

NAME Deane
PARISH Deane
HUNDRED Overton
DISTRICT Basingstoke and Deane
NGR SU 547502
GEOLOGY River gravel and Upper Chalk.

SITE CONTEXT The settlement lies on a S facing slope of a small dry valley at around 100m OD with the land to the N rising to 150m OD and to the S rising to in excess over 130m OD. Immediately to the S is the entrance to a narrow 'tributary valley'. Just over 1km to the W, in the valley in which the village lies is the source of the River Test.

PLAN TYPE & DESCRIPTION D/SMV Irregular agglomeration

The area surrounding the church is covered with the earthworks of former settlement. Without detailed survey little can be said about this part of the village. The present day village consists of a large loop within which is the Manor Farm in a large enclosure taking in just over half of the area of the loop. Along the W side of the loop there are a few cottages in small plots. Outside the loop, along the N side there is a short row of three cottages in small squarish plots and two outbuildings in irregular plots.

AREAS OF ARCHAEOLOGICAL POTENTIAL

The area of the deserted (or more correctly shifted or shrunken) village with the church at the centre and Deane House is covered by an AHAP. The limits of the earthworks have not been identified and so the AHAP is drawn to cover the likely extent of the former village. Further fieldwork is required to determine as precisely as possible the edge of the settlement. The AHAP also extends to the E of the N-S road to cover the area along the N side of the loop including Manor Farm and the row of cottages to the N.

The land behind the cottages lies within an AAP as does the remainder of the area within the unit containing Manor Farm where there are earthworks which seem to be of argicultural origin.

The antiquity of the plan is uncertain. Was the Manor Farm always sited within his loop? Deane seems to have had fluctuating fortunes; Domesday records 20 hides, 10 ploughs and a population of 33 but by the C14 it was taxed at only 13s. By the C17 there were 24 houses in the settlement which suggests that there had been expansion at some time after the C14.

CHURCH & CHURCHYARD All Saints 1818.

The Tithe map shows a rectangular churchyard smaller than the present day churchyard which has been extended to the W.

BUILDINGS

(Listed)

Breach Fmhse C17, C18 and early C19
Barn early C19 II
Deane House C17 and C18 II
Oakley Hall 1795, remodelled 1860 II
Stable block 1860 II
Malshanger House 1800 II
Well house C17 and C19 II
Stable block (Malshanger House) C16, early C19 II
Malshanger Fmhse Early C19 II
Tudor Fmhse C17 II
Rosemary Cottage and No.12 C17 II
Church of All Saints 1818 II*

(Un-listed)

SMR DATA

42	54625061	BA ring ditch
49	54585024	Med church
52	54505030	DMV ewks
57	54645010	Landscape park

ADDITIONAL SITES/FEATURES

1	54695045	Site of cottage shown on Tithe map
2	54834997	ditto
3	54735037	ditto
4	54685015	ditto. There are earthworks in this area and extending towards and S of the church
5	54735016	ditto
6	54764999	ditto
5	4794996	Site of outbuilding shown on Tithe map
6	54975014	Earthworks. 'Humps and bumps' and linear earthworks probably representing old boundaries are visible in all the field surrounding Manor Fm and within the 'island' created by the roads encircling Manor Fm and Deane Hill House

CARTOGRAPHIC SOURCES SU 1:2,500 SU 5454-5554, 5453-5553; Tithe map 21M65/F7/59/2 (1839)

AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS

BIBLIOGRAPHY

PRIMARY HISTORIC SOURCES

Domesday William of Eu. Toli held it from King Edward in freehold. Then it answered for 20 hides; now for 11 hides. Land for 10 pl. In lordship 3 pl; 12 villagers and 10 smallholders with 7 pl. 11 slaves; woodland at 1 pig. Value before 1066 £10; later £11; now £12.

William also holds 0.5 virgate and 4 acres of land in *GERLEI*. Edward held it from King Edward in freehold. Now it has been placed with Deane, the above-mentioned manor. It belongs there, so the Hundred states.

Subsidy Rolls

1334	0. 13. 0
1524	1. 6. 0 (13 taxpayers)

Manorial Documents

Hearth Tax

1665	26 hearths chargeable (11 houses)
	13 hearths not chargeable (13 houses) Total 24 houses

PLACE NAME 1086 *Dene*. OE *Denu* 'valley'.

