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Welcome to CAFG

Below you will find some information about our general activities. They vary year to year depending on weather, land available and crop state, but we usually field walk between the Autumn and Spring months. More info can be found on our website: www.cafg.net

Field Walking:

Walking usually starts in the Autumn, depending on land availability and field conditions.

We walk almost every Sunday between 10:00 and 12:00, but we arrive at around 9:45 so that we can start walking at 10:00. Whilst we usually finish walking at 12:00, one or two of us usually stay and help collect and GPS the finds.

Some members come every week, others, just a few times a year but it's a great way to learn and meet the other members.

Some spectacular places and views



But not always very glamorous



Digs:

The group usually carries out one or two excavations a year, depending on what opportunities arise.

The latest excavations were at Ickleton and Wimpole Hall. We have also been privileged to have other digs at Wimpole Hall.

Digs usually last about a week and CAFG will provide you with everything you need—although bring some gloves and your own knee pads.

BAR HILL:

We meet at the premises of Oxford Archaeology East at Bar Hill between 19:00 and 21:00 every Wednesday. Here we clean and categorise the Sunday finds and, if we don't have any, we clean the finds of Oxford Archaeology East. It's a great opportunity to learn about the finds and see some of OAE finds, which are amazing.





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Talks/Lectures

From October to June, usually on the first Wednesday in the month, we have talks on archaeological topics by locally and nationally recognised speakers. They are held in the seminar room at the MacDonald Institute for Archaeological Research, Downing Street, Cambridge at 7.30 p.m. Parking is usually available on the Downing site, accessed from Tennis Court Road .

You will also be sent links to a variety of other talks by other groups and archaeological organisations, both locally and nationally..

Develop your knowledge of Archaeology



With access to a range of resources and talks



Resources

We have our own library based at Bar Hill, which members are free to use. You will also receive regular emails with useful links and information to resources .

The Group is also affiliated to the Cambridge Antiquarian Society, the Council for British Archaeology and Jigsaw Cambridgeshire.

Access to reports we have created based on our work can be found on our website: <http://www.cafg.net/archive.aspx?a=art>

All you need to know should be on the Group website: <http://www.cafg.net/default.aspx>

If you have any questions, please contact: cafг.news@gmail.com