

**CHARTERED INSTITUTE FOR ARCHAEOLOGISTS**

**BUILDINGS ARCHAEOLOGY GROUP (BAG)**

**Committee Meeting**

**11 September 2025**

**Minutes**

Circulation

Amir Bassir (AB), Cara Burton (ClfA), Catherine Bell (CB), Cathy Coutts (CC), Jeremy Lake (JL, Chair), Lorna Goring (LG), Patrizia Pierazzo (PP)

**1. Apologies for absence**

Alison Dickens, Amelia Allen, John Mabbitt (JM)

**2. Minutes of previous meeting**

Passed

**3. Matters arising (if not covered below)**

None

**4. Tea break, evening lectures and other events for 2025-6**

We discussed items as existing and also proposed and agreed (here marked in red) for the calendar:

Tea Breaks and Evening Lectures

- Wed 17 Sept 2025 evening lecture. Amir Bassir, Teesworks Industrial Zone: The Challenges and Opportunities of Historic Building Recording
- Thurs 23 October tea break. Aesthetic/Architectural Value.
- Thurs 20 Nov 2025 evening lecture. Timothy Meek, Lime finishes – what's the point
- Wed 10 Dec 2025 AGM. JL can open with a lecture on Time Depth in the Landscape.
- Thurs 5 February 2026 tea break. Setting.
- Thurs 5 March 2026 tea break. To be determined – this can be the landscape/buildings interface if a longer session.
- Thurs 19 February evening lecture. Phil Carstairs, Soup Kitchens.

Other events

Joint event with Landscape SIG:

- JL to communicate with Sam Turner of Landscape SIG with regard to planning a 'church recording' day at Deerhurst for spring/early summer 2026; also for an on-line event

**5. Newsletter and communication**

- Ideas requested for a catchy Notes and Queries section in the Newsletter.
- JL to talk to AA re future newsletter content
- Request for articles to be made after next evening lecture
- Rob Lennox meeting IHBC on 23 September: brief discussion over how to respond. Committee members to respond with any thoughts or suggestions by Monday 15.

**6. Standards.**

JL to communicate with Jen Parker-Wooding on behalf of BAG.

**7. AOB and date of next meetings**

Next committee meetings scheduled for Thursday 13 November 11am and Thursday 29 January York (all day).