



# Middle Nene Archaeological Group

## Nassington Excavation 2024

### Volunteer Application Form

Please clearly print all details

First Name: ..... Family name: .....

Home Address: .....

..... Post Code: .....

Current Address (if different from above):.....

..... Post Code: .....

Tel No.: ..... Mobile No.: .....

Email address: .....

#### Introduction

Our aim is to involve as many local people as possible in this exciting opportunity. Depending on the numbers who wish to volunteer, we may have to limit the number of days you can take part. You will be able to experience several types of archaeological activity so please indicate overleaf those which you are interested in.

No experience is required; guidance and training will be given. All volunteers will undergo a short induction on their first day, so we ask that you commit to a minimum of TWO FULL DAYS. Please note that the first and last day of the excavation may involve an element of setting up and closing down the site, and volunteers' help with this is always appreciated.

The excavation will take place between Saturday 17 August and Saturday 31 August 2024. The cost per day is £7.50; this is a contribution towards general excavation equipment and costs and the provision of toilet facilities and refreshments. If you are not already a member of the Middle Nene Archaeological Group (MidNAG), you are required to join - annual membership is £10 a year for individuals or £15 for a family. Full payment of the daily fee and membership is required in advance by cheque or bank transfer.

Please read the **Frequently Asked Questions** (FAQs) before you complete this form as the information it contains will help you.

#### Are you a member of any archaeological/historical society, other than MidNAG.

If 'YES', which one(s)?

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How did you hear about these volunteering opportunities? Please tick all that apply.

MidNAG	FRAG	Facebook	Local media	Personal contact	Other

**Please indicate the dates you wish to take part by ticking the boxes below**

Sat 17	Sun 18	Mon 19	Tue 20	Wed 21	Thu 22	Fri 23	Sat 24
Sun 25	Mon 26	Tue 27	Wed 28	Thu 29	Fri 30	Sat 31	

Please be aware that the organisers may have to change the excavation dates in the unlikely event that the crop is harvested late due to weather conditions.

**Please tick the box(es) below to indicate which activities you wish to be involved in.**

Excavating	Finds Processing Washing/recording finds	Other e.g. taking photos

**Before you sign this form please read the following information**

If for any reason your circumstances change once you have had your place confirmed and you cannot attend, please let Gill Johnston know as soon as possible by phone (01832 273798, mob. 07913 149011) or email [agjohnston1941@hotmail.com](mailto:agjohnston1941@hotmail.com).

It will be necessary to take photographs throughout the excavation period. By signing this form, you agree that you are happy to appear in them and they can be used by MidNAG for use in publicity material, websites and official records and that you are giving the organisers permission to hold your personal information for the purposes of running the excavation.

Please complete, sign and date the volunteer application form as soon as possible and send it by post to Chris Stanley, 26 Ringwood, South Bretton, Peterborough PE3 9SH or email it to [castanley888@gmail.com](mailto:castanley888@gmail.com). If you are not an existing member of MidNAG, please also send a membership application form, which can be found on our website, [www.midnag.org.uk](http://www.midnag.org.uk). You will be sent acknowledgement of receipt of your application, confirmation of the days requested and the fee to be paid. You will also be sent directions to the site and a brief medical form which should be completed, placed in a sealed envelope and brought with you on your first day. This will be kept safely and only opened in case of emergency.

**Signed:** .....

**Date:** .....

**Name (printed):** .....

**If you are under 16 please ask a parent/guardian to sign below. You must be over 8 years to volunteer.**

**Signed:** .....

**Date:** .....

**Relationship to volunteer**      **Parent** ..... **Guardian** ..... **(tick one)**

**Name (printed):** .....