

## Our trip to Avebury – June 2015

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*Avebury June 2015*

John and I made a quick dash from the Isle of Wight where we were on holiday to join six other members and two guests on a very informative tour of the Avebury Henge with Maria Wheatley aided by Busty Taylor.

Maria is a second-generation dowser who is a leading authority on earth energies and ley lines. She was taught how to decode and divine the land by her late father Dennis, the well-known author of 'The Essential Dowsing Guide',\* and who was considered to be one of the UK's top Master Dowzers.

In the morning we visited the north west and south west sectors including the Devil's Chair where Maria demonstrated how to find the energy band in a stone (see photo) and from which marked the rising of the mid-winter sun. We then crossed the road and visited the beginning of the Kennet Avenue where Busty produced his drone to take photos of us. Maria also showed us the stones marking where the Michael and Mary lines went underground.

Maria was very surprised to learn that none of us had heard of, or knew how to use, the professional dowsing tip of 'an accuracy reference point' which her father Dennis described in his book (see above). She then demonstrated this and told us it should

give us added depth and quality to our dowsing, and take our dowsing abilities to new levels! Mmm – we shall see, only time will tell.

After a late lunch stop and as we were running late, we had to leave our visit to the West Kennet Long Barrow for another time, and instead spent some time at The Cove in the Northern Inner Circle where we tried to locate the underground streams running underneath a large stone (see photo).



*Avebury - Finding underground water*

Maria then produced her ‘neolithic bullroarer’, which was made by a Shaman in Alaska, and which can emit a frequency that changes perception. Maria uses it in her workshops at the Long Barrow to experience the sound and energy there. We promised to return another time to experience this.

We were surprised to find that the three hour tour had overrun by nearly two hours, so pleasantly tired and very hungry we managed to down a wonderful roast lunch at the Red Lion before wending our way homewards.

Many thanks to Maria and Busty for a very enjoyable and knowledgeable visit.

(\*Maria has offered discount on this book to members of Devon Dowzers.  
See [www.stone-circles.org.uk/stone/avebury.htm](http://www.stone-circles.org.uk/stone/avebury.htm) for further formation on the Henge.)