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Unique ID: IOW-CA1F66

Object type certainty: Certain

Workflow status: Awaiting validation

A complete and worn post-Medieval silver sixpence of William III (1694-1702), minted at London and dated 1696 on coin.

Obverse: GVLIELMVS·III·DEI·GRA·; Laureate and draped bust facing right.

Reverse: [9]6 MAG BR FRA ET HIB REX 16; Four shields within which are a harp, one lion rampant, three lions passant and three fleurs-de-lis, all around a central circle with the lion of Nassau within, creating a cruciform shape.

Diameter: 20.2mm. Weight: 2.90g. DA=12:6.

Subsequent actions

Current location of find: Finder

Subsequent action after recording: Returned to finder

Chronology

Broad period: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod from: Late

Period from: POST MEDIEVAL

Subperiod to: Late

Period to: POST MEDIEVAL

Date from: Exactly AD 1696

Date to: Exactly AD 1696

Dimensions and weight

Quantity: 1

Weight: 2.9 g

Diameter: 20.2 mm

Discovery dates

Date(s) of discovery: Sunday 13th January 2019 - Sunday 13th January 2019

Personal details

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Other reference numbers

Other reference: IOW2019-2-23

Materials and construction

Primary material: Silver

Manufacture method: Milled

Completeness: Complete

Spatial metadata

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

County or Unitary authority: [Isle of Wight](#) (Unitary Authority)

District: [Isle of Wight](#) (Unitary Authority)

To be known as: Isle of Wight

Spatial coordinates

Grid reference source: GPS (from the finder)

Unmasked grid reference accurate to a 0.01 metre square.

Discovery metadata

Method of discovery: Metal detector

Discovery circumstances: Club rally

Current location: Finder

General landuse: Cultivated land

Specific landuse: Operations to a depth greater than 0.25m