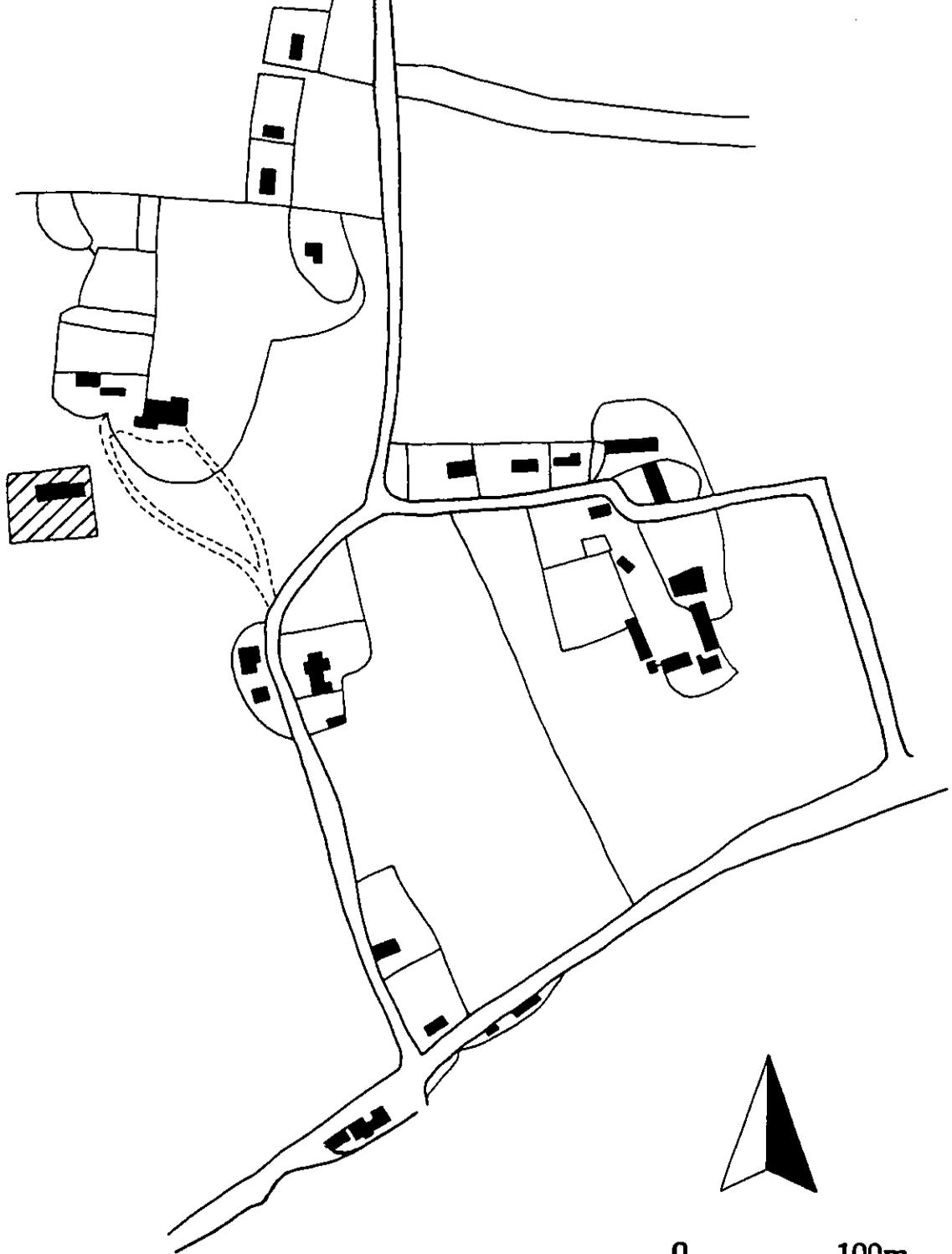
PHOTOGRAPHS

OTHER PROJECT ARCHIVE ELEMENTS

Excavation in Oakley Park revealed a C13-C14 barn like timber structure and some sherds of unstratified Saxon grass-tempered pot (MSRG Annual Report 19, 1971).

