

Browick Road Primary History Knowledge Organiser - Year 2 – Kett's Rebellion

Key Vocabulary

Tudor	The time of the Tudor reign: 1485 – 1603
Reign	To be the king or queen of a country
Rebellion	Going against the government or King. Could be violent.
Uprising	Same as rebellion.
Reform / Reformation	To change something for the better.

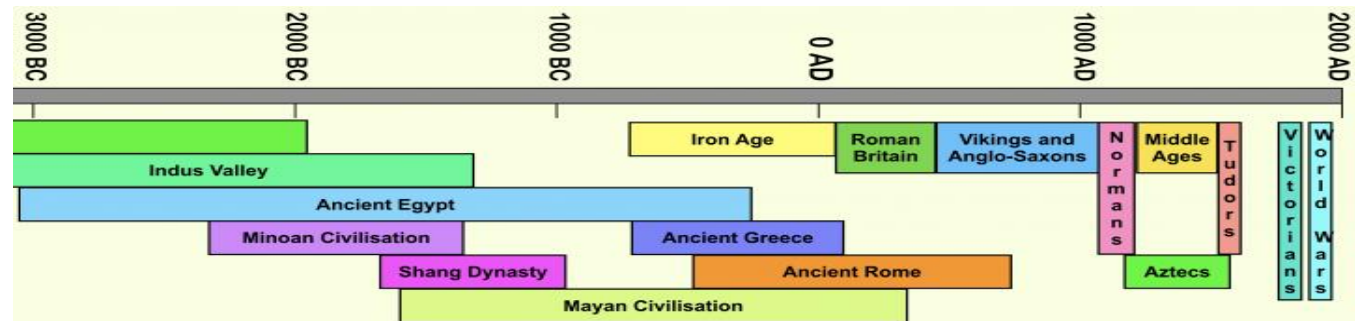
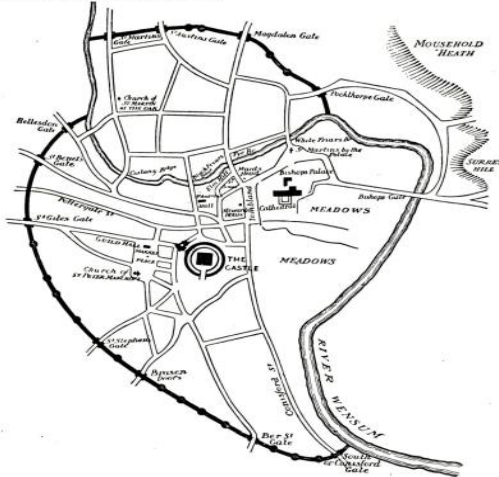
Robert Kett was a farmer from Wymondham, Norfolk. We know little of his early life, but we certainly know about the end of it. In 1549 Kett led a rebellion against the fencing off of common land.



Key changes and events 1549

7th July	Fences destroyed in Wymondham.
8th July	Robert Kett's enclosures destroyed. He meets with the rebels and offers to lead them.
9th July	Protesters meet at Kett's Oak and march to Norwich.
12th July	Set up camp on Mousehold Heath.
22nd July	Rebels capture Norwich!
27th August	Rebels are defeated and Robert Kett runs away.
7th December	Robert Kett hanged from Norwich Castle for treason.

Norwich at the time of Kett's Rebellion



Want to find out more about Kett's Rebellion?

Books:
I haven't found any yet – have you?

Websites:

<https://www.wymondhamheritagemuseum.co.uk/?p=story.of.robert.kett>
http://www.bbc.co.uk/norfolk/your/a-z_norfolk/a-z_ketts.shtml

Local places to visit:

Strangers Hall – Norwich
Oak of Reformation
Wymondham Heritage Museum