

BERKSWELL & DISTRICT HISTORY GROUP



Do you remember the Festival of Britain in 1951?

For a 2011 project it is proposed that we move on ten years from operation Moonlight Sonata to see if we can find out what was happening locally.

We would like to achieve this by obtaining oral, written and video reminiscences of the period. Although the war was finished by 1945, we had been through a period of great austerity, far greater than we will see from the current budget cuts. Despite the signs of improving standards of living we still had rationing on many basic items such as meat and fats, not to mention sweets. Rock 'n Roll was still to come.

Your help is needed!! Not only do we need people to interview, but we also require assistance to carry this out. Would you organise interviews? Have you a video camera? Can you assist in editing? There are many tasks to do and they won't get done without your help.

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