Former field boundaries observed on E side of existing settlement (MSRG Annual Report 26, 1978).

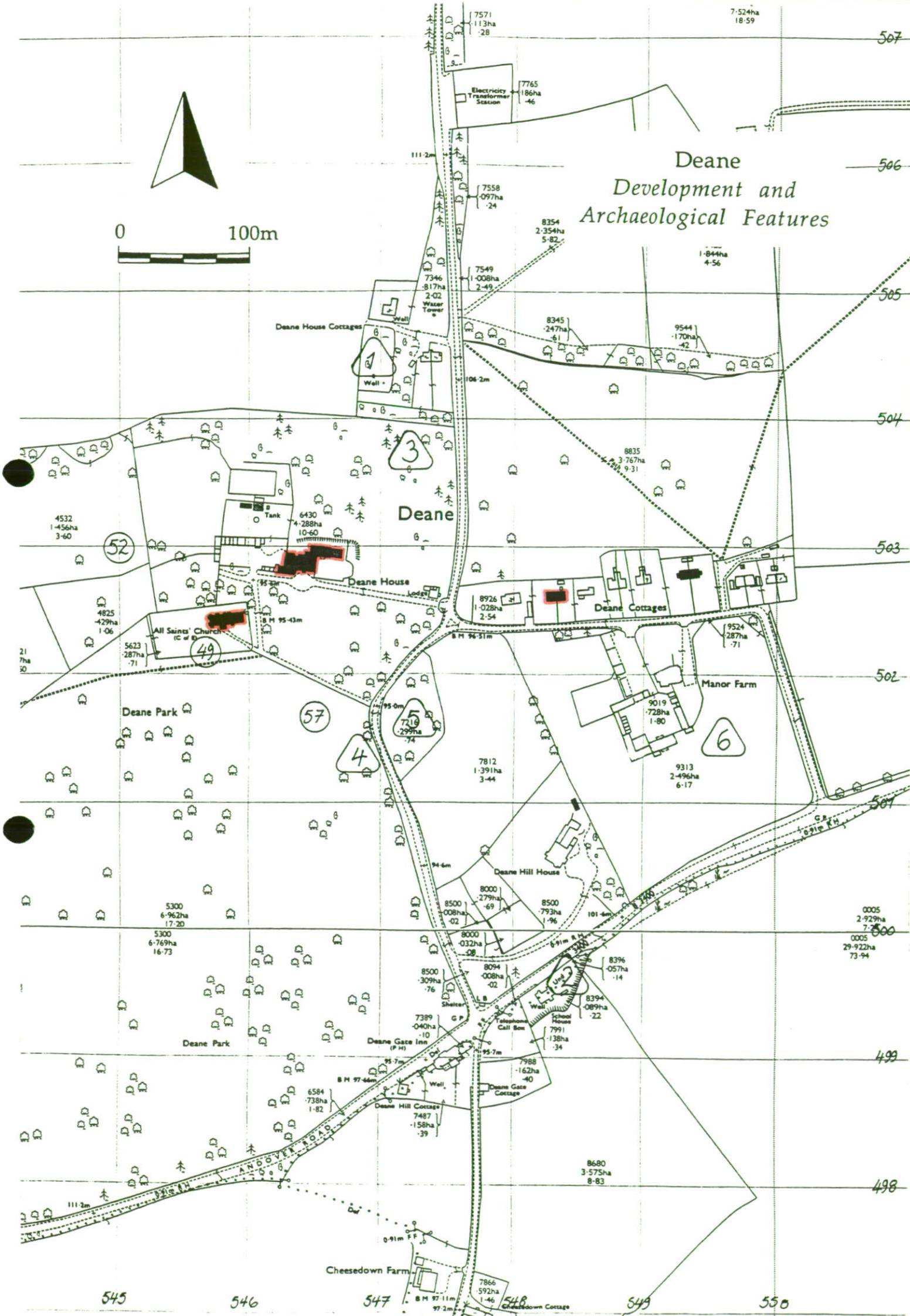
Deane
Based on Tithe Map of 1835



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Deane Development and Archaeological Features



Deane Hill Cottages
7866
592ha
1-46

Deane Areas of Archaeological Potential

