

Abstract

This presentation will provide an overview of the Coventry Historic Environment Project – CHEP – a community archaeology project run in partnership by the Coventry Historic Environment Record and the Coventry and District Archaeological Society (CADAS). The presentation will discuss how the partnership between Council and community developed with the identification of the mutual goals of the HER and the local archaeology society. Now at the half-way stage of the project, the presentation will show how volunteers were recruited, what they have been doing, and how they have benefited from the project. The presentation will discuss the challenges that have arisen and assess the achievements of the project so far.