

Precis of the Swindon Heritage magazines Nos 1 – 20

Edition 1. Spring 2013



Edith New our forgotten Suffragette Heroine. Man with the Stick (Curious views of the OS mapper). Myths of Mechanics.' (10 facts to set the record straight). Welcome to Arkell (The town named after brewer John).

Edition 2. Summer 2013.



Cover Diana Dors. Articles include Swindon Town FC History, Big Band Heyday and Johny Stiles Band, Empire theatre, Swindon library, Chiseldon Excavation and Iron age Pot, Arts Centre History, Uffington White Horse, Collection of police memorabilia, Swindon families who fought in 1st World war, Railway Cottages, History of Joyce Murgatroyd, Swindon Brick

works, Thamesdown Buses, Sun Inn Coate, Mcilroys Chinese Jazz Club, Railway works photos 1985, Memoirs of William George Blake, (born in Commercial road Swindon,) Wiltshire Buildings records, RJ Blackmore editor of GWR Magazine, William Morris editor of and founder of the Swindon advertiser, Tram Disaster, Swindon Stone Circle, Diana Dors.

Edition 3. Autumn 2013.



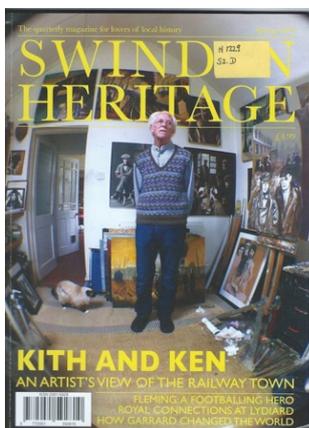
Cover picture 1st World war tank face mask, William Blake and 1st World war tanks, Battle of Cambra, Roman Remains on Groundwell Ridge, Swindon Mela, Swindon Community TV, Lydiard connection to new Prince George, Mark Child's Swindon Book, Farms of Swindon, Railway village Tour, James Kibblewhite of Purton Athlete, History of Swindon Athletic Club, Holocaust History of Rod Bluh, Last farmer in Catsbrain farm Stratton, Eastcott Community association, Arts centre from opening 1956 to 2010, History of Harold Joliffe, Tunnel House Hunt Street, Albert Beaney Photographs of soap boxes, Immigrant story David Bradshaw, History of Fleet Street Baptist Tabernacle, Richard Jeffries Old House Coate,. Science museum Wroughton, Swindon Water supply, Ed Browning collector, Ashdown House, Kingsdown school, Coleshill underground Bunkers, R J Blackmore stories of Brick terraces, Charlotte Wilsdon a Nurse in Crimean War,

Edition 4. Winter 2013.



Cover Picture, McIlroys Bag, History of McIlroy's Store, Pictures and story of Tram 13, Town Hall and Corn exchange past and Future, History of Map of Old Town, Christopher Addison, Swindon's first labour MP and the story of a Pinehurst man, Albert Beaney's photographs of children, Jane Clements Narrow Boat Artist, Student trips to 1st world war battlefields, Coate, Sun Inn and the Old House, Edward Thomas 1st World War Poet, History of Garrards, Swindon farms part 2, The lawn House and Holyrood Church, Trinity Presbyterian Church, Even Swindon School, Old Town Tunnels, Bath Road Museum, Bottle Collection, Pendon Museum, Nicola Cornick, Author and Historian.

Edition 5. Spring 2014



Articles on Artist Ken White, Garrards Factory, Angela Gradwell Tuckett Folk singer and activist, Morden Farms, Lydiard House and Family Tree, Trams, OS Surveyor, Queenstown, Railway Village, Coate Water diving platform, Swindon FC, Italian Immigrant Anna Ruggiero, Bishopstone converted chapel, Locarno Ledger, Sanford Street Congregational Church, Shrivenham Railway Carriage, Rodbourne's missing plaque, Henry Day Headmaster Even Swindon, Railway Works new college building, Salisbury Cathedral roof, Denys Hodson Director of Arts and Recreation, Albert Beaney photograph collection.

