

Is there Ancient Human History on Rogersceugh? 6th February to 24th February 2023

Grampus Heritage are leading a geophysical survey of the Drumlin at Rogersceugh to search for evidence of archaeological remains. The drumlin is surrounded by lowland raised bog, and as the highest point of land in the area, is considered to be of high archaeological potential.

The geophysical survey will use the non-invasive techniques of resistivity and magnetometry over an established grid of 20m squares to search for evidence of past occupation and activity at Rogersceugh.

This community archaeology project, funded by Nature for Climate Peatland Grant Scheme, is open to all volunteers with an interest in the historic environment of the Solway Plain.

Full training is provided and working days are from 10am to 4 pm, with a cap of 6 volunteers per day.

Survey days are Monday-Saturday, with no work on Sundays. Join us for as little as one day or come along for more. There may be opportunities in the future to investigate any features revealed during the survey through targeted excavation.

Those interested in joining this exciting research fieldwork should contact Grampus Heritage and Training Ltd at faye@grampusheritage.co.uk. Alternatively leave a phone message on 016973 21516 and we will call back.

Please let us know if you have specific access requirements and we will try to accommodate them.

Parking is on the Kirkbride to Bowness road layby, near the entrance to Glasson Moss Nature Reserve, NY 23 60. It is then approx. 20 minutes walk up the track to Rogersceugh.

Please wear sturdy footwear and suitable outdoor clothing. Please bring packed lunch. Some shelter is available at the site and a temporary toilet will be provided.

