

Parish:

Arkesden

Pump/Well No.

ARK01



Location:

PUMP ON VILLAGE GREEN, THE VILLAGE (south side)
ARKESDEN, UTTLESFORD, ESSEX, CB11 4EX

NGR:

TL 4834 36/967

Photographer:

Sibyl Thomas (Author)

Date Photographed:

2010

Private or Communal:

Communal

Scheduled Monument?

No

Listed Structure?

Yes

Grade of Listing:

II

Date Listed:

22/02/1980

LBS Number:

121409

Listing Test:

C19 cast iron pump with spout and handle (broken)

Well Series Record?

222/63 Public Well, Arkesden (recorded as built in 1877, by G
Ingold of Bishops Stortford, water level 69ft down, well is 72ft
deep, deepened to 84ft deep in 1905

Well or borehole?

See above

Water-raising mechanism?

Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, dated 1877 made by Ingold.

Significant features?

1877 Cast iron pump, by G Ingold of Bishops Stortford.

Lower Body: Three horizontal bands, smooth body

Upper body: vertically ribbed

Spout: Acanthus leaves round spout, scrolled bucket hook.

Cap: Vertically ribbed with spiked finial.

Handle: Lower half of handle removed

Working Order:

No

The following pumps are recorded in Whitaker, W & Thresh, J (1916) Memoirs of the Geological Society England and Wales. The Water Supply of Essex from underground sources, Great Britain, Jas Truscott & Son.

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ARK02:

Chardwell Farm, Hampit Rd, Arkesden, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11 4HH

Record: Two Wells communicated by Mr Featherby at the farm, 1. 30ft deep: No water. 2) Near old pond 11ft deep – water got.

ARK03:

Little Becketts farm, communicated by G Ingold, 72ft deep

ARK04:

Wood Hall, Arkesden, CB11 4HA

Communicated by G Ingold in 1898, 167ft deep well the rest borehole for approx 100ft

Ashdon

Pump/Well No.

ASH01



Location:	Pump on the village green, Church Hill (east side, opposite the post office) Ashdon, Uttlesford, Essex,
NGR:	Easting: 558696m, 242108m
Photographer:	Sibyl Thomas (Author)
Date Photographed:	2010
Private or Communal:	Communal
Scheduled Monument?	No
Listed Structure?	No
Grade of Listing:	-
Date Listed:	-
LBS Number:	-
Listing Test:	-
Well Series Record?	-
Well or borehole?	Unknown
Water-raising mechanism?	Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, dated c.19
Significant features?	Cast iron lift hand pump Lower Body: Two horizontal bands, smooth body Upper body: Vertically ribbed Spout: Smooth spout, bulbous bucket hook Cap: Rounded cap. Handle: Intact wrought iron with tear shaped outline
Working Order:	No

Pump/Well No.

ASH02



Location:

Pump in front garden, The Vales, Radwinter Road (west side)
Ashdon, Uttlesford, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2LZ

NGR:

Easting: 559100m, 241012m

Photographer:

Sibyl Thomas (Author)

Date Photographed:

2010

Private or Communal:

Communal (now on private property)

Scheduled Monument:

No

Listed Structure:

No

Grade of Listing:

-

Date Listed:

-

LBS Number:

-

Listing Test:

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Well Series Record?

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Well or borehole description:

Well, not visible: date unknown

Water-raising mechanism:

Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, dated c.19

Significant features:

Description: c. 19 Cast iron lift hand pump marked Warners

Lower Body: Two horizontal bands, smooth body

Upper body: Vertically ribbed

Spout: Acanthus leaves around spout, scrolled bucket hook

Cap: vertically ribbed with pear shaped finial

Handle: Intact wrought iron with pear shaped outline

Makers Mark: Warners, Cripplegate, London

Working Order:

No

Pump/Well No. ASH03



Location: Well in front green, Guildhall, Church End, Ashdon, Uttlesford, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2HG
NGR: Easting: 558102m, 241461m
Photographer: Sibyl Thomas (Author)
Private or communal: Communal
Date Photographed: 2010
Scheduled Monument: No
Listed Structure: No
Grade of Listing: -
Date Listed: -
LBS Number: -
Listing Test: -
Well Series Record? -
Well or borehole description: Well shaft, date unknown
Water-raising mechanism: Winch: C20
Significant features: **Description:** Circular brick well shaft, with oak winch and square brick well head
Well Shaft: Brick circular
Depth/diameter: unknown
Well head: Square, four courses of c.20 stretcher bond red brick
Winch: Oak frame, with iron handle and metal chain
Working Order: No (no bucket, with bucket – then yes)

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ASH04:

New House Farm, New House Lane, Ashdon, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2LX
Communicated by G Ingold in 1891, water level 54ft, Well shaft 57 ft deep.

