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Woodhouse was the location for a popular TV series.



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The Beiderbecke Affair was a six-part ITV comedy-drama, created by jazz-loving dramatist Alan Plater, and set in contemporary Leeds. The show focused on a pair of teachers, Jill Swinburne and Trevor Chaplin, played by Barbara Flynn and James Bolam. Over the course of the series, the pair become entangled in a bizarre plot involving local government corruption. The story begins when Trevor tries to buy some jazz records from a beautiful blonde woman, who claims to be raising money for a cubs' football team.

Much of the show was filmed on location in Leeds, with Woodhouse featuring prominently. Locations used in the series include Gateway Church, Clarendon Road and Hartley Crescent.

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