

Comments from those taking part in the Past is All Around Us Heritage project.

- *It brought the whole built medieval landscape of Castle Acre alive.*
- *I never imagined I'd be able to touch historic documents and read them.*
- *Really interesting to see and hear pottery identification in action – what knowledge and expertise.*
- *An inspiring day, at a perfect level for a novice bird watcher like me.*
- *I won't be able to walk through the castle again without noticing so many plants I hadn't appreciated before.*

- *A very enjoyable day. Learned to identify butterflies I'd not known before and will be doing butterfly counts after this.*
- *The Stones' Survey was extremely interesting and worthwhile; it's amazing what you see when you really start to look.*
- *It is so fascinating discovering the history of our local walking areas and learning how to discover things elsewhere .*
- *I felt that the positive experience of developing the panels was one of a culmination of the information gleaned from the previous workshops.*

- Finally, from the Chair of the Parish Council:

The Heritage Project has allowed those lucky enough to participate to investigate the unique environment of Castle Acre. Whether looking at documents, maps, photographs, buildings or touching objects found in mole hills or test pits, it enabled a brief glimpse into the lives of our forebears. The Project also explored the village's beautiful natural surroundings and wildlife. In addition to learning about Castle Acre, the project has also initiated many ongoing activities to help conserve and enhance this amazing environment for future generations.