Hursley Museum Services – September 2012 Update

We continue to receive some very useful donations, and have uncovered a couple of small enclaves of old equipment around the Hursley site. Two old Customer Engineering toolkits in varying states of repair and completeness have been donated by ex-CEs. We have also received an Aptiva, a Proprinter, some early PC software, part of a honeycomb from the Mass Storage Unit, a PC Convertible complete with carrying bag and a TCM (Thermal Conduction Module).





CE Tools

Aptiva, Software

We are planning Customer Engineering display, and have started to label a host of tools, many specials made for specific machines in preparation.





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From around the Hursley site, we have been offered a 3174 controller and 3268 printer, once part of the CICS testing programme and long since redundant. These will be transferred to the museum shortly. We've also come across a series of three rooms with a multitude of potential artefacts, and we hope to be able to sort through this in the coming weeks.

If anyone is aware of, or suspects the existence of rooms around the site that might contain old and no longer used equipment, please get in touch via Hursley Events - mailto:hurseve@uk.ibm.com!

We have now started the process of setting up visits to Hursley by representatives of the Computer Conservation Society (BCS and the Science Museum) and the National Museum of Computing (Bletchley Park). We hope that this will lead to productive liaison with both organisations to our mutual benefit.

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