



# Ipswich & District Detector Club

(Affiliated to the National Council for Metal Detecting)

## Monthly Newsletter by e-mail

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Club Website <http://www.ipswich-detector-club.co.uk/>

Meetings are held on the last Tuesday of each month at The Rosary Conservative club,  
172 Bramford Road, Ipswich IP1 4AB starting at 7.30pm.

Next meeting is on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October 2019

### September Meeting

#### Sad news

I have to announce the passing of John Hales. John was 89 and lived at Brockdish, he always sat with the Diss boys and was well known for wearing a Saxon pendant cross around his neck. He always supported the club auctions and would often go home with handfuls of items. He had been a keen detectorist for about 30 years. He leaves a wife and family, he will be sorely missed by his loved ones, and also missed by the club members.

#### Auction Results.

As usual over 105 lots were tendered for sale. 44 lots were sold, most noticeably a collection of silver threepences achieving £41.00

A fine coin cabinet made £25.00, a selection of farthings made £20.00 and a coin case at £10.00. All in all a jolly evening although Kelvin had lost his voice by the end. Our thanks go to him and all other helpers.

### October Meeting

Our Guest speaker will be talking about the finds made on the pipeline from Bawdsey to Flowten. Many of our club members took part in this important examination of the intended route. One to not miss I feel.

The club badge was given out to members on auction night, if you haven't one as yet come to the next meeting to receive one. These splendid badges were struck to a high standard and our thanks go to Trevor for organising this worthy idea. An idea originally put forward by our members.

Don't forget to support The 2019 David Cummings Memorial Rally in aid of The Saint Elizabeth Hospice on Sunday 6th of October

Venue : Bylam Farm, Bylam Road, Chelmondiston, IP9 1HN

Cost £15.00 either in advance or on the day. If you are to pay on the day please be there about 9.00 for a 10 o'clock start.

Full details in last newsletter and on club website.

## Find of the month

The entries in the July find of the month competition were as follows;

- 1 Livery Button, Boars Head of St. Martins Lane, London
- 2 Saxmundham Token, Nicholas Sheppard
- 3 Medieval Sword Hanger
- 4 Denarius of Lucius Verus
- 6 Anglo Scandinavian Zoomorphic Harness Fitting
- 7 Saxon Zoomorphic Buckle
- 8 Celtic Coin Forgery Boar Type
- 9 Saxon Brooch
- 10 Strap End
- 11 Saxon Mount
- 12 Medieval Cross
- 13 Hand Axe Stone
- 14 Edward the Confessor, Saxon Small Flange Penny

Congratulations to the winners

Best Artefact: No. 6 Rob Webster Anglo Scandinavian Zoomorphic Harness Fitting



Best Coin: No.14 Jeremy Armour Edward the Confessor, Saxon Small Flange Penny

