

CONVEYANCE & DESCENT

HISTORICAL HOLDER REGISTER

Manor:

ADSDEAN MANOR

Location:

Westbourne, Sussex

Recorded historical holders:

2

Export date:

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Public record URL:

https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_manor=adsdean-manor

Colour key: green - direct blood, blue - collateral, purple - marriage-linked blood, amber - in-law, grey - unclassified. Colours describe the saved relationship classification, not documentary certainty.

SUCCESSION AT A GLANCE

Earliest recorded holder to present. Relationship descriptions are reproduced from saved published paths; categories are not evidence ratings.

1. **Goodwood Estate | 1800 - before 1840**

Transfer: Adsdean Estate is stated to have formed part of the Goodwood estate from 1800; by the 1840 estate map the land was recorded in the ownership of John Scardeville. The precise transfer from Goodwood to Scardeville is unknown.

Holding: Other / Goodwood estate ownership

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

2. **John Scardeville | 1840**

Transfer: The 1840 Adsdean estate map records the land as being in John Scardeville's ownership. No deed or other source located establishes when or how he acquired it, and no later source securely establishes the date of his disposal.

Holding: Other / Adsdean estate ownership

Relationship to present holder: Not recorded

DETAILED CONVEYANCE & DESCENT

HOLDER 1

1800 - before 1840

Goodwood Estate

Transfer:

Adsdean Estate is stated to have formed part of the Goodwood estate from 1800; by the 1840 estate map the land was recorded in the ownership of John Scardeville. The precise transfer from Goodwood to Scardeville is unknown.

Holding arrangement:

other

Shared holding:

Goodwood estate ownership

Narrative / explanation:

This is evidence of estate ownership or inclusion within the Goodwood estate, not an explicit statement that the Duke of Richmond or the Goodwood estate held the separate manorial lordship of Adsdean Manor. The source also reports that the house was reputedly built by the 3rd Duke of Richmond, but that architectural attribution is not treated as a conveyance.

Source citation:

Parks & Gardens, 'Adsdean Park - Funtington - Parks & Gardens', historical account stating that the estate was part of the Goodwood estate from 1800.

Source URL:

<https://www.parksandgardens.org/places/adsdean-park>

Historical person profile:

https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=goodwood-estate-24932

Relationship to present holder

No published relationship path recorded.

HOLDER 2

1840

John Scardeville

Transfer:

The 1840 Adsdean estate map records the land as being in John Scardeville's ownership. No deed or other source located establishes when or how he acquired it, and no later source securely establishes the date of his disposal.

Previous holder:

Goodwood Estate

ADSDEAN MANOR

Holding arrangement:

other

Shared holding:

Adsdean estate ownership

Narrative / explanation:

John Scardeville is directly linked by the 1840 estate map to ownership of the Adsdean land or estate. The evidence does not expressly describe him as lord of Adsdean Manor, so this entry is recorded as estate ownership rather than proven manorial lordship.

Source citation:

Parks & Gardens, 'Adsdean Park - Funtington - Parks & Gardens', citing the 1840 estate map as evidence that Adsdean was then owned by Mr John Scardeville.

Source URL:

<https://www.parksandgardens.org/places/adsdean-park>

Previous holder profile:

https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=goodwood-estate-24932

Historical person profile:

https://manorialregistry.com/?mhr_person=john-scardeville-24933

Relationship to present holder

No published relationship path recorded.