



The Cotswolds (nearly) 100

In Support of National Drive-it Day 2023 & Childline

Date: 23rd April 2023

Hosts: David & Gina Westwood **07711 899224** (David Mobile)

Meeting Point: The Fleet Inn. Fleet Lane. Twyning. GL20 6FL.

Time: 09:00 For Tea/Coffee/Breakfast.

Briefing: 10:00 Including Team Photo

Depart: 10:15 Groups at five-minute intervals

Pitstop: 12:15 Aston Pottery. Kingsway Farm. Aston. OX18 2BT

Depart: 14:00 Groups at five-minute intervals

Finish: 14:45 The Cotswold Barn GL56 0QZ (Optional)

Distance: 100.00 Miles:

Travel Time: 4.5 Hours. approximately (including lunch stop at Aston Pottery)

Useful Information:

The Fleet Inn: **01684 274020** www.butcombe.com/the-fleet-inn-gloucestershire

A riverside pub, hotel, and restaurant with a history dating back to the 1800s,

Drive past The Inn on your left and continue around to the left to reserved parking by the river.

Meet in The Boathouse.

Bacon or Sausage baps – with or without egg will be served from 9:15 – cost £8.95 including Tea or Coffee.

Please pre-order via: southwestmidlands@mx5.co.uk **Private message, Facebook, Pro-boards forum**

Aston Pottery: **01193 852896** www.astonpottery.co.uk

From clay to finished product all hand stencilled pottery is designed manufactured and decorated on site.

The award-winning country café serves a selection of homemade sandwiches, savoury flans, tarts, pies, and quiches. Cakes, scones, biscuits, sweet tarts, and bread are freshly baked on site each day. We have a reserved seating area – no need to pre order - please see website for menu.

The Cotswold Barn: **01451 830469** www.cotswoldbarn.com

(Optional Final Stop)

Now established as a popular meeting place for many car clubs and a friend to **MX5 SWM OC**







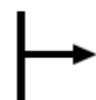

Enjoy dedicated display parking, coffee, cakes & cream teas while enjoying beautiful Cotswold views. In the company of owners Bernard & Jo.

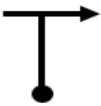


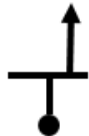

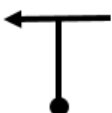
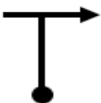
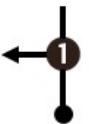
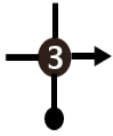



National Drive It Day:






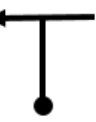

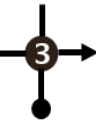


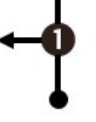


Created by the Federation of British Historic Vehicle Clubs in 2005. It is the occasion when historic vehicle enthusiasts and the public at large have the opportunity to celebrate the One Thousand Mile Trial organised in 1900 to prove the viability of the new invention, the motor vehicle. It's also a chance to raise awareness and support amongst the public for the historic vehicle movement and keeping transport heritage on UK roads.

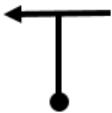






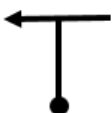

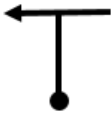

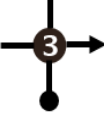
NSPCC's Childline service is the official beneficiary for Drive-it Day 2023. Up and down the country car clubs and bike enthusiasts will be taking part – observing government restrictions of course – and raising money for this important cause.

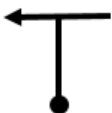
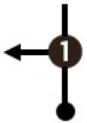





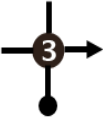


To find out more, order your commemorative plate or donate visit: www.driveitday.co.uk.


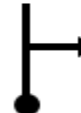
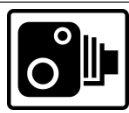





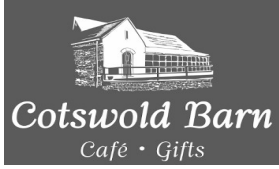
Miles	Direction	Instructions	Km
0		 PLEASE ZERO TRIP METER AT CAR PARK GATE – From carpark follow road around to the right into Fleet Lane.	0
0.5		Turn LEFT on to unnamed road signposted Church End.	0.8
0.7		Turn RIGHT on to Cherry Orchard Lane.	1.1
1.1		Turn LEFT on to A38 and proceed to Tewkesbury.	1.7
3.4		Take FIRST exit at mini roundabout on to B4080 towards Bredon.	5.4
6.7		Turn LEFT on to B4080 Moreton Lane signposted Pershore & Eckington.	10.7
9.1		Turn RIGHT on to unnamed road signposted The Combertons & Deer Park Business Centre.	14.6
11.1		CAUTION! tight LEFT TURN . Then continue through Great Comberton.	17.8

