Merton’s First World War Centenary programme:

- LBM Merton Remembers event at Morden Park to mark centenary start.

Carved in Stone project:

- Worked with/trained 39 volunteers
- Reciprocal partnership work involving 30 organisations including Summerstown 182 and Salvation Army (Wimbledon) anniversary.
- 3 War Story days at local venues
- 3 Project exhibitions
- 2 Guided walks
- Merton in WW1 map produced
- 2 Discovery Days with WW1 links
- 28 filmed interviews recorded
- Website produced www.merton.gov.uk/carvedinstone
- 662 combatant profiles researched/uploaded to date (with more pending)
- 1580 examples of historic documents digitised and put online
- 43 historic documents conserved
- Multiple outreach events staged
- 3 school packs created
- 5 film screenings staged (Somme, No Man’s Land, LSA Kinovan, Women in WW1)
- Reminiscence session/screenings for Dementia Hub
- Collection day for No Man’s Land project
- Support/info provided for “Surrey in the Great War” project

- Poppy scattering in various parts of borough
- Peace Pledge Union exhibition staged at Heritage Centre
- Poppy making/Collateral Damage exhibition staged at Heritage Centre
- 2 VC stone unveilings (George Cates & William White)
- Heritage Service has staged 10 local history talks for local groups
- Heritage displays at Mitcham Carnival, Mitcham Heritage Day & Wimbledon Village Fair
- Heritage displays to support British Legion poppy sales
- Heritage Service support for Attic Theatre WW1 play (+ Museum of Wimbledon and John Innes Society)
- MCGC&H secure listing for Mitcham War Memorial Old Rutlishians produce “Rutlish in the Great War” book
- Merton Historical Society release book about local military tribunals (Justice to Men and Country)
- Heritage Service - extensive support for local anniversaries and memorial projects – St. Saviour’s, Raynes Park, St. Mary’s, Wimbledon and St. Mary’s, Merton
- Battle’s Over event – music, display, beacon lighting & peal for peace