

bus service changes

December 2017



This leaflet has been produced by Lancashire County Council. It is issued at the beginning of each month to help you keep up-to-date with changes made to bus services in the county.

**Longer
opening
times**

**Preston
Park & Ride**
at Walton-le-Dale

**for help with the
Christmas shopping**



Late Night Opening Hours Last Bus 21:00pm

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	6 December	7 December			
	13 December	14 December			
18 December	19 December	20 December	21 December	22 December	23 December

Sunday Opening Hours First Bus 10:00am Last Bus 17:30pm

Sunday From Sunday 26 November to 24 December inclusive
- every 15 Minutes

Christmas Period Opening Hours

Christmas Eve	24 December	Sunday Service
Christmas Day	25 December	CLOSED
Boxing Day	26 December	CLOSED
Wednesday	27 December	Saturday Service
Thursday	28 December	Saturday Service
Friday	29 December	Saturday Service
Saturday	30 December	Saturday Service
New Year's Eve	31 December	CLOSED
New Year's Day	1 January	CLOSED
Tuesday	2 January 2018	Normal Service will resume

Bus Fares
£1.50 per person all day*
Children (5-16 years) will be 60p

* Concessions apply on production of a valid ENCTS card.

For further information about Park & Ride: 0300 123 6701
www.lancashire.gov.uk



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Changes to Bus Services – December 2017

Service

Following Lancashire County Council's Cabinet decision to commit additional funding to review the tendered local bus service network across Lancashire, the first phase of the service enhancements will be implemented on **11 December 2017**. A second phase of service enhancements is proposed to be implemented on 12 February 2018.

The aims of this additional funding are to link communities, particularly in rural areas where people who do not have access to a car are most reliant on public transport services, and increase the frequency of a number of services where there is most demand, to try and create more sustainable services for the future.

With the level of funding available the focus is on Monday to Saturday daytime service provision and looking to develop sustainable local bus services that also prioritise employment, education and social needs.

The following is a full list of all Lancashire County Council's network of tendered local bus services, with those being revised from 11 December 2017 or proposed 12 February 2018 as detailed:-



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Service

LANCASTER SERVICES

1 Lancaster Caton Road Park & Ride (LCC P&R Lft)

There will be no changes and Kirkby Lonsdale Coach Hire Ltd will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

18 Lancaster East Circular

There will be no changes and Stagecoach in Lancaster will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

33 Morecambe - Bare Circular

There will be no changes and Kirkby Lonsdale Coach Hire Ltd will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

51 Carnforth – Silverdale (LCC Lft 9)

The timetable will be revised to maintain links with train times, also providing a later return journey through to Carnforth. Journeys will continue to operate generally hourly within Silverdale and 2 hourly through to Carnforth.

Kirkby Lonsdale Coach Hire Ltd will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

89 Lancaster – Glasson Dock – Pilling – Knott End (LCC Lft 7)

The route and timetable will be revised to improve overall reliability, with all journeys serving Royal Lancaster Infirmary main entrance as standard. Journeys will continue to operate every 90 minutes.

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Kirkby Lonsdale Coach Hire Ltd will operate the service on behalf of LCC.

Lancaster – Lune Valley – Kirkby Lonsdale

LCC is continuing to work with bus operators to develop a sustainable option to restore a daytime service link for Gressingham, Arkholme and Whittington and the Lune Valley as a whole.

PRESTON, FYLDE & WYRE SERVICES

74 Poulton – Blackpool

This service will be withdrawn and replaced by new Services 76 & 77.

75 Preston – Kirkham – Poulton – Cleveleys – Fleetwood (LCC Lft 11)

The route and timetable will be revised between Thornton and Fleetwood to additionally serve Cleveleys and Pheasants Wood.

