Walthamstow Memories 1931 – 1969

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My name is Betty Roberts and I was born in 1931 and lived with my parents and brother Jimmy at No. 3 Byron Rd until 1953. The adjacent photograph was a street party held to celebrate King George V Silver Jubilee in May 1935.

I can remember a few names, does anybody recognize themselves or their parents?



St Mary's Infants School – 1938



I am in the second row from the front, second in from the right.

A year later some of us were evacuated from the school to Whissendine in Rutland. This is a photo taken outside the old village school. My brother returned to Walthamstow after only a month, I was there for 6 months before returning home.



Forest Road Junior School – Approximately 1941

The teacher on the top left hand side was Mr Pierce.



This is me when I was at George Gascoigne Central School.

