

## Out & About Spring 2022

Welcome to our March newsletter, where we bring you the latest events, news and opportunities from archaeology and heritage in Scotland, as well as a bi-monthly update from our team.

### Archaeology Scotland's Highlight's



#### The Heritage Hero Awards at 5!

We are delighted to celebrate the 5th Anniversary of our Heritage Hero Awards!

What started as a 6-project pilot scheme has turned into a great success story for Archaeology Scotland, with almost 15,000 people across Scotland now having received an Award.

Find out more [here](#)

### Archaeology Scotland's Updates



## Archaeological Research in Progress (ARP) Conference 2022

We are excited to announce that this year's ARP will take place on **28 May** at the University of Aberdeen. Submissions for papers are now closed, but you can still sign up to present a poster and register to attend. [Find out more](#)

## Archaeology Scotland's Summer School is back!

The programme for this year's Summer School was almost complete in early 2020; however, the Covid pandemic resulted in the event's cancellation in that year and 2021. This year we are delighted to host our first Summer School after the pandemic.

This year's Summer School will take place in Gatehouse of Fleet, Dumfries & Galloway between the 20th and 23rd May 2022.



*Kenneth McElroy winner of Archaeology Scotland's Undergraduate Prize 2021*

## Student Prize 2021

Congratulations to Kenneth McElroy and Annika Mazzarella for winning Archaeology Scotland's Student Prize 2021

Our anonymous benefactor will sponsor awards this year too—more information to come soon.

## Board Members

We would like to say farewell to Cait McCullagh and Olwyn Owen, who have decided to step down from their role as Trustee.

Thank you for all your commitment and contributions!

## The Spring 2022 issue of our magazine is out now!

Keep an eye on your mailbox or get your copy by becoming a member [here](#).

## Events & Lectures



**Broch to the Future: Rebuilding the Iron Age Broch of Scotland**

**Thursday 03 March 2022 at 18:30 pm**

Online - [book here](#)

**Community Heritage Conversations: Year of Stories**

**Wednesday 06 April at 10 am**

Online

**The (Scottish) History behind Game of Thrones**

**Thursday 03 March 2022 at 19:00 pm**

In-person - Edinburgh - [book here](#)

**The Conan Stone: A Pictish Cross Slab in the North with strong artistic connections to the South**

**Thursday 31 March 2022 at 7:30 pm**

Online - [book here](#)

**Reconstructing Medieval Lifeways from Bioarchaeology**

**Thursday 03 March 2022 at 7:30 pm**

Online - [book here](#)

**When the Sparks Fly: Two Iron Working Sites Around Loch Ken**

**Wednesday 13 April 2022 at 7:30pm**

Online - [book here](#)

**Guts Galore: Celebrating the Role of Women in Scotland's Fishing Trade**

**Wednesday 09 March 2022 at 1.00 pm**

Online - [book here](#)

**Bruck: The Art and Archaeology of Waste in Orkney**

**Wednesday 23 March 2022 at 4:00 pm**

Online - [book here](#)

**In-person: Resisting Slavery - Struggles of enslaved Africans against their Highland enslavers in 19th-century Guyana**

**Thursday 28 April 2022 at 7:30 pm**

Dingwall Community Centre

**Rev. James Fraser, the Highlands and Europe in the Century Before Culloden**

**Thursday 24 March 2022 at 7:30 pm**

In-person - Dingwall Community Centre

**Digs**



**Cammo Estate Dig - Edinburgh**

**Book of Deer Dig - Aberdeenshire**

**Monday 17 January 2022 - Monday 26 December 2022**

**Monday 18 April 2022 - Friday 09 September 2022**

In 2022, The Edinburgh Archaeological Field Society will be meeting regularly to dig at Cammo Estate in the outskirts of Edinburgh. [Contact them](#) to take part.

Based in Aden Country Park and part of the Book of Deer Project, this opportunity entails digging at the site of the early mediaeval monastery where the Book of Deer was annotated with the earliest written Gaelic. To book a place, contact: [cameronarch@btinternet.com](mailto:cameronarch@btinternet.com)

**Opportunities**

## Volunteer

### Recording Regional and Local Gardens and Designed Landscapes Clyde and Avon Valley, Falkirk

Join Scotland's Garden and Landscape Heritage to survey and record non-Inventory gardens, parks and designed landscapes. [Find out more](#)



Coming Soon...

### Archaeology in the Classroom – online training for educators

Following on from a successful online training session for educators last year, we'll be running another training event this May. Last year's event, which focused on Prehistoric Rock Art, was attended by 98 teachers, youth group leaders, heritage learning professionals and archaeologists. The session was recorded and can be viewed [here](#), on our You Tube channel.

More details coming soon. Keep an eye on our social media channels for more information or email:

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