The new hourly frequency will better link Fleetwood and Thornton-Cleveleys with Kirkham and Preston providing greater opportunities for people to use public transport throughout the route.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC

76 Lytham – Kirkham – Great Eccleston – Poulton – Blackpool

77 Preston – Inskip – Great Eccleston – Poulton – Blackpool

77A Preston – Inskip – Great Eccleston – Myerscough (LCC Lft 11)

Service

These new Fylde Villager bus Services 76/77/77A will restore rural village links and improve frequencies, across Fylde, Wyre and Preston. This will replace the existing Service 80 Preston – Myerscough. A number of benefits include:

Improved service for Wrea Green, restoring the direct link to Lytham and Victoria Hospital;

Improved frequency between Great Eccleston, Elswick, Inskip and Preston whilst restoring a service for Fulwood Hoyles Lane and Cadley Mill Lane; Improved frequency linking through Blackpool Victoria Hospital.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate these services on behalf of LCC

80 Preston – Inskip – Great Eccleston – Myerscough

This service will be withdrawn and incorporated within new Services 77 & 77A.

PRESTON, SOUTH RIBBLE, CHORLEY & WEST LANCASHIRE SERVICES

1 Preston – Walton-le-Dale Park & Ride (LCC P&R Lft)

There will be no changes and Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC. Longer opening times to help with the shopping in the run up to Christmas will be provided – see separate advert.

5/6 Ormskirk Town Services

There will be no changes and Rotala Preston Bus will operate these services on behalf of LCC.

Service

13 Preston – Penwortham

This service will be withdrawn and replaced by new Service 114.

24A Chorley - Wheelton - Brinscall - Abbey Village - (Blackburn)

There are no changes to this service provided in partnership with Chorley Borough Council.

General frequency retained at 90 minutes for Monday to Saturday evening and hourly for Sunday daytime.

Stagecoach in Merseyside & South Lancashire will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

29 Preston – Frenchwood Circular (LCC Lft 13)

The new Service 29 will maintain the hourly link between Preston and Frenchwood, to allow improvements to Service 112.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC

109B Chorley – Astley Village – Chorley Hospital (STG Lft)

This service will be renumbered from 109A, however there are no changes to the route and timetable, provided in partnership with Chorley Borough Council.

General frequency retained at 90 minutes for Monday to Saturday evening and hourly for Sunday daytime.

Service

Stagecoach in Merseyside & South Lancashire will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

112 Preston – Bamber Bridge – Clayton Brook – Leyland (LCC Lft 12)

The route and timetable will be revised extending the service through to Leyland via Walton Summit, Clayton Brook and Runshaw College, offering better links for Bamber Bridge and the wider community.

To allow for the extension to Leyland, it will no longer serve Sainsburys, however alternative supermarkets are served on the route. Frenchwood will be served by new Service 29.

The service will operate generally every hour, and when combined with Service 114, provides improved services up to every 30 minutes between Clayton Brook and Leyland. Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC

114 Preston – Penwortham – Leyland – Clayton Brook – Chorley (LCC Lft 12)

The route and timetable will be revised extending the service through to Preston from Leyland via Moss Side, Midge Hall, Farington Moss (Croston Road), Whitestake and Penwortham (to reinstate previously withdrawn commercial Service 115 and incorporate Service 13, which served Penwortham Manor Lane to Preston).

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This will restore public transport across a wide area of South Ribble linking to Preston and Chorley, including Chorley Hospital and the Industrial Estate at Moss Side to help people access health services and get to work. This will replace the existing Service 13 Preston – Penwortham.

The service will operate generally every hour, and when combined with Service 112, provides improved services up to every 30 minutes between Clayton Brook and Leyland. Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

312 Skelmersdale – Appley Bridge - Wrightington

313 Skelmersdale – Birch Green – Ashurst – Parbold – Burscough

There will be no changes and Rotala Preston Bus will operate these services on behalf of LCC.

337 Chorley – Eccleston – Croston – Burscough – Ormskirk

347 Chorley – Eccleston – Croston – Rufford – Southport (LCC Lft 14)

The route and timetable of Service 347 will be revised and Service 337 introduced to restore rural village links and improve frequencies across Chorley and West Lancashire to Southport and Ormskirk. A number of benefits include:

Improved service for Croston and Eccleston, restoring the direct link to Chorley;

Service

Improved frequency between Mawdesley, Croston, Eccleston and Chorley;

Service 337 will additionally serve Burscough Industrial Estate, providing public transport access to this employment area.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate these services on behalf of LCC.

