

BMW Club Southern Section Sunday Rideout

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The day started well; the weather looked good in prospect, with the gathering at Popham Airfield convivial.



Charlie from the London Section arrived, as we exchanged looks realised we knew each other from a long time ago – this was going to be a great day. Six people on four motorcycles, one of which was a 1965 R500, drum brakes et al. nobody said a word, but we all groaned inwardly. We need not have been concerned.

West is best so we headed off through a few huge puddles (flooded), Hampshire and out across Salisbury Plain towards Avebury Rings for lunch, taken outside in the sunshine. Suitably replenished we headed off across Hackpen Downs, Bishopstoke Downs and Lambourn Downs. All in glorious sunshine.





Avebury

A quick cup of tea, Lesley treated us all – thank you, in Newbury at the Kennett & Avon Canal Centre (photo below).



Usual bomb burst to several, but not all, points of the compass and home to plan the Museum Trips.

Thanks to Lesley Smith for the photos.