

## Test Pits, Local Archaeology, and an Apple Tree

**Paul Sayers & Bill Orson** 

Test pits have recently helped several local villages re-evaluate their past. They offer the Hanneys an opportunity to do the same and can bring pleasure and unexpected benefits. The speakers managed a little of this in a Hanney garden in March and offer some hints to others who wish to follow their early steps during this brief introduction to the topic and news from some local results.

At our 2018 AGM Paul looked at recent archaeology in Hanney, which was appreciated by members. At tonight's meeting he will review the last 10 years of Development-led archaeology in the wider Wantage area. What was learned from the plethora of local building sites and other excavations?

The meeting concludes with this year's A.G.M. including our 2019/20 financial review.

## Hanney History Group

8.00 P.M
TUESDAY 27<sup>TH</sup>
OCTOBER
War Memorial
Hall
East Hanney
OX12 OJL
[DOORS OPEN 7.40]
Members only
due to Covid with socially
distanced seats
and facemasks



Hanney Test Pit 1: finds