

REGISTER UPDATES

MGB

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We have just got back from a fabulous trip to Dublin and Northern Ireland in our B. For the first few days we stayed in Dublin and had great hospitality from Fred Lewis and members of the MG Enthusiasts Club Ireland. We spent our first day on a lovely run through the Wicklow Mountains, stopping at Glenlough for lunch and on the second day they entertained us on a tour of Dublin city, which of course included a trip around the Guinness factory! The following day, we then all went on a scenic drive up to Carrickfergus, which was the starting point of the Ulster Centre tour organised by Mike Armstrong. We had an amazing time touring around the north Antrim coast, which has such beautiful unspoilt scenery. On Saturday we visited the Giant's Causeway and on Sunday we took the ferry to Inishowen and visited Malin Head the most northerly point of Ireland. The icing on the cake for me was being able to drive the B along the sand at Downhill Beach. I also enjoyed our novice attempt at Navigational Tests, which we managed to complete with driver and navigator still talking to each other (although we did have to make a couple of three-point turns along



the way)! Our week was spent with a lovely crowd of people and the whole experience really endorsed the MG 'Marque of Friendship.

August 25 - Abingdon Works Centre Summer Day Out

The MGB Register will be supporting this event that will be ending at Knebworth Classic Car Show. There will be road runs starting from Reading and Abingdon. If you are interested in coming along, please contact Mike Lamb for further details on 01 18941 2102.

September 8 - MGB Register Track Day - Castle Combe, Chippenham, Wiltshire

There are just a few places left on the MGB

Track Day in September at Castle Combe. So if you are interested in taking part please go to www.mgs-on-track.com for further information and to book your place to avoid disappointment.

November 8 - MGB Focus Day

Those of you that have attended this event before all know what a fabulous day this is, with a huge amount of knowledge exchanging hands, but how about joining us if you have not been along before? We are lucky to have the 'Technical Team' in action again and this year's event will be covering basic welding and techniques such as re-skinning a door. The venue will be the Performance Engineering Centre at Oxford and Cherwell Valley College in Bice: again, as they provide us with (hopefully heated this time!) large workshop facilities. There will be a maximum of 60 places for the event at the 2006 price of £ 10, so it is not too early to book up now. Please **see** a SAE to me at 38 St Birstan Garden Andover, Hants SP10 4NY with a cheque made payable to the MGCC Ltd - Register to secure your place.