SUFFOLK REGIMENT MUSEUM, BURY - Steve & Joanne Garner

Opening Times: Presently closed due to Covid-19 but was open Wednesdays and the first Sunday of the month from 9.30am to 3.30pm and at other times by appointment.

Group tours can be arranged to visit this hidden gem at weekends or in the evening,

Admission: Free

Website: http://www.suffolkregimentmuseum.co.uk/

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Travel Time: From Newmarket by car - approximately 30 minutes.

Parking: Limited free parking at the back of the building.

General Information: The Keep is on Out Risbygate, not far from Bury St Edmunds town centre, and is the home of the Suffolk Regiment Museum.

The Museum had been located in several different buildings on the Regimental Depot Site such as the Officers' mess and Sergeants' mess, however since 1968 it has been in the former Armoury. Here you will learn its history from 1685 to its amalgamation with the Royal Norfolk Regiment in 1959. You will discover the history of regular, militia, volunteer and war-time battalions and help understand the lives of some individuals.

There are displays of equipment, weapons, personal memorabilia and art work. Periods of the Great War, WWII and post-war are all covered.



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