

THE SOCIETY FOR THE STUDY OF ANCIENT EGYPT S.S.A.E.



Are proud to present an illustrated Lecture on “The Anubis Catacombs of North Saqqara.”

- Date:** Saturday, February 10th at 1.30 pm
The lecture lasts approximately 2 hours including a break.
- Speaker:** Professor Paul T. Nicholson, Professor of Archaeology at Cardiff University
- Location:** Lecture Theatre, Chesterfield Central Library New Beetwell, Street, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, S40 1QN
- Admission:** Free to Members, Day-Visitor £4 on the door.
- Requirements:** No previous knowledge required, our group is aimed at everyone with a love of ancient Egypt.
- Topic:** “The Anubis Catacombs of North Saqqara.”

The Catacombs of Anubis at North Saqqara have been known since at least the late 19th Century. However, no serious work had been carried out on them before the present project directed by Professor Paul Nicholson.

The galleries have been re-mapped, leading to new interpretations of them, and the number of animals which they might once have considered is very much higher than has previously been thought, numbering - it is thought- in the millions.

This Talk reviews the history of the catacomb and the new work carried out there.

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