

BROOCH

Unique ID: SF-97F312

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

Disc-brooch of Anglo-Scandinavian kind, cast with a pattern showing four curling strands issuing from a central, voided cross, and each forming an asymmetrical knot around itself. This type of brooch was developed as a hybrid based upon higher-quality productions like a pendant from Kalmergarden, Store Fuglede, Denmark, and adapted to the English disc-brooch format. The reverse of the disc shows lug attachments for pin and catchplate. See also SF-982CA6 for related find.

Class: disc **Sub class:** Anglo-Scandinavian

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Late

Period from: EARLY MEDIEVAL

Date from: Circa AD 900

Date to: Circa AD 1100

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Thickness: 1 mm

Weight: 6.17 g

Diameter: 28 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Thursday 1st January 2004

Personal details

Found by: This information is restricted for your login.

Identified by: Dr Tom Plunkett

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Cast

Spatial metadata

Region: [Eastern](#) (European Region)

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

District: [Mid Suffolk](#) (District)

To be known as: Braiseworth

Spatial coordinates

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 100 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Character undetermined

Paterson, C., 2002 [*From Pendants to Brooches: the exchange of Borre and Jellinge style motifs across the North Sea*](#), Vol 29, 267-276, Sect 6