

LIFE EVENTS: CARTIMANDUA, QUEEN OF THE BRIGANTES

Cartimandua was ruler of the Brigantes because of her high birth.	The Brigantes were very angry when Cartimandua let Vellocatius share her throne and power.
Cartimandua means white filly	Venutius and his warriors invaded the kingdom and forced Cartimandua from power.
Venutius was married to Cartimandua.	Cartimandua asked the Romans for help. There was a fierce battle and she was rescued.
Archaeologists think that Cartimandua's 'headquarters' was at Stanwick, near York.	In AD 69 Cartimandua finally lost her power in a battle with Venutius' supporters.
Cartimandua loved power.	Venutius was defeated by the Romans in AD 71.
Cartimandua betrayed Caratacus to the Romans in AD52.	Ostorius Scapula was Governor of Britain at the time of Caratacus' capture.
The Romans gave Cartimandua a guarantee of protection from her enemies and much wealth.	The Boudiccan revolt happened in AD60.
The riches given by the Romans made Venutius idle.	The Romans were moving northwards through Britain.
Cartimandua thought her husband, Venutius, was a weak man.	Hadrian's Wall was built in AD122.
Cartimandua divorced Venutius in favour of his armour bearer, Vellocatius, who was a teenager.	