

The Sisters Barrow Excavation Open Days 2022

Abbey Home Farm, Cirencester, Gloucestershire

Please join us to view the ongoing excavation of the Neolithic long barrow at
The Sisters, Abbey Home Farm, Cirencester.



We have arranged two open days during the 2022 excavation as follows:

Wednesday 17 August – Open afternoon 2:00-5:00pm. Guided tours every half-hour starting at the exhibition cabin.

Wednesday 24 August – Open evening from 7:00pm. Site tour starting at 7:15 starting at the exhibition cabin.

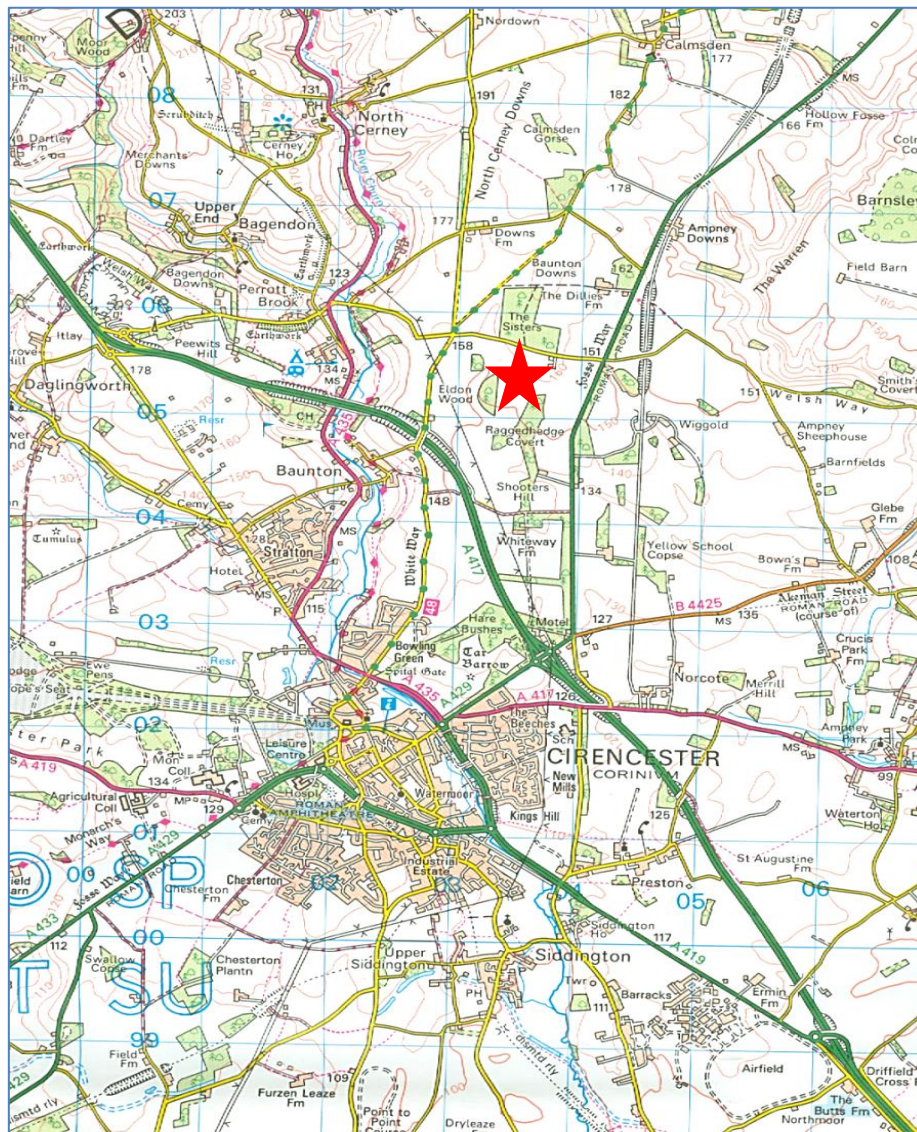
Between Thursday 4 August and Wednesday 24 August the exhibition cabin will be open on site for visitors to view the posters and display boards, but there is no public access to the excavation area apart from during the open days noted above. Exhibition closed Mondays 8, 15 and 22 August.

Given the ongoing and uncertain nature of the COVID-19 pandemic please abide by any restrictions in force at the time of the open days, and consider others during your visit with social distancing where appropriate.

Details of how to get to the site are given overleaf

Getting to The Sisters

The Sisters Long Barrow is in a field beside the Welsh Way to the NE of Cirencester, part of Abbey Home Farm. It is located at NGR SP 036053. The best approach is to take the A429 northwards from its junction with the A417 to the east of Cirencester towards Stow-on-the-Wold. After about 2.5km turn left onto the Welsh Way (signposted Perrott's Brook) and head west. There is a gateway 800m along the Welsh Way on the left with a track leading down to the site. Please park as directed.



From 1:50,000 Ordnance Survey Sheet 163 (Cheltenham & Cirencester)