

## Lordship of Meaux

Date	History of Lordship	Monarchs
1066 1086	Ulf held 2 carucates in Meaux Estate passed to Drew de Bevrere	William I 1066-1087
Late 11 <sup>th</sup> century	Earliest known tenant was Gamel son of Ketel	William II 1087-1100 Henry I 1100-35
1150  Later	Gamel's son or grandson John of Meaux exchanged the holding with his Lord William le Gros, Count of Aumale. The Count gave the estate to Cistercian monks as the site for the Abbey of St Mary at Meaux	Stephen 1135-54 Henry II 1154-89 Richard I 1189-99 John 1199-1216 Henry III 1216-72 Edward I 1272-1307 Edward II 1307-27 Edward III 1327-77 Richard II 1377-1399 Henry IV 1399-1413 Henry V 1413-22 Henry VI 1422-61 1470-71 Edward IV 1461-70 1471-83 Edward V 1483 Richard III 1483-5 Henry VII 1485-1509
1539 1542	The Abbey and lands were surrendered to the Crown Meaux Abbey was demolished, much of the stone being used to build the fortifications of Hull	Henry VIII 1509-47 Edward VI 1547-53 Mary I 1553-58
1582 1586 Later 1587 Later	Lancelot Alford granted a lease by the Crown Sir Charles Hatton granted the estate Lancelot Alford bought the estate from Hatton Other land at Meaux were added to the estate Sir Lancelot Alford acquired the estate	Elizabeth I 1558-1603
1617	Sir Lancelot died and his son Sir William Alford inherited	James I 1603-25
1634  Later  Later	Sir William bought another part of the former abbey to increase the size of the estate The estate descended to William's daughter Dorothy wife of Thomas Grantham, and their son Thomas The Manor was then held by Frances, Thomas' widow	Charles I 1625-49 Charles II 1660-85 James II 1685-88
1690  1698	The estate was left to two daughters, Dorothy Holt and Elizabeth Palmer The two shares were re-united and held by Dorothy Holt	William III 1688-1702 & Mary II

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1701-2	Meaux (500 acres) passed to her daughter Frances and her husband, James Winstanley,	Anne 1702-14 George I 1714/27 George II 1727/60
1712 Later	They sold the estate to Francis Stringer's executors The Manor was sold to the FitzWilliams	George III 1760-1820 George IV 1820-30
1810	William Wentworth FitzWilliam, Earl FitzWilliam sold the 543 acre Manor to Robert Wise	
1818 1842	Robert died and was succeeded by his son Robert. Robert left the Manor to his great nephew, Robert Wise Richardson	William IV 1830-7 Victoria 1837-1901
1851	Robert bought another 85 acres in Meaux	Edward VII 1901-10
1914	Another Robert Wise inherited	George V 1910-36
1917	Robert's son, broke up the estate, sold Home and Coy farms with 470 acres to George Beulah, the Manor was definitely just farms	Edward VIII 1936
1944 1952	The trustees of Leonard Chamberlain's charity bought the Beulah farm named Meaux Abbey farm The balance of the estate, a stud farm was sold	George VI 1936-52
	92 years since the Lordship title was definitely discarded	
2009	Baron of Kirklelington	Elizabeth II 1952-

NOTE: The estate was called a Manor at different times and it is unclear the exact dates it had manorial status, although there is little doubt it did have a manorial status during its existence.