

Ancient Order of Oddfellows - Kent Unity

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District Lodge

1887 Country House Tavern, Commercial Road 166

District Office

1960-1976 19 Tottenham Road

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Albert

1887 Kings Head, Marmion Road

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Cricketers Arms

1887 Derby Arms, Stamshaw Road

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Excellent

1887 Real Union, Bonfire Corner

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Good Samaritan

1887 Builders Arms, Lucknow Street

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Star of the South

1887 Cobden Arms, Arundel Street

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Victory

1887 The Stag, Gold Street

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Volunteers Pride

1887 Spread Eagle, St Marys Road

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Ancient Order of Oddfellows - Manchester Unity

In 1730 the Original Oddfellows were meeting in London. The organisation split over the issues concerning William of Orange into Ancient and Patriotic Oddfellows.

In 1812 several lodges in the vicinity of Manchester formed the Manchester Unity of Oddfellows, others formed the Kent Unity at a date not yet known to me.

Benevolent

1879 Wiltshire Lamb, Hampshire Terrace 165

Benevolent , 1847

1881 Star Tavern, Lake Road 165

1887 Star Inn, Lake Road 166

Benevolent, 4122

1946-1971 145 Kingston Road 1

Bonham-Carter, 1862

1879-1887 Clarence Tavern, High Street 165,166

Elphinstone, 1861

1879-1887 Admiralty Tavern, Spring Street 165,166

Friendship, 1878

1887 Wellington Tavern, Russell Street 166

Gladstone, 1866

1879 Ship Tavern, Church Road 165

1881 Red House Hotel, Church Road 165

1887 Lucknow Arms, Somers Road 166

Loyal Good Samaritans Lodge

1928 Mermaid Hotel, New Road 1928

Loyal Providential & Humane Lodge of Oddfellows

1915-1923 307 Arundel Street 1

1925 [22617] St Johns Road hall for The Loyal Providential & Humane Lodge of Oddfellows 95

1928-1948 Unity Hall, St Johns Road, Loyal Providential & Humane Lodge of Oddfellows 1

1951 287 Arundel Street 1

1953-1976 356 London Road 1

Providential & Humane, 1844

1879-1887 Royal Standard Tavern, Queen Street 165,166

Richmond, 1865

1879-1881 Wellington Hotel, Russell Street 165

1887 Wellington Tavern, Russell Street 166

Royal Marine Artillery, 1867

1879 Highland Tavern, Eastney 165

1881 Alma Tavern, Highland Road 165

1887 Alma Tavern, Highland Road 166

Royal Marine Artillery Lodge, 5503

1940-1967 284 Fawcett Road 1

1971-1976 139 Albert Road 1

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Royal Naval, 1871

1879-1887 Royal Sailors Home, Queen Street 166

Royal Naval Lodge, 5852

1915-1923 474 Commercial Road 1

1934-1967 82 Kingston Crescent 1

1971 145 Kingston Road 1

1973 248 Kingston Road 1

Royal Richmond Lodge, 5327

1940 258 Queens Road 1

Social Design, 1861

1879-1887 Golden Fleece, Commercial Road 165,166

Oddfellows Hall

17 Jul 1926 Opened by the Grand Master, as part of Manchester Unity of Oddfellows 9

1930 [25597] 143 Kingston Road alterations for Independent Order of
Oddfellows Manchester Unity 95

1969? Sold to Council for £50,000 9

Became Hornpipe Arts Centre

1996 Renovated and refitted as Regal Palace Night Club by Dave Sheppard 9

1,800 capacity on three dance floors, lighting and sound system
cost £600,000, whole redevelopment cost £2.85m 9

Includes Fun pub Mad Hatter's 9

2002 To be converted into flats

2012-2014 Converted and extended as Care Home

Unity Hall

1926 Built 9

1928-1948 Unity Hall, St Johns Road, Loyal Providential & Humane Lodge of
Oddfellows 1

Sold to Labour Party

1951-1971 Portsmouth Labour Party, Headquarters 1

1973-1976 Portsmouth Labour Party Club 1

2012 Coburg Street/St Johns Road 1,9

May 2012 Closed due to financial problems

2017 Proposed demolition and building of 10 storey block of student flats by
Brownsea Build Ltd, architects PDP 9

Unknown

Loyal Good Samaritan			
1928	Mermaid Hotel, New Road		1
Loyal Lord Lennox Lodge of Oddfellows			
1918-1938	72 Bradford Road		1
1953-1971	72 Bradford Road		1