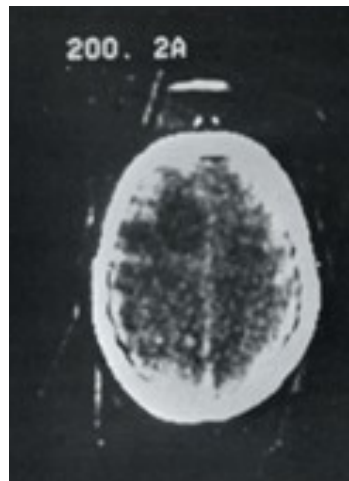


Godfrey Hounsfield - Inventor of the CT Scanner Centenary of his birth Personal memories and reflections



A Man who
Changed
Radiology



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Godfrey Hounsfield proved that the boy from the farm could do anything. With limited formal education, working with restricted resources and with limited support he proved the concept that became the CT scanner. Little could he have dreamt of the impact that this would have on medicine in the 2nd half of the 20th century.

This is the story of a gentle genius from his childhood on a farm to the impact of his invention the CT scanner on the world of medical diagnosis and patient management.

Admission is free but tickets are required for entry. Please contact Dr Arpan K Banerjee at arpankb007@gmail.com by February 12th 2019.

A retiring collection will be taken with a suggested donation of £5.

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Godfrey Hounsfield at 16 years old.

-First CT Scan taken on 1st Oct 1971 at Atkinson Morley Hospital

-Godfrey and an early EMI CT 1010 head scanner