

CLOTHING FASTENING

Unique ID: LANCUM-BB5A45

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Cast copper alloy decorative clothes fastener. Dates to the post-medieval era 1700-1800 AD and is probably naval in association. The boss has moulded decoration and depicts the face of a lion in relief with a surrounding border divided by diagonal lines to represent a mane. At the midpoint of one side of and perpendicular to the boss is attached a small circular loop for fastening purposes. The strap loop is on the opposing side and is almost oval in form. For a similar parallel see HAMP-1024.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1700

Date to: Circa AD 1800

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 58 mm

Width: 42.5 mm

Thickness: 9 mm

Weight: 27.82 g

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Thursday 1st December 2005

Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Recorded by: Miss Lisa Keys

Identified by: Miss Lisa Keys

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Cast

Spatial metadata

Region: [North West](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [Lancashire](#) (County)

District: [West Lancashire](#) (District)

Parish or ward: [Aughton](#) (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SD3904

Four figure Latitude: 53.529101

Four figure longitude: -2.921694

1:25K map: SD3904

1:10K map: SD30SE

Grid reference source: Centred on village (which isn't a parish)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 100 metre square.