicate all that apply) | Evaluation | | | | |
| Site status: (eg. none, SAM, Listed) | Grounds of Grade II listed Parkside hotel | Previous work: (eg. SMR refs) | none | | |
| Current land use: | Hotel | Future work: (yes / no / unknown) | unknown | | |
| Monument type: | Deserted Medieval Village | Monument period: | | | |
| Significant finds: (artefact type & period) | Medieval pottery | | | | |
| PROJECT LOCATION | | | | | |
| County: | Buckinghamshire | OS reference: (8 figs min) | 8775 3765 | | |
| Site address: (with postcode if known) | Parkside Hotel, Newport Road, Woughton-on-the-Green, Milton Keynes | | | | |
| Study area: (sq. m. or ha) | 16 200 sq m | Height OD: (metres) | 71.01 | | |
| | PROJECT | CREATORS | | | |
| Organisation: | Archaeological Services & Consultancy Ltd | | | | |
| Project brief originator: | N Crank | Project design originator: | J. Richards | | |
| Project Manager: | K. Semmelmann | Director/Supervisor: | N.Wilson | | |
| Sponsor / funding body: | Buckingham County Museum | | | | |
| | PROJE | CT DATE | | | |
| Start date: | 11/11/08 | End date: | 14/11/08 | | |
| | PROJECT | ARCHIVES | | | |
| | Location (Accession no.) | Content (eg. pottery, animal bone, files/sheets) | | | |
| Physical: | Buckingham County Museum | Pottery, files | | | |
| Paper: | Buckingham County Museum | Files, sheets, plans | | | |
| Digital: | Buckingham County Museum | CD roms | | | |
| BIBLIOGRAPHY (Journal/monograph, published or forthcoming, or unpublished client report) | | | | | |
| Title: | Archaeological Evaluation, Parkside Hotel, Newport Road, Woughton-on-the-Green, Milton Keynes | | | | |
| Serial title & volume: | ASC Ltd Report ref. 1121/WPH/2 | | | | |

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