



# EASTERN BLOC VEHICLE WEEKEND GOING WILD IN WALES: Brecon Beacons and more! Sat 27 – Mon 29 May 2023

Our season opening main event, and our first foray into the industrial and scenic wonders of South Wales. We take advantage of the late May bank holiday weekend for a leisurely but full weekend of Eastern Bloc motoring based on the Brecon beacons.

As always, all vehicles with an Eastern Bloc pedigree (and their keepers) are invited to join us for all or part of the weekend.

**Saturday:** We start near Cardiff at **St Fagans National Museum of History**. Over forty original Welsh buildings from different historical periods have been re-erected in the 100-acre parkland. We then convoy up to our base at the historic town of **Merthyr Tydfil**.



**Sunday:** A return trip on the **Brecon Mountain Railway** takes us into the National Park and along the full length of the Taf Fechan Reservoir before climbing to Torpantau high in the Brecon Beacons. Back in our vehicles, we convoy on a scenic loop taking in some of the best touring routes around the **Brecon Beacons** including a stop at **Llandovery Castle**.

**Monday:** Starting at **Blaenavon Ironworks**, this UNESCO World heritage monument was a cradle of the Industrial Revolution.

We then convoy a short distance for a group decent underground at the **Big Pit National Coal Museum**.



**Interested?** Let us know so that we can keep you up to date including timings, routes, suggested accommodation, evening meal reservations and more ...

No fees for taking part other than venue admissions. More info, go to events link: [www.IFAClub.co.uk](http://www.IFAClub.co.uk)

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