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Dates for your diary

Saturday 10th November:
[Scotland's Community Heritage Conference](#)

Saturday 17th November:
[Edinburgh, Lothians and Borders Archaeology Conference](#)

[Meet the SCHARP team](#)

We welcome Ellie Graham and Natalia Bain to SCAPE. Ellie will be working full-time on SCHARP. Natalia is with us for a year on a CBA training bursary. [Meet the team](#)



Our YouTube video showing the 3D model of Eyemouth's fort

[The King's Mount Fort in Eyemouth, as never seen before](#)

SCHARP have joined forces with the [Lowland Unit of the UK Civil Air Patrol](#), who are volunteering their time, skills and aeroplanes to fly the coast and take aerial photographs of coastal sites. This month the crew has been in Eyemouth where they took some stunning aerial photographs of the King's Mount Fort. The fort plays a critical part in Scotland's history, but the soft cliffs upon which it is built are being badly damaged by erosion. Using open source software from Autodesk, called 123D Catch, Ellie has stitched the photos together to create a stunning 3D model of the fort which you can view [here](#).

[SCHARP goes to Solway](#)

We have been out and about exploring the archaeology along the coast of Dumfries and Galloway with the [Solway Firth Partnership's](#) Coastal Ranger Nic Coombey. We visited sites of all types and periods along the coast, from promontory forts to fishing stations and harbours to shipwrecks. We'll be working closely with Nic and with the Dumfries Dock Park Project in events and activities to involve volunteers in the recording and investigation of Solway's special coastal heritage.

A cleared way and modern salmon stake nets near Carsluith on the Solway Firth



[Steamy Bronze Age remains recorded on Sanday beach](#)

Volunteers on the island of Sanday in Orkney are already submitting ShoreUPDATE surveys and improving the coastal heritage record. Follow this [link](#) to see how the information you send us is added to the coastal heritage record. Read more about the Bronze Age find [here](#).

This burnt mound on Sanday beach was recorded by local SCHARP volunteers

[SCHARP featured on STV news](#)

On Thursday evening, STV news included a piece about the SCHARP project, and highlighted two eroding sites on the Angus coast, Boddin lime kiln and Red Castle tower and midden, if you missed it, you can [catch it here](#).

STV's brave camera man filming on the lime kiln at Boddin



[Could you be a citizen archaeologist of the coast?](#)

The project is actively recruiting volunteers to help with coastal surveys and to develop ideas for local projects. [Find out more](#)

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[SCAPE](#) developed Scotland's Coastal Heritage at Risk Project so that we could involve more people to more effectively tackle this important national issue. Our philosophy is that eroding coastal heritage provides opportunities for anyone to enjoy and benefit from taking part in archaeological and historical exploration and discovery.

The three year project will run until 2015 and is generously funded and supported by the [Heritage Lottery Fund](#), [Historic Scotland](#), the [Crown Estate](#) and the [University of St Andrews](#).

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