

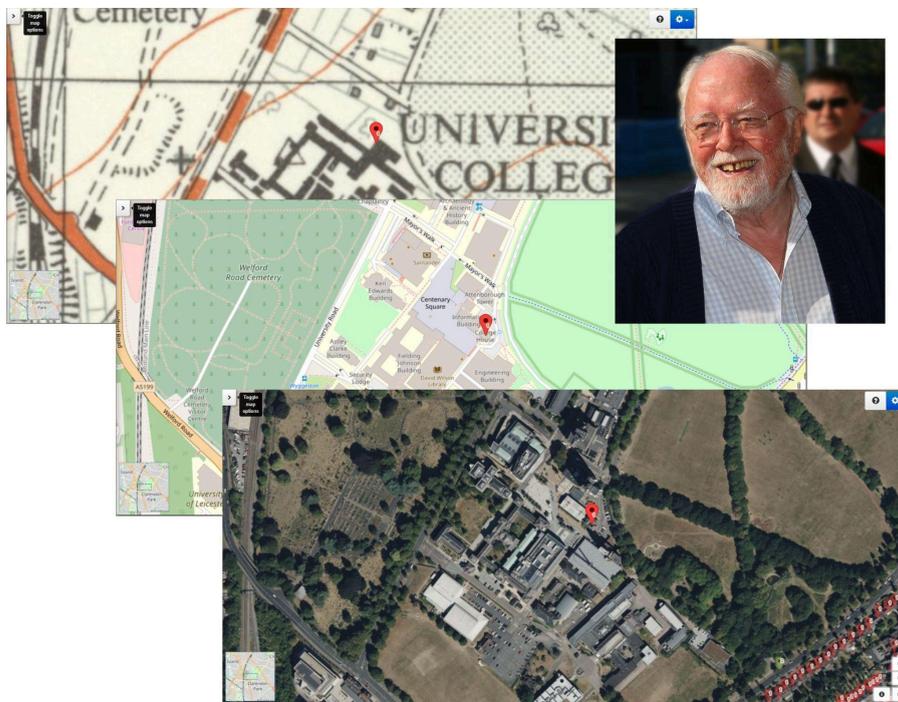
## Press Release:

# TheGenealogist updates the 1939 Register with over 389,600 new records

The latest **1939 Register update** has now been released by TheGenealogist.

**More than 389,600 new individuals** have been added after being opened in accordance with the 100-year rule and open requests submitted by the public. This now means we can search for even more of our ancestors from this period and see where they lived using the powerful mapping tools that TheGenealogist has a reputation for providing.

As these records are linked to pins on TheGenealogist's Map Explorer™, a tool that allows you to view both historical and modern maps, family historians are able to explore the neighbourhood where their forebears lived as WW2 broke out.



Actor and director Richard Attenborough's record in the 1939 Register is included in the release. His family home, College House, Leicester, is shown as a linked pin on TheGenealogist's Map Explorer™

Map Explorer™ will often be able to show the location of properties from 1939 down to the actual building in many cases and at least to the thoroughfare or parish. This makes it a great tool for the family historian to use to find where their forebears lived at this time.

House historians will also be excited to discover that TheGenealogist's version of the 1939 Register can also be searched from a plot on a map to find who lived there in 1939. This turns the search on its head - as well as being able to look for where a person lived, you can also search for who lived at a property. You can even use Map Explorer to browse the map from house to house to see who lived there, a feature that can only be found on TheGenealogist.

With more precise mapping features, there are some very compelling reasons to search the 1939 Register on TheGenealogist.

- **Unique and powerful search tools** and **SmartSearch** technology offer a uniquely flexible way to look for your ancestors
- Use Map Explorer to explore an area in 1939 and see how it changed over time
- Break down your brick walls when searching using **keywords**, such as the individual's **occupation** or **date of birth**
- Search for an **address** and then jump straight to the **household**, or if you are struggling to **find a family**, you can even search using as many of their **forenames** as you know
- **SmartSearch** technology enables you to discover even more about a person by linking to their **Birth, Marriage and Death** Records

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To find out more and claim the offer, visit: <https://www.thegenealogist.co.uk/MGBREG124>

This offer expires at the end of 12th April 2024.

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See TheGenealogist's article: Updated 1939 Register reveals schoolboy Richard 'Dickie' Attenborough on a University Campus in Leicester.

<https://www.thegenealogist.co.uk/featuredarticles/2024/1939-register-reveals-schoolboy-dickie-attenborough-on-a-university-campus-in-leicester-6924/>

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*TheGenealogist is an award-winning online family history website, who put a wealth of information at the fingertips of family historians. Their approach is to bring hard to use physical records to life online with easy to use interfaces such as their Tithe and newly released Lloyd George Domesday collections.*

*TheGenealogist's innovative SmartSearch technology links records together to help you find your ancestors more easily. TheGenealogist is one of the leading providers of online family history records. Along with the standard Birth, Marriage, Death and Census records, they also have significant collections of Parish and Nonconformist records, PCC Will Records, Irish Records, Military records, Occupations, Newspaper record collections amongst many others.*

*TheGenealogist uses the latest technology to help you bring your family history to life. Use [TheGenealogist](https://www.thegenealogist.co.uk) to find your ancestors today!*

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