

30 years of thecentre:mk

WHAT'S YOUR STORY?

The Queen's Visit



'When the Queen came in July 1979 (two months before the building opened), it was a marvellous moment – the time above all when Milton Keynes started to gel.

'In due course, the party arrived and hands were shaken and then we showed the Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh into the building.

'As we entered Middleton Hall, which was packed with school-children – tremendous! Flags... and the children cheered...

'It was superb. Quite a knockout.'

Frank Henshaw CBE, Milton Keynes Development Corporation 1971 – 1992, MKDC General Manager from 1980



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