

Mossley History Resource List

These resources can be found at Mossley Heritage Centre.

Reference books

Mossley Carnival 25th May 1977

Mossley Centenary Festival 1985

Mossley Festival 1981 (3 copies)

Mossley Football Club Centenary

Mossley SHMD Souvenir 1904

The Story of Mossley Wool Combing and Spinning (3 copies)

Mossley Market Place – A Journey Through Time
by W Westwood

The Mossley Cowboy (Abraham Mills)
by Alison Wild and Ron Hamilton

The History of the Fire Brigade

Mossley in Old Photographs 1983
by Alice Locke

50th Anniversary of Mossley RNLI History and Cookery Book 2017

Mossley Pubs and Their Licencees (2 copies)
by Rob Magee

Mossley Textile Mills
by Ian Haynes

Ashton under Lyne and Mossley 1995
by Alice Locke

An Illustrated Account of the Rural District of Hartshead and Broadcarr 2004 HOYD pub

Story of Mossley 1926 (Holt) photocopy

Carrbrook Peep into the Past 2004 HOYD pub

Mossley Remembers the Great War 2014
by Alison Wild and Shirley Howard

Mossley Remembers the Second World War 2015
by Shirley Howard, Rita Vaughan, Alison Wild

Borough of Mossley Jubilee Souvenir 1885 – 1935

Remember All The Boys 2011
by Rita Vaughan

Pennine Rambles 1977
by Eric Johnson

Poems of Mossley 2011
by Keith Slater

The Family History of Cornelius Howard and Mark Wild
by Alison Wild

Memories of a Mossley Childhood
by Lydia Hoare

All Saints Magazine May 1930 – 2015

Winter Memories of Old Mossley 2012
by residents of Jonathan Grange Care Centre

The History of Mossley Churches and Schools Past and Present
by Alison Wild and Shirley Howard 2017

Mossley Heritage Walk 2012

Churches and Schools 2016 – A Presentation

A Mossley Guide 1950s photocopy

Mossley Mechanics Institute
by Bill Westwood

Memorials to the people involved in the MEN incident 2017

Methodist Church Waggon Rd Mossley Jubilee May 1933
photocopy

Scrapbooks containing press cuttings of Mossley 1883 – 1938

Almanacs (photocopy) 1934 – 1938
produced by Argyll St Printers

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Military resources

Tracing Family War Heroes

Visiting Flanders Fields

CWGC Teachers Pack

Poets of the Great War

War Time Cookery Book

WW1 Munitions Work

Illustrated Pictorial Record of WW1

Set of eight books (No. 1 and 10 missing)

File entitled "Waterloo"

Photography collections

Tame Valley Photographs

by Mr T Buckley

Modern day photographs August 2011

by Mossley Civic Society

Then and Now Photography Collection

**An excellent collection of photographs donated by the
family of Smiths Photographers of Stamford Road**

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Local history files

Abney Church (File)	Mayall Family
Abney Church (Book)	Mossley Photos and Tameside Area
Bits and Bobs (photos of building features – Manchester Road)	MAODS 1935-1981 (previously Sunday School productions)
Blue Plaques	Mossley Cotton Industry and the Mayalls
Chartists	Mossley Guides and Brownies
Emmaus	Mossley Hollins 50 year Celebration 1961- 2011
Framed Pictures/Photos Catalogue	Mossley Notes
Gilbert Turner (Life Story)	Mossley Schools
The Girl Guides	Mossley Shops
Huddersfield Narrow Canal	Stories behind the Displays
Listed Buildings of Interest 2010	Tameside 1991 Census
Livingstone School	Transcriptions of the Cassette Tapes
Loyal Order of Ancient Shepherds Friendly Society Micklehurst	Various miscellaneous documents in a file

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Exhibition display resource folders

Mossley's Blue Plaque Trail & Mossley's World War 1 Military Hospital

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Adolphus Cambridge (Marquis) The Duke of Teck (photograph)
The Drill Hall Blue Plaque
Private Ernest Sykes VC
Mossley Market Place Blue Plaque
Mrs Annie Grady
Blue Plaque in memory of the Grady Family
Peace Day Celebrations (July 19th 1919)
Recreation Ground Blue Plaque
Manchester Road
The Soldiers' and Sailors' Recreation Room Blue Plaque
George Birkbeck 1776-1841
The Mechanics Institute Blue Plaque
The Town Hall
Mossley Hall Blue Plaque

Clarinda Rowbotham & Mossley Military Hospital

Index

Photo of Clarinda Rowbotham
Mossley Military Hospital
"Convalescing Blues"
Clarinda Rowbotham's medals
Information about Clarinda Rowbotham
VAD-personal index cards
Blue Plaque Clarinda Rowbotham
1913 -photo of Mossley St John Ambulance Brigade
1918 -St John Ambulance Brigade
Mossley St John Ambulance
Mossley St John Ambulance Brigade 1913
Mossley St John Ambulance (Horse Drawn)
Clarinda Rowbotham- Royal Red Cross
Clarinda Rowbotham - Nursing Trophy
Mossley St John Ambulance (14 nurses)
Gunner John Lownds- Artillery 1894-1953
Photo of Military Medals

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Mossley's World War One Medals

