



MARLOW ARCHAEOLOGY

Health and Safety general statement

The Health and Safety Executive issues guidance to employers and employees focussed on the work environment. The following are extracts from that guidance, amended to suit Marlow Archaeology events or a site of archaeological fieldwork.

"You have the right to:

- work in places where all the risks to your health and safety are properly controlled;*
- stop working and leave the area if you think you are in danger;*
- be consulted on matters related to your health and safety on site;*
- inform the site supervisor about health and safety issues or concerns;*
- be informed of any toilet and washing facilities and availability of drinking water;*
- adequate first-aid facilities.*

You must:

- take care of your own health and safety and that of people who may be affected by what you do, or do not do;*
- co-operate with others on health and safety, and not interfere with, or misuse, anything provided for your health, safety or welfare;*
- follow the training you have received when using any work items provided for you."*

Marlow Archaeology policy and practices are intended to meet these requirements to secure, as far as practicable, the health and safety of everyone attending events organised by Marlow Archaeology or engaged in, or encountering, archaeological fieldwork. Marlow Archaeology members attending events organised by others should satisfy themselves that suitable health and safety arrangements are in place.

See the Fieldwork Health and Safety Guidelines and also the Brief Guide to Fieldwork Health and Safety. Other fieldwork guides set out what is expected of conduct when undertaking fieldwork.

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