

BORDERWARE

In 1810 it was said there were 13 active pottery kilns in Cove with further potteries producing wares in Farnborough. Many were operated by the same families over a number of generations.

NEHHAS are cataloguing their reserve collection from a number of sites including:

- Two sites located at Tower Hill, Cove; Hill House Pottery which operated up to 1871 after which it became a nursery, and at 23 Tower Hill from which sherds were found dated from the 14thC up to the 18thC.



- At what was Outsheets Farm, Cove near the M3, mainly early to mid 17th century wares.

- Farnborough potteries, include white-wares from Ship Lane, (14thC) and from Farnborough Hill (17thC).

Archaeologists were able to date finds where kilns were excavated, otherwise dating was based on typology – matching forms to those found at known dated sites.