## Warwickshire Geological Conservation Group (WGCG) Local Geological Site - LGS 51 River Avon Shelly Alluvium, Update 29 Jul 2016

## **Brief Description:**

A river bank section with an exposure of a shelly alluvium of Holocene age, and strandline sediments demonstrating a variety of sedimentological processes.

## **Monitoring Report:**

- Easy access via public right of way from Stannells Close.
- Access to river bank limited during the summer by extensive beds of nettles and other vegetation, though some paths cut through to provide fishing pegs.
- No restrictions on access; no interpretation boards.
- The water level was high covering the sediment shown in picture taken during previous visit – as a result sediments in the shallows were not visible.
- No sediments were visible in the banks at the fishing pegs – possible erosion of the bank due to fishing activity.
- The cut section of the bank remains in good condition, showing a section of the alluvium
- No signs of dumping, landfill, vandalism or other detrimental effects.
- The site is likely to evolve naturally, though its use as a fishing location should be noted.

Link to Original LoGS (RIGS) document: http://lgs.wgcg.co.uk/LoGS51.pdf

## **IMPORTANT**

Visitors to LGS sites do so at their own risk and WGCG cannot accept responsibility for any injury, loss or damage which may occur.



