



“The Importance of London Geodiversity Partnership sites around Harrow and Hillingdon” by Diana Clements

In this talk we will examine all the sites identified by the London Geodiversity Partnership in the Harrow and Hillingdon area. Along with southeast London this is one of the most geologically diverse areas and we have tried to cover all the different lithologies.



We will look at why they are important and why we wish to conserve them for future generations. Many are very ephemeral, particularly the gravel sites and so looking to the future there is scope for recording the sites of old gravel pits in the HHGS Local Geology Webpage and trying to locate images from the GA Carreck Photographic Archive. The talk will include images from Jon Noad’s recent posters of fossil finds.

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Diana Clements is familiar to many of us at HHGS as a leader of field trips around the capital which our members are always happy to join and follow. She has made a great contribution to public understanding of the geology beneath our feet through work with the Geologists’ Association and London Geodiversity Partnership, including exhibitions and the GA Guide to the Geology of London.

[London Geodiversity Partnership website.](#)

[Read about some of London’s Geodiversity.](#)



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Chalk below; Sands and Clays of the Reading Beds; London Clay at the top (p. 65).

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