

# Greater Manchester Archaeology Day 2023

## Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November

Peel Hall, The Crescent, University of Salford

### MORNING SESSION

- 9.30am**                    *Registration and coffee*
- 9.55am**                    **Introduction to the day:** Ian Miller, Lead Archaeologist, Greater Manchester Archaeological Advisory Service (University of Salford)
- 10.00am**                    **Welcome Address**
- 10.10am**                    **Brian Grimsditch Memorial Lecture (40 mins)**  
**Mesolithic Archaeology in the North West: Small Flints in Big Landscapes**  
Dr Andrew Myers
- 10.50am**                    **The Archaeology of Textile Engineering: Excavations at Peel, Williams & Peel Foundry, Bolton Ironworks and Louisa Street Foundry (40 mins)**  
Ollie Cook and Julian Thorley (University of Salford)
- 11.30am**                    *Comfort Break (10 mins)*
- 11.40am**                    **Stoned on Grange Farm (20 mins)**  
Kevin Wright (Tameside Archaeological Society)
- 12.00pm**                    **Rescue Excavation of a Bronze Age Urn at Mayhills Cairn, Luzley (20 mins)**  
Ben Dyson (University of Salford)
- 12.20pm**                    **Investigating a Recently Discovered Military Annexe at Castleshaw Roman Fort, Saddleworth (30 mins)**  
Norman Redhead
- 12.50pm**                    **Questions**
- 1.00pm**                    *Lunch break*

During lunch there will be an opportunity to view exhibitions by Salford Archaeology and local archaeology societies, plus book stalls.

**AFTERNOON SESSION**

**2.00pm**            **The Adelphi Baths: Salford's Pioneering Swimming Baths (20 mins)**  
Ian Miller (University of Salford)

**2.30pm**            **Scuttled: Excavations at Richard Street Canal Basin (30 mins)**  
Kelly Griffiths (MOLAChester)

**3.00pm**            ***Coffee and comfort break***

**3.20pm**            **Worrall Street Excavation (30 mins)**  
Mark Adams (Headland Archaeology)

**3.50pm**            **Digging Broadfield Park Slopes, Rochdale (20 mins)**  
Dr Colin Elder (University of Salford)

**4.10pm**            **Aspull Ring Ditch: An Update (20 mins)**  
Patrick Maloney (Wigan Archaeological Society)

**4.30pm**            **Questions and answers**

**4.45pm**            ***Finish***

**Refreshments:** Biscuits, tea, coffee, water and fruit juice will be provided. It is recommended that you bring a packed lunch which can be eaten at the event venue. Alternatively, there are one or two eating places nearby.

**Parking:** We would recommend parking in the Irwell Place car park. This is £4.10 for the whole day (9.00am-6.00pm). This can be paid via pay-and-display (this is the recommended method) or by PayByPhone app or phone 0161 880 0100 **please use car park location code 59323.**

<https://paybyphone.co.uk/how-it-works/parking>

Disabled staff and students who are blue badge holders are exempted from any fee. **Please note you must display your blue badge clearly on your vehicle at all times.**

**Fee: £10.00** To book your place in advance (recommended), please follow the link below to the on-line shop: <https://shop.salford.ac.uk/conferences-and-events/human-and-natural-sciences/archaeology> Alternatively, it will be possible to purchase tickets on the door (cash only).

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