Ormskirk – Western Parishes – Southport

LCC is continuing to work with bus operators to develop a sustainable option to restore a daytime service link between Ormskirk, Haskayne, Halsall, Shirdley Hill & Southport.

RIBBLE VALLEY, BURNLEY & PENDLE SERVICES

2 Clitheroe – Henthorn/Low Moor Circular (LCC Lft 1)

The route and timetable will be revised to run between Clitheroe and Henthorn/Low Moor sections of route, no longer serving Peel Park. Peel Park will be better served by new Service 4. Service 2 will continue to run every 30 minutes.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

3 Clitheroe – Pimlico – Chatburn – Sawley (LCC Lft 1)

This new service will maintain the link between Clitheroe and Sawley, replacing Service 7A and restoring the

Service

service for Pimlico Road. The service will run every 2 hours off-peak.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

4 Clitheroe – Peel Park Circular (LCC Lft 1)

New Service 4 will provide a more comprehensive service for Peel Park. The service will run every hour. Boomerang Travel Ltd will operate this service on behalf of LCC

5 Clitheroe – Whalley – Ribchester – Longridge – Chipping (LCC Lft 2)

The route and timetable will be revised to serve the new Barrow Brook development off the A59, and no longer serve Peel Park, which will be better served by the new Service 4.

The service will continue to run up to every 90 minutes.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

7/7A Clitheroe – Chatburn – Barley – Blacko – Nelson

This service will be withdrawn and replaced by new Services 3, 66 & 67.

8 Nelson – Lomeshaye – Carr Hall

This service will be withdrawn and replaced by new Service 66.

9 Nelson – Brierfield Circular

The route and timetable will be revised to additionally serve Kings Causeway and Halifax Road with extra journeys. Holmeswood Coaches will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

Service

In February 2018, this service will be withdrawn and replaced by new Service 95A.

14 Burnley – Clifton Farm Circular

The route and timetable will be revised to run only between Burnley and Clifton Farm. Sycamore Avenue will be better served by the new Services 64/65. Holmeswood Coaches will operate this service on behalf of LCC. In February 2018, this service will be enhanced to include additional peak time journeys.

15 Burnley – Rose Hill Circular

There will be no changes and Holmeswood Coaches will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

In February 2018, this service will be enhanced revising the route and timetable, as a new Service 15A will combine with Service 15 to improve services for the Moorland Road area of Rose Hill, with the general frequency increased from hourly to half-hourly. Glen View Road and Rosehill Road will be each served hourly.

15/15A Brockhall/Mellor Brook – Mellor – Blackburn

These services will be withdrawn and replaced by new Services 25 & 25A.

25 Clitheroe – Whalley – Brockhall – Mellor – Blackburn 25A Mellor Brook – Mellor – Blackburn (LCC Lft 2)

This new Service 25 will restore the link between Mellor, Brockhall and Clitheroe every 2 hours. Combined with Service 25A to Mellor Brook, the service between Mellor and Blackburn

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will continue to run hourly. This will replace the existing Service 15 Blackburn – Mellor – Mellor Brook/Brockhall.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

35 Longridge – Ribchester – Wilshire – Blackburn (LCC Lft 2)

The timetable will be revised increasing the frequency to operate hourly.

