

Sources for the Study of the history of Meadowhall Shopping Centre



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Hadfields Ltd., East Hecla Works (on the site of Meadowhall), 1967
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Meadowhall Shopping Centre logo, 1987
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Meadowhall Shopping Centre dome at night, 1997
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Introduction

This booklet lists sources available within Sheffield Libraries Archives and Information for the study of the history of the Meadowhall Shopping Centre.

Meadowhall Shopping centre opened in September 1990 on the site of the demolished East Hecla Works of Hadfields Ltd. At the time it was the second largest shopping centre in the UK (today it is the 8th largest). The site, in the Lower Don Valley, was chosen to help regenerate Sheffield's industrial east end following the major changes in the steel and manufacturing industries in the late 1970s and early 1980s which saw many firms close, unemployment rise and land left unused and derelict.

Despite controversy over the impact on traditional town centre shopping centres Meadowhall is generally considered a success, helping to regenerate the Don Valley, and attracting 30 million visitors a year.

This Guide is not a detailed study of the shopping centre or its origins; it merely points the reader who wishes to carry out their own research to what is available within Sheffield Libraries and Archives.

As more items are catalogued and the collections are used by researchers it is likely that additional references will come to light. More detailed searching of our catalogues for broader terms (such as Lower Don Valley, retail, or economic regeneration) may reveal additional material. In addition, a search of retail magazines and newspapers may also bring to light advertisements and articles. It is always worth contacting the service points or checking our website for updates to this study guide. Our contact details are on the back cover.

Timeline showing key dates

1897	Hadfields Steel Foundry Company's East Hecla works opened.
1918	Hadfields Ltd employed 15,000 workers.
1981	1,900 redundancies at Hadfields Ltd announced.
c. Nov 1983	East Hecla Works closed.
c. 1985	East Hecla Works demolished.
1986 - 1988	Numerous planning permissions granted for shopping centre.
Dec 1986	Sheffield Economic Regeneration Committee established to regenerate the Lower Don Valley.
1987	68 hectares of the former East Hecla Works site cleared.
1988	Sheffield Development Corporation established to regenerate the Lower Don Valley.
24 Jun 1988	Full planning permission for Meadowhall Shopping Centre granted.
Jun 1988	Construction work began. Building cost £250M.
4 Sep 1990	Meadowhall Shopping Centre opened with 139,355 m ² of floor space, 284 retailers and 11,000 parking spaces. The second largest shopping centre in the UK.
4 Sep 1991	19.8 million visits recorded in the first year.
1990s	Feasibility study into the Royal Armouries relocating from London to the Meadowhall site (eventually it relocated to Leeds in 1996).
2010	25 million visits a year. 250 stores and 30 restaurants.
2019	290 stores, 50 restaurants and 12,000 parking spaces. Approx. 30 million visits a year.

List of documents, books, photographs and other items available at Sheffield Libraries, Archives and Information

Newspaper reports, etc.

Relevant articles and features may appear in local newspapers. The main titles available at Sheffield Local Studies Library for the late 20th century onwards are: *Sheffield Telegraph* (weekly) and the *Star*.

The Local Studies Library local newspaper cuttings collection will include articles on Meadowhall.
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: microfiche*)

The *Sheffield Star* and *Sheffield Telegraph* have some of their articles from the last 10 years or so available online at: <http://www.thestar.co.uk> and www.sheffieldtelegraph.co.uk

Some *Sheffield Star* articles from 2003 onwards are also online via *Newsbank*. Members of Sheffield Libraries and Archives can access this pay-per-view site for free using their library membership number <https://www.sheffield.gov.uk/libraries>

Archives of some national newspapers are available on the internet, notably *The Times* (<http://www.thetimes.co.uk/tto/archive/>) and *The Guardian* (<http://archive.guardian.co.uk>)

Photographs

Over 100,000 images from the Sheffield Local Studies Library and City Archives collections are available to search online at www.picturesheffield.com. A number of them relate to Meadowhall Shopping Centre.

Documents, journal articles, books, films and other items (in date order)

Lower Don Valley regeneration
Check the Sheffield City Archives and Local Studies catalogues and card indexes for numerous references to the regeneration of the Lower Don Valley in the 1980s and 1990s.
(*Sheffield City Archives and Sheffield Local Studies Library*)

Hadfields Ltd., board minutes; annual reports and accounts, and other records, 19th - 20th cent.
(*Sheffield City Archives: HAD*)

Hadfields Steel Foundry (from *Engineering*, 8 Feb 1895)
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: MP 3969 M*)

Visit of His Majesty the King [George V] to the East Hecla Works of Hadfields Ltd., Sheffield, 29 Sep 1915 (Pawson and Brailsford, 1915)
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: 338.4 SST*)

Visit of J. C. Smuts and Sir John Jellicoe to the East Hecla Works of Hadfields Ltd., 25 Oct 1917 - programme, guest list and seating plan
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: local pamphlets, vol. 180 (042 S); MP 680 S; MP 665 M*)

Hadfields Ltd., Hecla and East Hecla Works, Sheffield: a record of progress in marine, mechanical and military steel (Hadfields Ltd., 1919)
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: 671 SSTF*)

Visit of the guests of The Master Cutler, Peter Boswell Brown, to the East Hecla Works of Hadfields Ltd., Sheffield, 7 Nov 1930 (Hadfields Ltd., 1930)
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: local pamphlets, vol. 48 (042 SST); another copy at local pamphlets, vol. 325 (042 S)*)

Visit of members of the Yorkshire Coal Exchange to the East Hecla Works, 1938
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Opening of New Heavy Forge, East Hecla Works by H.R.H. The Duke of Gloucester, 8 Nov 1951 (Hadfields Ltd, 1951)
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Ship's Bell for HMS Sheffield presented by Hadfields Limited, East Hecla Works, Sheffield, 1951
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(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: example sheet reference: 289.13*)

Block plan of East Hecla Works, 1951
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: MP 274 VL*)

Hadfields Ltd., trade catalogues, 20th cent
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: TRC HADF*)

Dunford Hadfields Ltd., trade catalogues, 20th cent
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: TRC DUNF*)

Leaflets, notices, membership cards and invites pertaining to Hadfields Limited, 20th cent.
(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: MP FOLDER 65*)

[Auctioneers catalogue of] heavy duty machine tools [belonging to] Hadfields Ltd., East Hecla Works, due to closure of the forging activity (M. Isaacs and Son, 1981)
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This item contains personal information about staff which is closed for 75 years under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) (exempt under section 41 of the Freedom of Information Act). Please refer to Sheffield City Archives for advice on how to access the restricted items.

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(*Sheffield City Archives: CA-PTP/97*)

BBC Radio Sheffield recordings:

Please refer to [Sheffield City Archives](#) for advice on how to access these recordings.

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(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: MP 4891 M*)

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(*Sheffield Local Studies Library: MP 4895 M, MP 4896 M, MP 4897 and MP 4898 M*)

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Population Statistics (Meadowhall Centre Ltd, 1988)
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(Sheffield Local Studies Library: VID 22)

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Library and Archive collections held elsewhere

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The Archives Hub contains catalogues describing archives held in universities and colleges in the UK <https://archiveshub.jisc.ac.uk/> (accessed March 2018)

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