



Celebrating 21 Years of Tameside Local History Forum



'I am very proud of what the members of "The Tameside Local History Forum" have achieved over the last 21 years and the legacy we leave. Strange how such a small incident changed my life, meeting so many wonderful people'.
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7. Blue & Brown Plaques and Local Lists

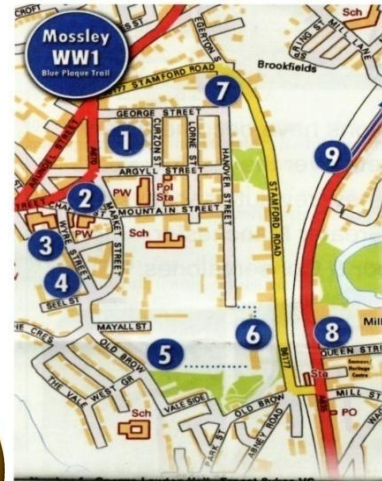
BLUE & BROWN PLAQUES

Blue Plaques in Tameside commemorate places of historical importance and local people such as artists, poets, botanists and war heroes.

Brown Plaques mark interesting buildings or structures of architectural or historical importance.

Since 2000 Tameside Local History Forum have been involved in gathering correct information for any Blue or Brown Plaque, which fits the criteria, in collaboration with Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council.

To view the list of current Plaques go to www.tameside.gov.uk/blueplaques



Mossley WW1 Blue Plaque Trail (above)
Includes the Blue Plaque for Ernest Sykes VC (Cited No 1 on map). Picture shows him receiving his VC from King George V



Denton - Police Station, Angel Public House & St Marys Church

LOCAL LISTING

TAMESIDE LOCAL HISTORY FORUM started to compile a Local List of buildings, monuments, sites and places in 2010.

A list of buildings in each of the nine Towns was identified as being of Local interest

The list would protect non designated heritage assets in the planning system with a criteria to define the scope of the local heritage list.

Approval of the list was to have gone to Tameside Metropolitan Borough Council. Unfortunately the Conservation Officer post was taken out of Planning and, as there was no funding available, the project came to a halt.

New information from Historic England is now available which may give Forum members a chance to update the project.

Droylsden
(Fairfield Square)- Stone Pillars at entrance, Electrical Box and Street Lights



Dukinfield - Dukinfield Town Hall and Peak Forest Canal and Railway bridge.

Left some of the buildings & structures on the Local Lists in Tameside

2017



22 May - Manchester Arena is attacked by a suicide bomber following a music concert by Ariana Grande.

2018



15 January- Carillion, the UK's second-largest construction company, goes into liquidation with debts of £1,500,000,000.

2019



15-22 April- Demonstrations by Extinction Rebellion cause disruption in London.



The last tower block in Hattersley is demolished.



Tameside Local Studies and Archives receive the Archive Accreditation Award.



Thomas Averill Duckenfield 3rd, a descendent of Sir Robert Duckenfield, visits Dukinfield with his family. Thomas is a lawyer in Washington, USA. (See green folder)