ASH05:

Woodstone Farm, New House Lane, Ashdon, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB10 2LX
Communicated by C Isler in 1912

Aythorpe Roding

According to Dr Thresh's Report of 1901, p117, the houses about 60 in number, were supplied by 13 private wells

Pump/Well No. AYT01



Location: Pump on village green, Drury Lane, (south side) Aythorpe Roding, Uttlesford, Saffron Walden, Essex, CM6 1PT
NGR: Easting: 559083m, 214813m
Photographer: Sibyl Thomas (Author)
Date Photographed: 2010
Private or communal: Communal
Scheduled Monument: No
Listed Structure: Yes
Grade of Listing: II
Date Listed: 17/10/1983
LBS Number: 352643
Listing Text: Cast iron pump, late C19, on the green south of Drury Lane and west of the road from Leaden Roding to Dunmow. Fluted cap, finial, and upper barrel. Scrolled bucket-hook. Curved handle ending in knob, On lower barrel, raised pattern of a flag and '3½' below. No maker's name -
Well Series Record?
Well or borehole description: Unknown – possibly Well due to flag stone above
Water-raising mechanism: Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, dated c.19
Significant features: **Description:** c. 19 Cast iron lift hand pump marked with flag of Lee How;
Lower Body: Two horizontal bands, smooth body
Upper body: Vertically ribbed
Spout: Acanthus leaves around spout, scrolled bucket hook
Cap: vertically ribbed with pointed finial
Handle: Intact wrought iron with rounded weight
Makers Mark: Flag logo (Lee Howl)
Working Order: No

Pump/Well No. AYT02



Location: Pump on wall of Axe and Compasses public house, Dunmow Road (south side) Aythorpe Roding, Uttlesford, Saffron Walden, Essex, CM6 1PP

NGR: Easting: 559368m, 215417m

Photographer: Sibyl Thomas (Author)

Date Photographed: 2010

Private or communal: Communal (on private property)

Scheduled Monument: No

Individually Listed Structure: Not individually – but mentioned in building listing

Grade of Listing: II

Date Listed: 17/10/1983

LBS Number: 352624

Listing Text: Against S end, cast iron pump with acorn finial, handle ending in knob, no maker's name visible

Well Series Record? -

Well or borehole description: Unknown – possibly Well due to manhole cover above

Water-raising mechanism: Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, c.19

Significant features: **Description:** c. 19 Cast iron lift hand pump
Lower Body: Single horizontal band, smooth body
Upper body: single horizontal band
Spout: Acanthus leaves around spout, bucket hook
Cap: Now missing
Handle: Intact wrought iron with knob weight
Makers Mark: None

Working Order: No

Pump/Well No.

AYT03

(No picture available and pump not yet inspected by Author)

Location: Pump on wall of Highhams House, Dunmow Road, Aythorpe Roding, Uttlesford, Saffron Walden, Essex, CM6 1PF
NGR: Easting: 559968m, 214985m
Photographer: Sibyl Thomas (Author)
Date Photographed: 2010
Private or Communal: Private
Scheduled Monument: No
Individually Listed Structure: Not individually – but mentioned in building listing
Grade of Listing: II
Date Listed: 17/10/1983
LBS Number: 352651
Listing Text: Cast iron pump in wooden case against E corner.
Well Series Record? -
Well or borehole description: Unknown
Water-raising mechanism: Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, c.19 in wooden case
Significant features: **Description:** Cast Iron Lift Hand Pump, c.19 in wooden case
Lower Body: Unknown
Upper body: Unknown
Spout: Unknown
Cap: Unknown
Handle: Unknown
Makers Mark: Unknown

Working Order: No