



Free Exhibition!

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FRONT**
Where is yours?

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Free entry! Light refreshments and
a raffle - and the recipe for Trench Cake!

To mark the centenary of the end of the First World War, our research for this exhibition has been focussed on the people remembered on the War Memorial and those listed on the Church lych gate, who fought but survived and returned to their families.

Where it has been possible, we start to get to know a little more about the villagers at the time and get a glimpse of the impact of war on a rural community within a rapidly changing world.



Courtesy E. Kirby

Frank Beckett, killed in action in August 1917 at Flanders

Bring along your friends, your own wartime family stories and memorabilia and come and learn about a village 100 years ago.

We have been busy since we started in February 2015 - here are some of the events we have presented or attended:

- Heritage Open Days Exhibition 2015, 2016 and 2017
- Milton Keynes Archaeological Day - 'pop-up' display 2016 and 2017
- Festival of History, Campbell Park
- Quiz Night Charitable Events - August 2017 and August 2018
- Heritage Guided Walks 2016, 2017
- History interest talks
- Historian-led guided walk, 2018

Do look out for talks and other meetings and events we hope to run over the forthcoming year. Why not join us: contact us at woughtonheritage@gmail.com

Did you know...

Over 12 million letters were delivered to the front line every week. It took only 2 days for a letter to be delivered from Britain to France - even during the war!



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