

Scarborough Sea Wall Heritage Trail Project – Scarborough Memory

Childhood Football - Mr T. Meads of Scarborough

Mr Meads was born in 1947 and grew up in Scarborough, living in Baraclough. He attended Northstead Primary School which he used to walk to using a footbridge to cross the railway lines into the town. These were removed in the 1960s and the bridge no longer exists.

Mr Meads' favourite pastime and exercise came from playing football. He and Harry Dunn were very similar in age and they played on the same grassed area but Harry became a legendary Scarborough Athletic player. All the boys loved football and they all admired Harry's footballing skills. They all aspired to play the game well but Harry was the only one who made it into the big time.