

Family History Resources

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Bargoed Library

Bargoed Library is the main centre for Family History research in the county borough. All libraries carry general titles on family history but Bargoed has the largest collection, together with many important primary resources.

Bargoed Library has 3 microfiche readers and 1 reader / printer. It is advisable to book the machines in advance. Use of all materials in the library is free of charge, however a small charge is made for prints and photocopies.

Staff are happy to provide assistance to customers carrying out Family History research. However, staff are unable to carry out research on behalf of customers.



Listed below is a selection of the material held at Bargoed Library.



Microfiche



CD-Rom

Census Returns



1841 - 1901 Caerphilly County Borough area.



1881 - England, Wales and Scotland.



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Indexes to the Census Returns



1891 - Gelligaer Parish. 1841-1861 - Glamorgan.



1851 - Monmouth. 1861 - All Monmouthshire.

International Genealogical Index (IGI)



1992 edition.

St. Catherines House Indexes



Births 1837 - 1992.



Deaths 1837 - 1997.



Marriages 1837 - 1996.

Other Resources

- · Parish registers.
- Monumental Inscriptions.
- Glamorgan Marriage Index pre-1837.
- National Burial Index.
- Soldiers who died in the Great War 1914-1919 (Local Index Available).
- Selection of Ordnance Survey Maps (County Series)



Internet Websites

A list of useful online resources and contacts can be found on the libraries section of the Council's Website at www.caerphilly.gov.uk



Books

There are books in all libraries to help you trace your family history.

Try **929.1** for a good general selection.

Staff will be pleased to help.



Newspapers

South Wales Echo 1887 - 1988.

New Tredegar, Bargoed and Caerphilly Journal 1904 - 1943.



Tithe Maps & Apportionments

Include most of the old Parishes now within Caerphilly County Borough (1843).

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General Enquiries Library Headquarters 01495 235587



Caerphilly County Borough -Family History Society

Mr Roy Walters, 23 Kings Hill, Hengoed CF8 7NH

Register Office - Council Offices

Ystrad Fawr, Ystrad Mynach, Hengoed CF82 7SF

Tel: 01443 863478

Glamorgan Record Office

The Glamorgan Building, King Edward VII Avenue, Cardiff CF10 3NE

Tel: 029 2078 0282

Gwent Record Office

County Hall, Cwmbran NP44 2XH

Tel: 01633 644886

Newport Library

John Frost Square, Newport NP20 1PA

Tel: 01633 211376

Cardiff Central Library

St. Davids Link, Frederick Street, Cardiff CF10 4DU

Tel: 029 2038 2116

Merthyr Tydfil Library

High Street, Merthyr Tydfil CF47 8AF

Tel: 01685 723057

Pontypridd Library

Library Road, Pontypridd CF37 2DY

Tel: 01443 486850

National Library of Wales

Aberystwyth, Ceredigion SY23 3BU

Tel: 01970 632800

Family Records Centre

1 Myddelton Street, London EC1R 1UW

Tel: 0208 392 5300

The Public Record Office

Ruskin Avenue, Kew, Surrey TW9 4DU

Tel: 0208 876 3444

