



Paranormal Tours

Alton Towers

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Investigators: James Fidler, Brian Ward, Chris & Claire Mcfarlane, Nicola & Mark Cotterell, Adam Speight, Cheryl & David Lerous, Gillian Lees, Steven Chinnock, Greg Pearn, Andy Hygate, Stephen Ball, Tina Marsh, Dee & Stuart Beveridge, Angela Williams, Lynsey Steele, Daniel Stewart, Richard Jones, Roy Lloyd, Kevin Ling & Carl May.

Specialists: John Crowdey (Spiritualist Medium), Kerry & Andrew Marsay, Martin Gregory, Kelly Dumbrell, Jamie Robertson, Sammy (Paranormal Tours Investigators)

This report is a compilation of the Ghost Walk and the group vigils throughout the night.

Music Room

Investigator	Activity
Team 1	The team connected with a male who was a family member of the Earl of Shrewbury using the dowsing rods. Year 1744. Aged 24, surname Talbot, who had a good life, they felt his first name was Fred.
John	Could hear musical instruments, felt that people may have heard a harpsichord from time to time - Confirmed
John	Felt that footsteps have also been heard in this area and also a lady in white has been seen in this area, connected with the name beginning with 'A' - Confirmed

Pugin Rooms

Investigator	Activity
Team 3	Using the dowsing rods the team connected with an Earl of Shrewbury from the 1700's, all of the team felt uneasy in the small room.
John	Could smell food being served in this area, lots of chatting and talking
Andrew	Could see two men practicing sword fencing
John	Connected with the name of Colonel Jackson from WWII

Banqueting Hall

Investigator	Activity
Andrew	Connected with a young serving girl from the late 1700's with an initial of M. Felt that she had an accident on the stairs - Confirmed, a serving girl has been picked up in this area before
Team 2	The batteries drained on the EMF reader and the temp gauge. - No explanation found
Andrew	Andrew saw an orb with the naked eye, the team saw a mist around Andrew when he was linking with John Talbot. Also his facial features changed. - No explanation found
Team 3	Using glass divination and did not get a response although when using the Dowsing rods, the team linked in with a member of the Talbot family, the team felt that this presence did not want them in the room.
Team 4	In the Long Gallery a white mist was seen and the team felt that this was a lady called Elizabeth. - No explanation found
John	Felt that there was a lot of laughter in this room, many good times happened in here - Confirmed
John	Connected with the name of John Talbot, a titled person - Confirmed
John	Connected with the name of Elizabeth Ashbrook, in her 30's from around 1770.
John	Also connected with a lady with a French connection. Also connected with the names of Andrews and West.

Kitchen

<u>Investigator</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Team 2	The team were in the kitchen with John and Kerry and John asked the team to hold hands whilst he connected with the energies in the room. All of the team started to feel disorientated and started swaying side to side, even to the extreme where one team member almost fell over. In one of the other kitchen areas 3 members of the team did the same with John and all witnessed a grey swirling mist in the room. - No explanation found

Chapel

<u>Investigator</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Team 1	One of the investigators felt he was touched and dragging sounds were heard from each end of the chapel.
Team 1	Members of the team felt cold air across their face and hands.
Team 1	Using dowsing rods the team connected with an 'Andrews' and 'West'
Team 3	Using the planchette the team connected with a family member of one of the clients.
Team 3	Temperature fluctuations were felt by the team and also cold blasts of air.
Team 3	On the way back to base one of the team members heard music being played, it was coming from gatehouse, lake area.
John	John could hear singing, chanting and prayers - Confirmed
John	Could see that beatings may have occurred at some time.
John	Felt that this part of the building was newer than the rest and that it was built on the foundations of an older building - Confirmed
Group	Two members of the main group thought that they saw a shadow on the highest level - Confirmed, this has been reported in the past.

Outside

<u>Location</u>	<u>Activity</u>
John	John connected with WWI soldiers who were training. - Confirmed
John	John felt a vast stretch of woods nearby where hunting of deer and boar took place - Confirmed

West Wing

<u>Investigator</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Team	A number of the main team started to smell lavender - Confirmed
John	Felt that a lady has been seen at one of the windows - Confirmed
John	Also felt that people have had objects thrown at them and strange noises heard - Confirmed
John	Connected with children in this area, laughter has been heard - Confirmed
John	Was shown an argument and legal fights over ownership of the building - Confirmed

Experiments

<u>Location</u>	<u>Activity</u>
Planchette	Teams had varying success with it moving, however nothing conclusive.
EVP	Various EVP experiments conducted throughout the night, awaiting full analysis
Stealth Cam	Camera was tripped once, awaiting analysis
Trigger Objects	No movement made
Motion Detector	No movement made