SEAL MATRIX

Unique ID: WAW-28F323

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Published

A cast lead seal matrix, circular and flat with a suspension loop in the centre of the reverse. The central motif is an eight pointed star with a pellet in each section, within a grooved border.

The inscription appears to read +S' R'ASEL FILL'. WILL NICHOL'- (Seal of Rasel? son or daughter of William Nichol). The first name has proved difficult to read or decipher, there being no obvious candidate ending in ...asel. There may be another letter between the R and the A, and it is possible that the R may in fact be a P. Apart from this, however, the matrix is easy to read and the name of William Nichol is clear, although there may be an illegible letter after his surname. 13th century.

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Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Period from: MEDIEVAL Period to: MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1200 Date to: Circa AD 1300

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 5 mm Weight: 16.7 g Diameter: 29.7 mm

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: Impression no. WAW-28F323/140

Materials and construction

Primary material: Lead Alloy Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: West Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: <u>Warwickshire</u> (County)

District: Warwick (District)

Parish or ward: Weston under Wetherley (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SP3668

Four figure Latitude: 52.30894 Four figure longitude: -1.473398

1:25K map: SP3668 1:10K map: SP36NE

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land