

Warwickshire Geological Conservation Group (WGCG)
Local Geological Site - LGS 76 Windmill Hill Tysoe, Update 14 Nov 2018

Brief Description:

- Disused quarry exposes Astarte elegans bed of Northampton Sand Formation - fine grained calcite-cemented sandstone with a few fossils including common wood fragments.

Monitoring Report:

- Windmill Hill is capped with Northampton Sandstone.
- **Site 1** South West Facing Slope / Quarry Face is covered with dense bramble and other vegetation.
- There is downhill soil creep.
- There is no sign of dumping.
- The quarrying is ancient.
- The density of the vegetation would make clearing difficult.
- There is footpath access to the hill
- **Site 2** is a small open quarry with some accessible exposures around the rim.
- The site is in open woodland.
- There is some soil creep.
- There is a small amount of dumping.
- The quarrying is ancient.
- Badgers have disturbed the quarry rim
- The site is on private land and permission would be required for any clearance work.

Link to Original LoGS (RIGS) document:

<http://lgs.wgcg.co.uk/LoGS76.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.

Site 1



Site 2

