

Altogether Archaeology Policy on Booking of Guest Speakers

1) Frequency of Events

The Events Coordinator on behalf of AA (Altogether Archaeology) aims to provide a double bill of talks once a month between January and April, then in latter part of the year between September through to December. The months of May, June July and August are excavation season.

2) Nature of Events

Talks last approximately 1 hour followed by a Q and A session. Throughout the year seasonal full day guided site tours are offered according to constraints e.g. lambing season, MOD restrictions, low growth of vegetation in winter months.

3) Payment of Speakers

Invited speakers are offered travel expenses up to £40.

4) Sourcing of Speakers

- a) Discussed at committee. Experts who might be willing to deliver a talk.
- b) Professional archaeologist who have been employed by AA to oversee a specific excavation.
- c) Members within AA who possess passion and expertise in a specific area who want to share their knowledge.
- d) Suggestions from AA members and their experience of a guest speaker following their attendance at other local groups e.g. history/archaeology/U3A.
- e) Casual meeting of an interesting person who possess a particular interest.