Rotala Preston Bus will operate this service on behalf of LCC

64 Clitheroe – Sabden – Padiham – Rosegrove – Burnley

65 Nelson – Fence – Padiham – Rosegrove – Burnley

66 Nelson – Fence – Barley – Chatburn – Clitheroe

67 Nelson – Blacko – Barley – Chatburn – Clitheroe (LCC Lft 3)

This new network of Pendleside Link bus Services 64/65/66/67 will restore rural village links and improve frequencies across the Ribble Valley, Burnley and Pendle. They will replace the existing Services 7/7A, which serves villages between Clitheroe and Nelson, and Service 8 Nelson – Carr Hall circular. A number of benefits include:

Improved service for Sabden, restoring the direct link to Burnley;
Improved frequency between Clitheroe, Barley and Nelson, whilst restoring services for Newchurch and Spenbrook;

Service

Improved frequency between Fence and Nelson;

New route serving Burnley Sycamore Avenue linking through to the Health Centre at Rosegrove;

Boomerang Travel Ltd will operate this new Pendleside Links network of services on behalf of LCC

95 Colne – Nelson – Burnley (Pendle Green Line)

There will be no changes and Holmeswood Coaches will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

In February 2018, this service will be enhanced revising the route and timetable with a new Service 95A combining with Service 95 to improve services between Colne and Nelson, with the general frequency increased from hourly to half-hourly. The service through Brierfield, including Halifax Road, and Alkincoats will be restored with improved hourly frequencies, replacing the current Service 9 Nelson – Brierfield Circular.

Earby - Skipton

LCC is continuing to work with bus operators and stakeholders to explore options for a service following requests to restore a direct link between Earby and Skipton.

ROSSENDALE SERVICES

11 Rawtenstall – Helmshore Circular (LCC Lft 16)

There will be no changes and Rosso will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

Service

**12 Rawtenstall –
Balladen Circular**

There will be no changes and Rosso will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

**13 Rawtenstall –
New Hall Hey Circular**

Service renumbered from Service 10, there are no changes to route or timetable. Rosso will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

**244 Rawtenstall –
Haslingden – Blackburn**

There will be no changes to the am peak return journey and Rosso

Service

will operate this service on behalf of LCC.

**Rawtenstall – Bacup –
Todmorden**

LCC is continuing to work with bus operators to develop a sustainable option to restore a daytime service link between Rawtenstall, Bacup and Todmorden.

These are the changes for December 2017 that have been reported to Lancashire County Council by 17 November 2017. Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this information, however further changes can occur, it is advisable to contact your local County Information Centre, Traveline or bus operator for the latest information.

Bus Services revised over Christmas and New Year

Please note that bus and rail services will be revised over the Christmas & New Year period.

For further information
contact Traveline
0871 200 22 33 or your
local Information Centre.



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Opening times over the Christmas and New Year period for Traveline 0871 200 22 33:

Saturday 23rd	0700-2200
Christmas Eve 24th	0700-2000
Christmas Day 25th	Closed
Boxing Day 26th	0900-1700
Wednesday 27th	0700-2200
Thursday 28th	0700-2200
Friday 29th	0700-2200
Saturday 30th	0700-2200
New Year's Eve 31st	0700-2200
New Year's Day 1st	0900-1700

Normal Traveline hours resume
Tuesday 2nd January
(0700-2200, 7 days a week).

Trains: Please note Northern Rail timetables change on Sunday 10 December 2017.



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- 3 Bus timetable information available from **www.lancashire.gov.uk**

- 4 Call into your local **Information Outlet**

Information

Changes listed in this leaflet have been notified to the County Council for introduction over the next few weeks.

Please note details of school services are not included in this leaflet. Information on school buses is available from your local Information Outlet.


For information about local bus services:

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3 Bus timetable information available from

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Accrington Bus Station King Street	Leyland Library & Information Service Lancastergate	Skelmersdale Library & Information Service Southway
Burnley Bus Station	Morecambe Tourist Information Centre, Station Buildings, Marine Road	For details about bus services in Blackburn please contact: Blackburn Visitor Centre Blackburn Market, Church Street
Carnforth Library Lancaster Road		
Chorley Interchange Clifford Street	Nelson Interchange Broadway	For details about bus services in Blackpool please contact: Blackpool Transport Travel Offices Market Street, Blackpool and Rigby Road, Blackpool
Clitheroe Interchange Railway View Road	Ormskirk Library Burscough Street	
Fleetwood Library & Information Service North Albert Street	Preston Bus Station	
	Rawtenstall Library & Information Service Queen's Square, Haslingden Road	