Edition 6. Summer 2014



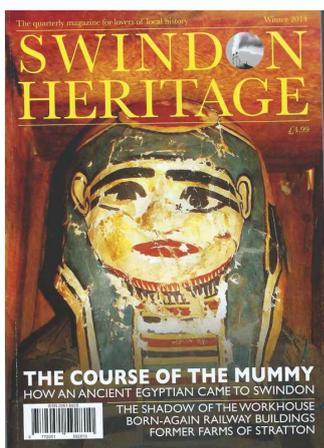
Summer Edition 2014. Includes articles on Frances Winchcombe of Lydiard House. The purchase of Lydiard House in 1940. Memories of a worker in the Swindon Railway Works. Farms in West Swindon. Spitfire assembly in South Marston. The Swindon / Marlborough Camp Club. Swindon Pubs. History of Swindon Street names. Flickr Archives.

Edition 7. Autumn 2014



Quarterly magazine of local history. The story of the Scarrott family who have been running funfairs for four generations from Wooton Bassett. History of the Goddard family who came to the town in 1541 and had a great influence on the developing town of Swindon. Horse racing in Wroughton. 100 years of friendship between the Bridgeman's of Swindon and the Camerlincks of Ostend. In Richard Jefferies' footsteps.

Edition 8. Winter 2014.



Articles include: "*Tales from the Crypt-Egyptian Mummy came to Swindon*"
Apsley House, temporary home of Swindon Museum and Art Gallery,
Couples remembrance on the railway, John Holmes the music man,

The Long Shop at GWR Railway works, Stratton in the age of farming, discoveries from the Farmsteads Project

Edition 9. Spring 2015



Edition 10. Summer 2015



Harold Starr, the Battle of Britain Hero from Swindon (Tragic squadron leader became one of the few.) Farming Factfile, (rounding up our agricultural past, Seventh Heaven (A green legacy on Penhill's doorstep.)

Edition 11. Autumn 2015



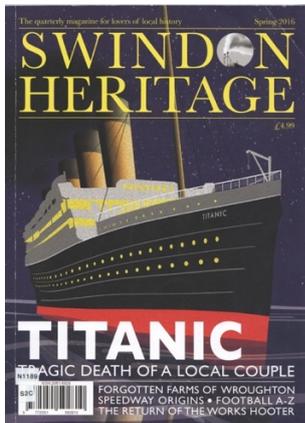
Dancing with delight, Town Hall, Past, Present & Future, Wiltshire War Horses, 007 Links, Russians, Swindon's Suffragette.

Edition 12. Winter 2015.



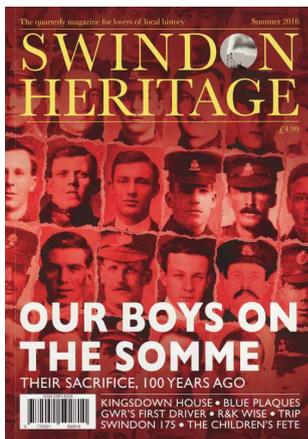
Long Live the King, Loco comes home for Swindon 175, The Harry Potter Connections, First to 100mph, Midwife memories, Swindon Prefabs, Lydiard House.

Edition 13. Spring 2016



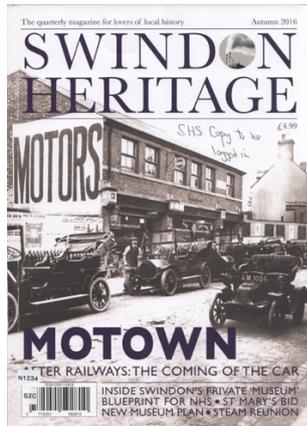
Titanic, Tragic death of a local couple, Forgotten Farms of Wroughton. Speedway Origins, Football A-Z, The Return of the Works Hooter.

Edition 14. Autumn 2016



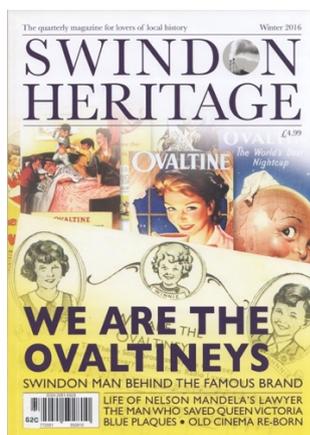
Our Boys on the Somme, their sacrifice 100 years ago, Kingsdown House, Blue Plaques, GWR's First Driver, R&K Wise, Trip Swindon 175, The Children's Fete

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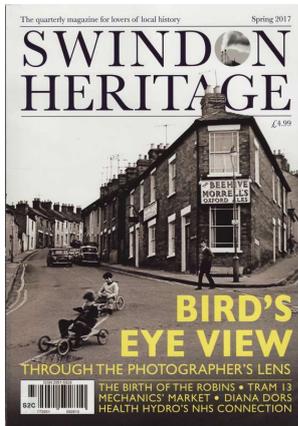
Motown After Railways, the coming of the car. Inside Swindon's Private Museum. Blueprint for NHS. St Mary's Bid. New Museum Plan. Steam Reunion.

