

NOTICEBOARD

Dates for your diary

Here are some of the events coming up over the next few months – keep an eye on our event web page for more information and additions: www.archaeologists.net/events-training/events.

Innovation festival week: 6–10 October 2025

Hopefully you'll be reading this in time to catch our digital innovation festival week. This week-long virtual festival has a wide range of topics including discussions about the use of AI in archaeology, post-excavation, science-based archaeology, sampling strategies, flood risk management, hybrid working, drone-mounted magnetometry, project case studies and a session focused on student and early-career research.

Find out more at <https://www.archaeologists.net/events-training/events/innovation-festival>

Innovation week will also include our next **Annual General Meeting**. This will be held online at 13:00 on **Tuesday 7 October** and we invite all members to attend. The AGM notice and other documentation is on our AGM website page at www.archaeologists.net/events-training/events/agm

Online accreditation workshops – step-by-step guide

If you're currently working on an application or thinking about upgrading, join Lianne and Ellen at one of our online application workshops. These will give you an understanding of the accreditation process, covering the online application form through to the statement of competence and everything in between. We'll walk through each step of the application, ensuring you understand what ClfA's Validation committee is looking for and how to best demonstrate your skills and knowledge to them.

ACIfA accreditation workshop – 7 November 2025

PCIfA accreditation workshop – 14 November 2025

Heritage Carbon Reduction training workshops

Historic England is running two new workshops aimed at micro, small and medium-sized enterprises, including volunteer-run heritage organisations, as part of their Heritage Carbon Reduction training programme.

How to measure a carbon footprint is a two-hour online trainer-led session designed to support organisations in identifying their emissions and measuring a simple carbon footprint.

How to write a carbon reduction plan is a workshop designed to support organisations to build on their carbon footprint report by writing a basic plan for carbon reduction, while also engaging with staff, volunteers and visitors. Dates and booking details are available at www.archaeologists.net/events-training/events

ClfA 2026 Conference

Sponsored by Towergate Insurance

28–29 April 2026

Edinburgh

Find out more about our developing programme, call for papers and booking information at <https://www.archaeologists.net/events-training/events/conference/2026>

