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Farms, Farming and Conservation in Keyworth 1800 - 2020	Margaret Wright	A companion volume to "the Story of Plumtree Station 1879 – 2017" explores the histories of prominent Keyworth families and their adaptation to the agricultural and industrial changes during the last two hundred years. Some families expanded, some changed their occupations, some emigrated, some are still here. Their stories are remembered through memorials and the buildings with which they were associated, particularly those in what is now the Conservation Area. 78pp illustrated.	2020
The History of Rushcliffe Country Park and its historical background	John Randall, David Charles, Mick Thompson, Rosemary Dove and Chris Davis	The study of biodiversity in England has a long and interesting history, going back to Rev. Gilbert White's <i>Natural</i> <i>history of Selbourne</i> , a best seller since it was first published in 1789. Nature programmes on TV are ever popular, but what is the historical background to the local nature we see today? Pioneers from the Borough of Rushcliffe have played their part in the developing story of nature in England and locally. These days the effects of soil fertility	2020
		and of land management on wild flowers are topical discussion points, and experiments on these subjects in their historical context, and under local conditions, have been in progress at Rushcliffe Country Park, Ruddington, since 2011. Soft back, 36pp illustrated	
George Martyn's Barn – A History	Editor Sheila Barton	This unique and iconic feature of the Conservation Area has stood here since 1651, inaccessible to the public until now. This book is an introduction to its historical background and construction, and its place in the community. The Conservation Area Advisory Group assumed the tenancy of George Martyn's Barn, owned by Rushcliffe Borough Council, in 2020. We hope to open this beautiful building to the public as the Coronavirus restrictions are lifted; come and see Soft back 45pp colour	2021
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