

WW2 in Memoriam

Remembering Thurrock's Fallen : Civilian Deaths due to enemy action and Roll of Honour

Today we share names on the Roll of Honour. These are people whose home address was shown as Thurrock who lost their lives during the Second World War whilst serving with the armed forces or merchant navy.

In recognition of the adversity and bravery experienced by ordinary people in Thurrock civilian deaths are also noted here in relevant months. 101 non-combatants were killed in Thurrock between 1939 and 1945 who will also be remembered.

A special thanks to Museum volunteer Pam Purkiss for compiling the Roll of Honour information. Civilians added by Valina Bowman-Burns from Thurrock Museum.

The names have been listed in date order.

December 1942

HEMPSTEAD Joseph
COFORD Denis
FLANAGAN James
PARKER John A
CARTER Sydney E A
GILES Leslie H
DAVY Cecil A
BOWLES Leslie G
BOXALL Austin C
WILKS George H

January 1943

THURSTON Roy E W
NEWMAN Peter F E
PETTIT John F
MANNING Leslie P
SHARPLEY Matthew I