

DRESS HOOK

Unique ID: KENT-92E6DC

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

An incomplete Post Medieval copper alloy dress hook of probable c. AD 1600-1700 date. The hook has a rectangular plate and flat in cross section. There is a rectangular attachment perforation at one end of the plate and the remains of the hook shank at the other. The hook has been broken away by an old break. The front surface has been decorated with moulded foliate designs. The reverse is undecorated. No parallels for this decoration have been found but dress hooks with rectangular plates are normally dated to the early Post Medieval period.

The dress hook is 25.4mm long, 15.5mm wide, 1.5mm thick and weighs 2.46 grams.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 1600

Date to: Circa AD 1700

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Length: 25.4 mm

Width: 15.5 mm

Thickness: 1.5 mm

Weight: 2.46 g

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: [South East](#) (European Region)

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

District: [Canterbury](#) (District)

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

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: TR2049

Four figure Latitude: 51.19784052

Four figure longitude: 1.1475355

1:25K map: TR2049

1:10K map: TR24NW

Grid reference source: From finder

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.