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SCA and EH members	£40	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(including Friday reception and keynote lecture, Saturday lectures, tours and buffet lunch)

CONFERENCE DINNER

(Saturday night) £25

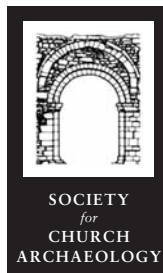
SUNDAY COACH TOUR

(Including lunch and entry to all sites) £20

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FROM BYLAND ABBEY USED IN
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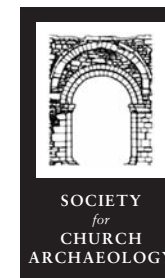
DOCUMENTING DESTRUCTION IN YORKSHIRE: THE DISPERSAL OF MONASTIC ARTEFACTS

SCA CONFERENCE YORK

SEPTEMBER 17TH-19TH 2010



HENRY VIII'S STAMP ON A LEAD
FOTHER FROM RIEVAUX ABBEY
(ENGLISH HERITAGE)



DOCUMENTING DESTRUCTION IN YORKSHIRE:

THE DISPERSAL OF MONASTIC ARTEFACTS

LATE MEDIEVAL YORKSHIRE was known for the size and number of its monastic houses, and for the strength of its adherence to Roman orthodoxy. Unsurprisingly the county became the centre of national resistance to the dissolution of those foundations in the 1530s. In Yorkshire the avarice and greed of those who sought to benefit from the Dissolution came into stark conflict with the piety of those who aimed to retain vestiges of the Old Religion. This year the SCA aims to explore this conflict by charting the dispersal of monastic artefacts through a series of lectures and tours.

On the Friday evening Professor Richard Morris presents the key note address. He will explore the similarities in thinking revealed when the mobility of monastic artefacts in the Dissolution of the 16th century is compared with earlier episodes of dispersal.

The Saturday morning session presents a selection of papers on the re-use of the monastic landscape, monastic glass and other possessions. Speakers will include Pam Graves (Durham University), Leslie Johansen (University of York) and Kevin Booth (English Heritage). These will be followed in the afternoon by visits to Holy Trinity Priory and St Mary's Abbey, and a bespoke tour around parts of the Yorkshire Museum's fine monastic collections telling the story of artefacts from house of religion to museum. Lastly, before our conference dinner, Dr Andrew Davison will consider the impact of the Dissolution on one particular industry, brewing.

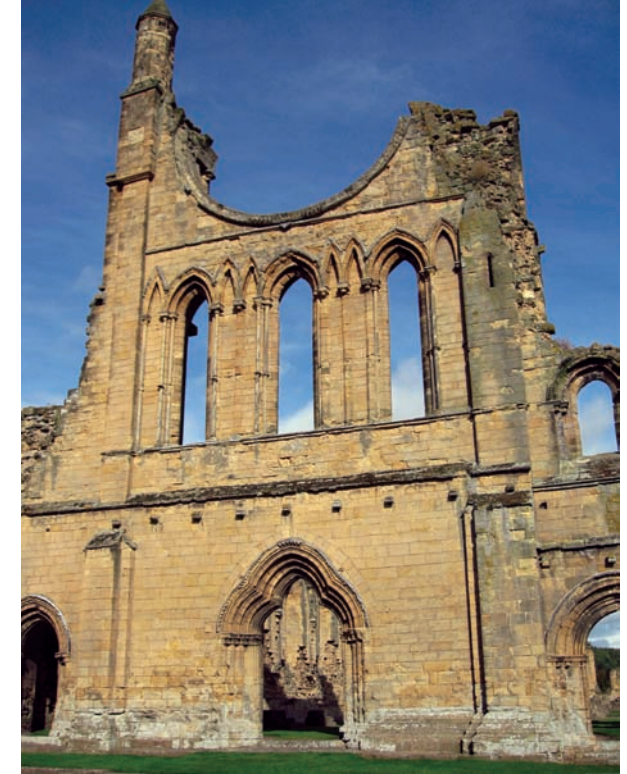
On Sunday we have the opportunity to tour the ruins of two of Yorkshire's most famous monastic ruins, Byland and Rievaulx Abbeys, both now in the care of English Heritage. Leading scholar Stuart Harrison will guide delegates through the process of demolition and the subsequent dispersal of the building fabric. Finally we have been afforded privileged access to the English Heritage archaeological store in Helmsley to view many of the artefacts discussed during the previous two days.

THE VENUE

THE CONFERENCE TAKES place in the extraordinary Bar Convent in York, home still to an order of nuns whose origins lie in efforts of recusant families of the later 16th and 17th centuries to preserve the Old Religion in Yorkshire. The Convent will provide a wonderful setting and has an excellent museum documenting, amongst other matters, the impact of the Reformation on the Yorkshire community.

The Bar Convent is situated in central York, 5 minutes walk from the station and one minute from the nearest public car park.

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BOOKING

PLEASE USE THIS form to book your place at the conference. **Please note** that numbers attending the conference are limited by the size of the venue and the capacity of some of the visits. The SCA will allocate places on a strictly first-come-first-served basis. The full conference programme and details of travel and accommodation will be forwarded on receipt of this booking form. The Sunday coach tour will finish at York Railway Station at 4:30pm.

The Society for Church Archaeology is grateful to English Heritage for its support in staging this conference.

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