Edition 16. Winter 2016



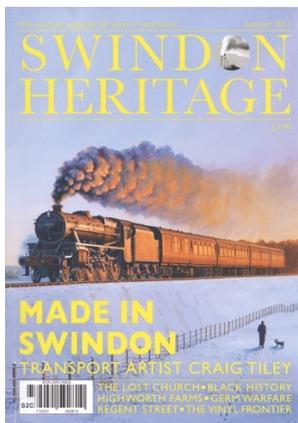
We are the Ovaltineys – Swindon man behind the famous brand. Life of Nelson Madela's Lawyer (Joel Joffe). The Man who saved Queen Victoria. Blue Plaques. Old Cinema Re-born.

Edition 17. Spring 2017



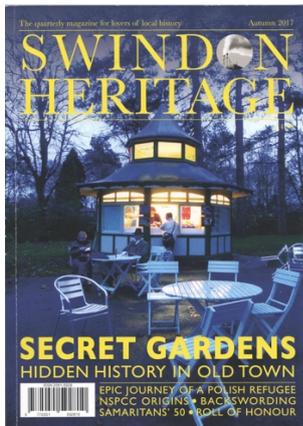
Bird's Eye View, through the photographer's Lens. The Borth of the Robins. Tram 13. Mechanic's Market. Diana Dors. Health Hydro's NHS Connection.

Edition 18. Summer 2017



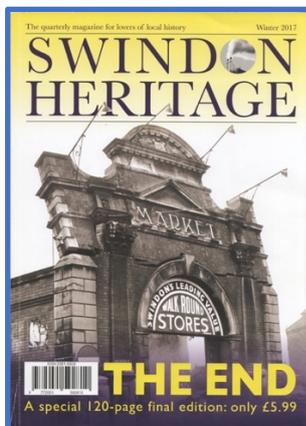
Made in Swindon, Transport artist Craig Tiley. The lost church. Black History. Highworth Farms. Germ Warfare. Regent Street. The Vinyl Frontier

Edition 19. Autumn 2017



Secret Gardens, hidden history in Old Town, Swindon. Epic journey of a Polish refugee. NSPCC Origins. Backswording. Samaritans' 50. Roll of Honour.

Edition 20. Winter 2017



This last magazine of the series, is a bumper edition. Here are very brief headings of what it contains: Demolition of the old Market building in Commercial Road

Blue Plaque for Milton Road Baths

History of Fostering by Hannah Archer who campaigned for it

Remembering Joel Joffe

Blakehill Farm - The D-Day Airfield near Cricklade

Negatives (Film) on Glass Plates - a Collection from the Swindon Advertiser Archives

Profile of the Photographer Richard Wintle

Collection of photos of Swindon Town Centre 49 years ago

More old photos still being found - a Media Archive plan

A look into the Archives of Pathe News

A Tribute to the late Peter Burgess - Ceramics expert

A Jug for sale on Ebay with an interesting Swindon connection

The Beaney Collection of photos

John Stooke's book on the story of Swindon's Lost Pubs

The story of the pub the 'Glue Pot'

The story of attempted murder and suicide in Swindon in 1905

Swindon in the 2nd World War, bombs dropped near the Railway Works

The renovation of Swindon College building in Victoria Road

St Mary's church in Lydiard Tregoze, murder and mystery

Artists drawing on history

Swindon's bid for the money to build a new museum

Library in Beechcroft Rd celebrates it's 50th birthday

Prof Wlodzimierz Loskowski - buried in Radnor Street cemetery - a remarkable man

Christ Church to be modernised

A new novel from Nicola Cornick called, 'Dark Water'

2 novels by Elizabeth St John on the Lydiard series

Book, 'Legacy of a Rag & Bone Man,' by Eastcott Community Organisation

Death of Dan Gurney

The lost church at Eysey near Cricklade

War Memorial now on display at the Civic Offices, Swindon

The Brigade from the St John's Ambulance sent to the Boer War

The old Bier from Shrivenham goes to a new home

The story of a Polish Airman told by his son

The XTC Convention & Interview with front-man Andy Partridge

Stories about Penhill

Tales of life at Swindon College in 1969

Andy Partridge of XTC tells of the Mechanics Institute building

The End of the Magazine.