

HOOKED TAG

Unique ID: YORYM-907196

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

An incomplete cast copper alloy hooked tag of post-medieval date. The hooked tag is of Reads Class E, Type 3 being circular in plan. The main plate is circular with a moulded relief central domed boss bearing a classical style human facing mask within two concentric circles. The area between the circles is filled with pellets and the outer border is beaded. A ridged collar is present at the juncture of the plate and hook and a rectangular loop projects from the upper edge. The tip of the hook has been lost to a worn break and the reverse is undecorated and concave.

The metal has a dark blackish-green patina and is worn. The hooked tag is 31mm long, 17.7mm wide, 3.3mm thick and weighs 2.3g.

A similar example is illustrated in Read, p.92, no.322 and is dated to the early post-medieval period.

Class: Read Class E, Type 3

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Early

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1500

Date to: Circa AD 1650

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 31 mm

Width: 17.7 mm

Thickness: 3.3 mm

Weight: 2.3 g

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Cast

Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: [Yorkshire and the Humber](#) (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: [East Riding of Yorkshire](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [East Riding of Yorkshire](#) (Unitary Authority)

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

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SE7751

Four figure Latitude: 53.949381

Four figure longitude: -0.828236

1:25K map: SE7751

1:10K map: SE75SE

Grid reference source: From a paper map

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined

Read, B., 2008 [Hooked-Clasps and Eyes](#) Langport: Portcullis Publishing p.92 , no.322