UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT

Unique ID: LVPL-D76246

Object type certainty: Certain Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete copper alloy object of uncertain date and function. The object consists of a long hook, measuring 85mm in length before it curves, tapering in width to a rounded point. The hook is circular in cross-section. At the top of the object the hook expands and flattens to form an integral loop. The loop has an internal diameter of 14mm. The object has a mid-green patina and is undecorated. It is in fair condition.

Dimensions: 85mm in length, 20mm in width (at the loop), 8.60g.

The exact function of the object is unknown however the form and lack of decoration suggests it was utilitarian. A post-medieval date is likely.

Subsequent actions

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL Period from: POST MEDIEVAL Period to: POST MEDIEVAL Date from: Circa AD 1500 Date to: Circa AD 1700

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1 Length: 85 mm Width: 20 mm Weight: 8.6 g

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Wednesday 1st November 2017 - Friday 1st December 2017

Personal details

This information is restricted for your access level.

Materials and construction

Primary material: Copper alloy

Manufacture method: Cast Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

Region: <u>North West</u> (European Region) County or Unitary authority: <u>Cheshire West and Chester</u> (Unitary Authority) District: <u>Cheshire West and Chester</u> (Unitary Authority) Parish or ward: <u>Tarporley</u> (Civil Parish)

Spatial coordinates

4 Figure: SJ5661 Four figure Latitude: 53.14431715 Four figure longitude: -2.6592712 1:25K map: SJ5661 1:10K map: SJ56SE Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder) Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 1000 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector General landuse: Cultivated land Specific landuse: Character undetermined