



We managed a small display of Carnival Pictures as well as Marilyn's power point presentation on the screen and brief summary of the history of carnivals in Hastings. The first Town Carnival was in 1892, though previously associated Friendly Societies had organised a Whit Monday Hastings Carnival. The first specifically named Hospital Carnival was held in 1923.

In 1934-37 Carnival became part of a weeks events. The picture shown above is from 1936. The last Hastings Carnival took place in 1989 leaving the Old Town Carnival, started in 1969, as Hastings sole such event.



Left – Eclipse Coach on a card posted in 1906

Below - DY 106
Picking up passenger for Hollington at the corner of Cambridge Road 1904
[From David Padgham's collection]



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Arrived safely 3-10.
Went home hunting
& finally settled
at "Stanley House"
1. Hellington Sq
Hastings
at 5-30. Love to
all Millee



Posted in 1909.
Stanley House was
Miss Sturgeon's
Boarding House in
1909 Directory.