

## BUCKINGHAMSHIRE LOCAL HISTORY NETWORK

◆ Conference and Fair ◆ Saturday 7 October 2023

# Putting our local heritage on the map

◆ The Oculus Conference Centre, Aylesbury ◆ 10am–4pm

Hundreds of heritage assets valued by local people make up the character and identity of Buckinghamshire. These may be objects, buildings, archaeology, parks, gardens or works of art. They may have little or no protection: over time our special places can be lost. The county's new **LOCAL HERITAGE LIST** raises their profile – that's this year's conference.

### **TIMETABLE FOR THE DAY**

9.30am *Conference opens – coffee/tea*

10am *Welcome by John Lovelock, of Hedgerley Historical Society*

10.10 **Our county's new Local Heritage List** – Lisa Harvey, of Bucks Heritage and Archaeology Team

10.35 **Democratising our heritage?** – Nigel Rothwell, of Bucks Archaeological Society

11.00 **Defining our historic landscapes** – Lucy Lawrence, of Bucks Council Archaeological Service

11.25 *Questions and Answers, with the three morning speakers*

11.40 **COFFEE/TEA BREAK:** first chance to see displays and bookstalls

12.00 **Buckinghamshire's Arts and Crafts buildings** – Chris Collier, of the Amersham Museum

12.25 **Our parks and gardens heritage** – Claire de Carle, of the Buckinghamshire Gardens Trust

12.50 *Questions and Answers*

1.00 **LUNCH BREAK** – buffet lunch available (see tickets overleaf)

**A 90-minute opportunity to visit displays and bookstalls by our history and archaeology societies**

2.30 **The BAS Archaeology Prize** – presentation of this year's winners by Sandy Kidd, of Historic England

2.55 **The Maids Moreton Mound Artwork Project** – Keziah Furini, artist

3.20 **The New Town Heritage Register for Milton Keynes** – Simon Peart, of Conservation and Archaeology in Milton Keynes

3.45 *Questions and Answers, with the afternoon speakers*

3.55 *Conclusions & thanks* – Lucy Lawrence, of BCAS



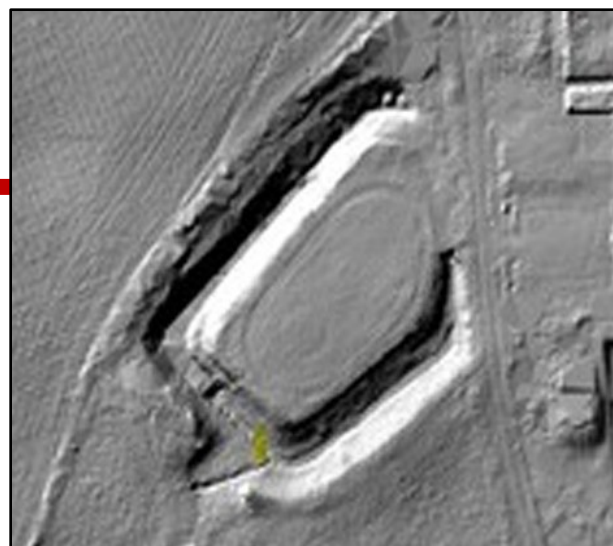
LOCAL LANDMARKS



SIGNIFICANT BUILDINGS

**HOW TO GET YOUR  
CONFERENCE AND  
LUNCH TICKETS  
– SEE OVERLEAF ►**

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STRUCTURES IN THE LANDSCAPE

## LOCAL HISTORY CONFERENCE AND FAIR

- The BLHN 2023 Conference and Fair will be held at Buckinghamshire Council's Oculus Conference Centre in Aylesbury, whose hall seats 200 people.
- The **LOCAL HISTORY FAIR**, with local history and archaeology society stands featuring displays on their local heritage assets and society publications, will be in 'The Street', the building's large and airy entrance hall.
- Coffee, tea and fruit juice will be available free at breaks and at lunchtime for everyone attending. The buffet lunch is optional (you can bring your own) – see below.
- The Oculus is part of the council's Gatehouse Centre in Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury HP19 8FF, which is on the Aylesbury ring road near its junction with the A41 for Bicester. Entrance to its free car park is opposite Sainsbury's superstore and is clearly signposted. There are frequent buses from the town bus station, which is a short walk from the railway station.

HAVEN'T SEEN THE NEW LOCAL HERITAGE LIST YET?

– GO NOW TO

<https://local-heritage-list.org.uk/buckinghamshire>

## CONFERENCE TICKETS IN ADVANCE

- **Conference AND lunch – £26**  
includes a buffet lunch of sandwiches, rolls, cakes and fruit.
- **Conference and Fair only – £20**  
You are welcome to bring your own food for lunch, and there is a Sainsbury's superstore just across the road from the conference centre.
- **Full-time students under 25 – FREE**, but please apply in advance (the buffet lunch is £6 extra).

## ▶▶▶ TO GET YOUR TICKETS:

- **ONLINE:** Get your tickets at <https://bas1.org.uk/blhn-2023-tickets>, with online card payment.
- **BY POST:** Please write, specifying which ticket(s) you require, to BLHN Conference, BAS Library, Discover Bucks Museum, Church Street, Aylesbury HP20 2QP. Enclose a cheque made out to 'Bucks Archaeological Society', and please remember to include your name, postal address and email.
- **Your payment will be acknowledged, but tickets will not be sent until two weeks before conference.**

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