BUCKLE

Unique ID: WILT-44CAEE

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Awaiting validation

An incomplete copper alloy medieval D shaped buckle dating to the period AD c.1350-1450

As well as being D in shape, the loop of the buckle is D shape in cross section, with bevelled edges and a knop on the far edge. The attachment component of the pin is integral to the plate, but the rest of the pin is missing. The sheet of the plate is securely attached to the straight edge of the hoop with two small wraps of copper alloy. This sheet has two rivets, one near the loop, and the other near the break point. The sheet which is detached from the main plate has a circular aperture at the break point, and the rivet can clearly be seen through it.

The length of the buckle is 56.61mm in length, 26.41mm in width and 6.19mm in thickness. Overall. The buckle weighs 16.08g.

Please see Whitehead (2003) page 20, No. 74 for parallel.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: MEDIEVAL Period from: MEDIEVAL Period to: MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1350 Date to: Circa AD 1450

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Length: 56.61 mm Width: 26.41 mm Thickness: 6.19 mm Weight: 16.08 g

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: SSWM 5054

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Incomplete

Spatial metadata

Region: <u>South West</u> (European Region) County or Unitary authority: <u>Wiltshire</u> (Unitary Authority) District: <u>Wiltshire</u> (Unitary Authority) Parish or ward: <u>Longbridge Deverill</u> (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: ST8643 Four figure Latitude: 51.186053 Four figure longitude: -2.2016938 1:25K map: ST8643 1:10K map: ST84SE Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.