Featuring some of the men who were awarded medals

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A description of the medals awarded and a photograph of the British War Medal, 1914/15 Star and the Victory Medal

Photographs of individual service men follow with a brief description of each person's service and the medals awarded

Stoker John Andrew 1896–1972

Corporal John Hill 1891–1917

Private Stanley Marland 1895–1987

Private Herbert Taylor

Private Percy Buckley and a photograph of the Duke of Wellington's Regiment Cap Badge

2nd Lieutenant Joseph Mallalieu 1896–1917

Private Joseph L Marland 1888–1919

Private Frank Wood 1897–1916

Private William Ewart Gladstone Aspinall 1887–1915

Private Joseph Delaney 1883–1918

Private John Diveney 1873–1918

Private Harold Schofield 1894–1918

Photograph of a Military Medal

Private William Armstead awarded a Military Medal

Private William Clegg Cole 1896–1922 awarded a Military Medal

Gunner John Lownds 1894–1953 awarded a Military Medal

Sergeant Edward Leech awarded a Military Medal

Corporal Thomas Buckley awarded a Distinguished Service Medal

Private William Flaherty awarded a Distinguished Service Medal

Company Sergeant Major Frederick Mitchell awarded a Distinguished Service Medal

Private Ernest Sykes VC 1885–1949

A description of his valiant act that earned him his VC awarded 1917

Clarinda Rowbotham – Nursing Trophy

Mossley St John Ambulance (14 nurses)

Gunner John Lownds – Artillery 1894–1953

Photo of Military Medals

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Exhibition display resource folders

Items which cannot be indexed are listed below.

Mossley Remembers the Second World War
(Ex Display associated with a book)

Whit Friday Walks and Processions
(Ex Display associated with a book)

WW1 Newspapers collection

WW2 Newspapers collection

History of Schooling in Mossley

A display advertising the Heritage Centre

A display about Mossley Heritage Centre

Guided Walk (Roughtown)

Twentieth Anniversary of Emmaus

The Huddersfield Canal

Mossley Wool Combing Social Events

A collection of newspapers about significant events in the Queens reign

Churchill, Kennedy, The Man on the Moon, The Yorkshire Ripper

Other resources

**Details of men listed on the Waggon Road
Methodist Church War Memorial Plaque**

**The History of Mossley Fire Brigade and
a photograph of the Brigade**

**The tram crash 1911 – A folder containing press cuttings
of the event donated to the centre by the Nield Family**

**Collection of The Mossley Correspondent
Newspaper to the present date**

**Day books and minute books belonging
to the civic society since its inception**

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Filing cabinet I

1. Churches, Schools and Whit

Files

Abney
All Saints
Methodist
Mossley Hollins
St George's
St Joseph's
Unitarian
Wesleyan
School trips and publications
Whit band contest
Whit walks
Whit Friday Exhibition

Folders

Livingstone 100th Anniversary
Milton School memorabilia

2. Mills and Industry

History of wool and cotton in Mossley
Brunswick
Hugh Kershaw's
Photos of unidentified mills
Longlands
Micklehurst no2
Milton Mill / Mossley Woolcombing
Scout Mill – Ever After Flooring
Woodend / Robert Hyde Buckley

Mossley Woolcombing and Spinning Company

Social (Mossley Woolcombing)
Mossley Woolcombing and Spinning Company 1932-1982
Photographs (Mossley Woolcombing)
Miscellaneous Mossley Woolcombing (photos, Letter from Duke of Gloucester re visit)
Book – The Story of the Mossley Wool Combing and Spinning Co. Ltd.
Architect maps Milton Mill, Mossley Woolcombing

3. People and Places

Arthur Coxtan
Austin Hopkinson
Band
Bulls Arch
Cemetery Plan
Chip Shop
Chris Cyprus
Dance School
Donkey Stones
Fire Station
Flying Scotsman
Football
George Lawton

George Sixsmiths
Grand National Winner
Guides and Brownies
Incredible Plastic Street Band
John Whitworth
Lifeboats
MAODS
Market Place
Marvellous Mossley & Festival of Light
Mayor
Mill Girl Statue
Oldest Houses in Mossley Park
Peace Festival 1919
Plane Crash
Police Station
Ryecroft Hall
Shooting Club
Shops and Co-op
St John Ambulance
Sweepstake winners
Trams and tram crash
Well

4. Old School Books and photos

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1. Heritage Centre and Civic Society

1950s memorabilia
Mossley Market Place Campaign 2014/15
Saddleworth hydro sustainability grant
Guided walks

2. Mills and Industry

Picture postcards album
1916-1919 Marsden Family
Terry Nield – postcard album
Our English Ancestry by James Lawton Wilson
Includes:
Albert Ellis – Letters written 1916/17. (killed 28.7.17)
Albert Ellis – Box file miscellaneous
Postcard/photo album
Photographs – Terry Nields

Filing cabinet 3

Pamphlets and leaflets

Mossley Festival 1974
(Borough of Mossley 1885-1974)
Mossley Browsers
Tameside Local History Forum & Newsletters various editions
Pennine Link Magazine 2018
Pennine Heritage Network
Various editions
History Alive Tameside
Various editions
About Britain (Various books on different regions of Britain)