

bus service changes

march 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.

Changes to Bus Services – March 2017

Service

WYRE, FYLDE & PRESTON SERVICES

From **20 February 2017** Lancashire County Council will revise the tendered bus service network in Wyre and Fylde. These revisions will maintain public transport service links for Elswick and Great Eccleston, following the withdrawal of Service 78 from this area, whilst reinstating the hourly Monday to Saturday daytime service between Fleetwood, Poulton, Kirkham and Preston with connections to Blackpool and Victoria Hospital, all as summarised below:

74 Poulton – Victoria Hospital – Blackpool (Leaflet 186)

The route and timetable will be revised, adjusting the service to operate between Poulton and Blackpool only. The service will maintain a timed connection with Services 75 & 75A from Fleetwood and Thornton, but will also provide timed connections from the eastern side of the routes (between Preston and Poulton) for journeys to Victoria Hospital and Blackpool.

The service will operate every hour Monday to Saturday daytime.



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Service

75 Fleetwood – Poulton – Weeton – Kirkham – Preston (Leaflet 186)

The route and timetable will be revised, adjusting the route between Fleetwood and Thornton to serve Windward Avenue estate to utilise developer funding to provide a service for this area.

The service will operate every two hours Monday to Saturday daytime. In conjunction with the Service 75A, a combined hourly service will be provided on the following sections:

- between Fleetwood, Thornton and Poulton on the same route;
- between the end to end key destinations of Fleetwood, Poulton, Kirkham and Preston;
- between Kirkham, Riversway and Preston on the same route.

In revising the route to serve Windward Avenue, it will result in the section of Pheasants Wood, Tennyson Avenue and Marsh Road in Thornton no longer being able to be served. Catch22bus Ltd's commercial bus Service 23 will be revised to serve these areas providing the link with Cleveleys, Thornton and Poulton centres as well as Victoria Hospital.

The revision of the tendered bus service route between Fleetwood and Poulton will improve overall service reliability, whilst maintaining a connection for the wider Thornton community for links to Fleetwood, Poulton, Victoria Hospital, Blackpool and Preston.

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**75A Fleetwood – Poulton –
Elswick – Kirkham – Preston
(Leaflet 186)**

This service will be introduced to retain the existing level of service between Fleetwood, Thornton and Poulton on the same route as the revised Service 75, and also maintain public transport service links between Elswick and Great Eccleston with Kirkham and Poulton, following the withdrawal of Service 78 from these areas.

The service will operate every two hours Monday to Saturday daytime. In conjunction with the Service 75, a combined hourly service will be provided on the following sections:

- between Fleetwood, Thornton and Poulton on the same route;
- between the end to end key destinations of Fleetwood, Poulton, Kirkham and Preston;
- between Kirkham, Riversway and Preston on the same route.

A single am & pm journey will extend on college days to serve Blackpool Sixth Form College

**80 Myerscough – Elswick –
Inskip – Preston
(Leaflet 186)**

The route and timetable will be revised, adjusting the route between Ashton and Preston to serve the Maudland Bank area. This will maintain the link to

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Preston Railway Station whilst avoiding duplicating Service 75A through Riversway and other commercial bus services on Fylde Road.

The service will continue to operate every two hours Monday to Saturday daytime. In conjunction with the Service 75A, a combined hourly service will be provided between the end to end key destinations of Great Eccleston, Elswick and Preston.

Rotala Preston Bus will continue to operate Services 74, 75, 75A & 80 on behalf of Lancashire County Council.

WYRE SERVICES

**23 Cleveleys –
Thornton – Carleton – Poulton –
Victoria Hospital
(OAK leaflet)**

From **20 February 2017** Catch22bus Ltd will revise the route and timetable, adjusting the route in the Thornton area to serve Tennyson Avenue and Marsh Road between Pheasants Wood and Thornton Four Lane Ends.

**42 Lancaster – Garstang –
Poulton – Blackpool
(STL leaflet)**

From **13 March 2017** Stagecoach in Lancaster will revise the timetable, adjusting peak journey times to improve overall service reliability.

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LANCASTER SERVICES

8 Lancaster – Ryelands – St. Chads (KIL leaflet)

From **6 March 2017** Kirkby Lonsdale Coach Hire will revise the timetable.

9 Lancaster – Primrose – Bowerham (KIL leaflet)

From **6 March 2017** Kirkby Lonsdale Coach Hire will revise the timetable.

18 Lancaster – Williamson Park – Lancaster Farms – Lancaster (STG leaflet)

From **6 March 2017** Lancashire County Council will enhance the local bus Service 18 in the eastern area of Lancaster through the use of Moor Hospital Development Section 106 funding contribution. This Lancaster East Circular will be increased to operate every 30 minutes during Monday to Saturday daytime between 0700 & 1815.

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Stagecoach in Lancaster will operate this service on behalf of Lancashire County Council.

PRESTON SERVICES

14/14A Preston – Holme Slack – Longsands (PBT leaflet)

From **27 March 2017** Rotala Preston Bus will revise the timetable, removing all outbound Monday to Friday journeys before 0900. These links will still be available with their new Service 5 timetable providing additional peak direct journeys between Preston and Fulwood Olivers Place, which then serves Longsands for the return Service 14 journeys

These are the changes for March 2017 that have been reported to Lancashire County Council by 9 February 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.

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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.


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2 Use your mobile and visit:

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