VESSEL

Unique ID: WMID-64C004

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A bodysherd of a wheel thrown ceramic vessel, of Medieval dating (AD 1200 to AD 1400).

The bodysherd consists of a local (unsourced) unglazed earthenware, with frequent fine quartz and grit inclusions, dating from the 11th to 15th Centuries AD, probably from an open bowl or jug vessel.

The sherd is 10.2 mm thick and weighs 13.9 g. It has a length of 27.0 mm and is 50.9 mm wide.

Sherd specific details:

Fabric type: frequent quartz and grit tempered, unglazed earthernware

Sherd type: bodysherd

Firing condition: oxidised exterior, oxidised core, oxidised interior

Hardness: Hard

Surface texture: Slightly rough

Surface treatment: none

Condition of sherds: Slightly abraded.

Sherds has been photographed. Photograph to be added.

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 1400

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Length: 27 mm Width: 50.9 mm Thickness: 10.2 mm Weight: 13.9 g

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Monday 1st September 2014 - Sunday 30th November 2014

Personal details

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Materials and construction

Primary material: Ceramic

Manufacture method: Wheel made

Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: West Midlands (European Region)

County or Unitary authority: Staffordshire (County)

District: <u>East Staffordshire</u> (District) Parish or ward: <u>Croxden</u> (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SK0537

Four figure Latitude: 52.93038262 Four figure longitude: -1.92706379

1:25K map: SK0537 1:10K map: SK03NE

Grid reference source: Centred on field

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

Discovery circumstances: found whilst out metal detecting

General landuse: Cultivated land