12.4		Turn RIGHT at junction signposted Little Comberton. Continue through Elmley Castle.	19.9
14.2		Turn LEFT at monument on to Netherton Lane signposted Hinton.	22.8
16.8		Continue through Hinton on the Green	27.0
17.0		CAUTION! narrow bridge.	27.3
17.4		At Hinton Cross turn RIGHT and immediate turn LEFT across A46 Cheltenham Road. Busy junction may need to re- group on Broadway Road on other side of junction. Note: Broadway Tower on hill in distance.	28.0
19.9		CAUTION! - 30MPH speed limit through Childswickham.	32.0
20.7		Follow Road around to the RIGHT .	33.3
21.7		At junction turn LEFT towards Broadway Village Centre.	34.9
21.8		At junction turn RIGHT and proceed through Broadway Village Centre.	35.0
22.3		At mini roundabout take FIRST EXIT on to Leamington Road.	35.8
23.0	 	At roundabout take THIRD EXIT on to A44 signposted Oxford & Broadway Tower and continue up Fish Hill. CAUTION! Possible mobile speed cameras.	37.0
26.3		Turn LEFT on to B4081 signposted Chipping Campden.	42.3
28.5		Follow Road around to the LEFT .	45.8
28.7		In Chipping Campden turn RIGHT on to Lower High Street.	46.1

29.1		Turn RIGHT on to Cidermill Lane.	46.8
29.2		Turn LEFT on to B4035 Station Road signposted Shipston on Stour.	46.9
30.2		CAUTION! Narrow blind bridge	48.6
34.4		Proceed STRAIGHT ON at traffic lights. Continue on B4035 to Shipston on Stour.	55.3
36.1		Turn RIGHT on to Mill Street and follow one way system around to the RIGHT signposted A3400 Oxford.	58.0
36.2		Turn LEFT on to A3400 signposted Long Compton & Oxford. CAUTION! Possible mobile speed cameras 50MPH.	58.2
41.2		Continue through Long Compton CAUTION! Possible mobile speed cameras 30MPH.	66.3
45.7		At roundabout take THIRD exit towards Chipping Norton.	73.5
46.7		At mini roundabout/junction proceed STRAIGHT ACROSS on to the Horsefair. CAUTION! Merging traffic.	75.1
46.9		Bear LEFT on to West Street.	75.4
47.0		At roundabout take FIRST exit on to A361 Burford Road.	75.6
47.1		At roundabout take SECOND exit on to A361 Burford Road.	75.8
47.3		Turn LEFT into Chipping Norton School/Leisure Centre. For a 10 Minute loo break! Follow road around to	76.1

		the right for car park.	
		That's better! Turn LEFT out of Leisure Centre on to A361 Burford Road.	
47.7		Turn LEFT on to B4026 signposted Spelsbury & Charlbury.	76.7
50.5		CAUTION! Very sharp RIGHT-HAND BEND & DITCH.	81.2
51.6		Continue through Spelsbury to Charlbury.	83.0
53.2		Turn LEFT on to B4437 Nine Acres Lane signposted town centre.	85.6
53.5		At crossroads continue STRAIGHT OVER on to The Slade.	86.0
54.2		Follow road around to the left then turn SECOND RIGHT by second white marker post on to Fawler Road B4022 towards Finstock.	87.2
58.2		Turn RIGHT on to unnamed road signposted Crawley.	93.6
59.0		Turn LEFT on to Leafield Road.	94.9
59.3		Bear RIGHT on to Dry Lane.	95.4
60.3		Turn LEFT on to B4047 Burford Road.	97.0
60.5		Turn RIGHT at traffic lights on to Deer Park Road signposted Abingdon & Oxford.	97.3
61.4		At Roundabout take THIRD exit on to A4095 Curbridge Road.	98.8

64.5		Turn LEFT on to A4095 Station Road signposted Faringdon.	103.8
65.9		At roundabout take FIRST exit on to B4449 High Street.	106.0
66.1		Take LEFT fork on to B4449 Aston Road.	106.3
67.5		Turn LEFT into ASTON POTTERY – well done! Time to enjoy a well-earned break. We have reserved seating in the restaurant.	108.6
		Time for the return leg: PLEASE ZERO YOUR TRIP METER	
0.00		Turn LEFT out of car park on to High Street.	0.00
3.1		At junction carry STRAIGHT ON to join A415.	4.9
4.7		At traffic lights STRAIGHT ON and continue on A415.	7.5
7.1		At roundabout take THIRD exit signposted A40/Burford follow slip road around to the left and join A40.	11.4
8.7		At roundabout STRAIGHT OVER and continue on A40.	14.0
11.3		At roundabout STRAIGHT OVER and continue on A40.	18.1
13.9		At roundabout take FOURTH exit signposted A361 and continue down Burford High Street.	22.3
14.5		At junction turn LEFT on to A424 signposted Stow and then follow main road around to the RIGHT .	23.3

20.4		Turn LEFT on to Rissington Road.	32.8
21.0		Turn RIGHT continuing on Rissington Road and then traveling through Little Rissington.	33.7
22.7		Enter Bourton on the Water – CAUTION SPEED CAMERA – 30 MPH Limit.	36.5
23.6		Follow road around to the RIGHT on to Station Road.	37.9
24.3		Turn RIGHT on to A429 Fosse Way towards Stow on the Wold.	39.1
26.6		At traffic lights bear LEFT and continue up the hill to Stow on the Wold.	42.8
27.4		At traffic lights carry STRAIGHT ON .	44.0
27.6		At traffic lights bear LEFT on to A424 signposted Broadway/Evesham. CARE! merging traffic.	44.1
30.3		 <p>Turn LEFT into COTSWOLD BARN and park on the grass area before the main car park. Congratulations! You have completed our Cotswolds 100 Drive*</p>	48.7

* Disclaimer: depending on your speedometer we may be a mile or so short – feel free to drive around the car park a few times if you feel short changed... 😊

We hope you enjoyed the drive – have a safe journey home.

Best Wishes

David & Gina

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