

TRAIN SERVICES

A new timetable starts on Sunday 10th December. There are a few changes affecting services in Lancashire.

The relevant timetables are:

Timetable 9: which covers services between Blackpool North and South/Preston and Blackburn/Colne/Burnley/Leeds/Manchester Victoria.

Timetable 10: which covers services between Liverpool and Blackpool North and Preston to Ormskirk.

Timetable 12: which covers services between Clitheroe and Manchester Victoria and Rochdale via Darwen and Bolton.

Full details of all Northern timetables can be found using this link:

www.northernrailway.co.uk/travel/timetables

Community Rail Lancashire also produces handy mini timetables for the Clitheroe to Manchester and Preston to Ormskirk lines. These can be viewed at:

communityraillancashire.co.uk/mini-timetables/

FARES

Rail fares can be seen on www.brfares.com/!home remember for many journeys if you are travelling with someone then a Duo fare is available. These can be purchased from a booking office, on line or from TVMs (ticket vending machine) just remember to say you are buying for 2 people.

BUS LINK FROM CLITHEROE INTERCHANGE

On Saturday 29th June there will be a bus link from Clitheroe Interchange for walks in the Forest of Bowland. The link has been organised by the Lancashire Rail Ramblers and special fares will apply with no concessions for bus pass holders. Look out for the bus when you arrive at Clitheroe Station as it is likely to be at the far end of the Interchange. For more details view the news item on the CRL website nearer the time by going to communityraillancashire.co.uk/ and scrolling down to latest news.



LANCASHIRE RAIL RAMBLERS

The guided walk programme is provided by the Lancashire Rail Ramblers. For more information visit: railramblers.wordpress.com

The programme has been prepared by **John G. Barnes** who can be emailed at: johnbarnes147@btinternet.com

Where a bus journey is shown, there will be an extra fare.



To discover more information about this and other guided and self-guide walks visit: communityraillancashire.co.uk/walks



COMMUNITY RAIL WALKS IN LANCASHIRE

16 January to 29 June 2024



DATE	LEVEL OF WALK	START / END	DETAILS	WALK START TIME
Tuesday 16th January	6 miles easy	Alight Hapton return Whalley	Hapton – Shuttleworth Hall – Altham Bridge – View industrial mine excavation – Read Hall - Portfield – Whalley	10:09
Saturday 20th January	12 miles moderate or 6 miles easy	Alight Poulton le Fylde return Blackpool North	The Wyre Way. Community Rail Rambler – Poulton le Fylde – Skippool – Nestleton – Wyre Estuary Country Park – Wyre Way – Fleetwood Farm – Rossall (for the shorter walk of 6 miles the bus or tram may be taken from here to Blackpool North) – Rossall Beach – Cleveleys – Norbreck – Blackpool North	10:06
Saturday 10th February	10 miles moderately easy	Alight Chorley return Pleasington	Chorley Station – Seymour Street – Crosse Hall Lane – White House – Nab Wood – Higher Healey – White Coppice – The Goyt – Brinscall – Old Railway Nature Trail – Abbey Village – Bradley Farm – Stanworth – Stanworth Farm – Bradley Farm – Leeds & Liverpool Canal – A674 – Walk Mill Bridge – Pleasington Station	09:34
Tuesday 20th February	8.5 miles easy	Alight Ormskirk return Rufford	Ormskirk – Charlesbye – Lathom Chapel – Ring o’ Bells – Canal Towpath to Rufford Station	10:41
Saturday 9th March	10 miles strenuous	Alight Brierfield return Clitheroe	Brierfield – New Laund Farm – Greenhead Lane – Hall – Higher Fencegate – Higher Town - Lower Houses – Sabden Fold – Spence Moor – Deerstones – Badger Wells Hill – Mearley Moor – Mearley Hall – High Moor – Clitheroe	10:41
Saturday 16th March	11.5 miles moderate	Alight Manchester Piccadilly return Mossley	Walk 1. Community Rail Rambler – Manchester Piccadilly – Medlock Valley Way – Phillips Park – Clayton Vale – Medlock Vale – Oldham Way – Daisy Nook Country Park – Port Mahon – Broad Carr – Mossley	10:00
	4 miles easy stroll	Alight Salford Central return Manchester Oxford Road	Walk 2. Meandering Manchester – For Audens Way, an Ape and Apple and Abercrombie’s Peterloo. For Parrs Banking Hall, The Parson’s Retreat, and the Peverill of the Peak. For Tastle Alle, Mr. Thomas’ Delights and The intolerant Bishop’s Tomb. We’ll search for Calatraa’s Crossing, The Subterranean Temple and... Oh Yes! That Hidden Gem. Come	10:35
Tuesday 19th March	7 miles easy	Alight and return Entwistle	Entwistle – Holly Bank – Wayoh Reservoir – Turton Bottoms – Chapelton – Wayoh Reservoir – Turton & Entwistle Reservoir – Entwistle Station	10:03
Saturday 13th April	11 miles moderately easy	Alight Croston return Chorley	Croston Mill – Pincock for Euxton Balshaw Lane – German Lane – Yarrow Valley & Duxbury Parks. (A shorter walk of 5 miles is offered by leaving at Pincock)	10:23
Tuesday 23rd April	7 miles easy	Alight and return Nelson	Carr Hall Road – Sandyhall Lane – Noggarth Top – Lower Dimpenley – Newchurch in Pendle – Barley – Bus to Nelson	10:26
Tuesday 14th May	8 miles easy	Alight Rose Grove return Burnley Central	The Bronte Way. Rose Grove – Leeds & Liverpool Canal – Molly Wood Bridge – Disused Railway to Padiham – Stockbridge Drive – Gawthorpe Hall – Habergham Drive – Hollins Farm – Bronte Way – New in Pendle Bridge – Leeds & Liverpool Canal – Burnley Central	10:12
Tuesday 11th June	8.5 miles moderate	Alight Whalley return Clitheroe	Whalley – Queen Elizabeth Playing Fields – Shaw House Farm – Cemetery – Wiswell – Moor Lane – Wiswell Wireless Station – Bramley Farm – The Rough – Nick of Pendle – Pendleton Moor – Howcroft Barn – Mearley Hall – Fields – Worston – Twinbrook Farm – Clitheroe	09:53
Saturday 29th June	10.5 miles strenuous	Alight and return Clitheroe	Walk 1. Community Rail Rambler – Clitheroe – Coach to Dunsop Bridge – River Dunsop – Foot Holme – Costy Clough – Whitendale – Dunsop Head – Wisket Hill – Burn End – Burnside Cottage – Laythams – Parrock Head – Pain Hill – Newton – Newton Bridge – River Hodder to Slaidburn – Coach to Clitheroe	10:01
	7.5 miles moderate	Alight and return Clitheroe	Walk 2. Community Rail Rambler – Clitheroe – Coach to Cow Ark – Radholme Laund – Whitewell – Burholme Bridge – Burholme – Lower Thorneyholme – Mosssthaite – Knowlmerre Manor – Giddy Bridge – Foulscals – Newton Bridge – River Hodder to Slaidburn – Coach to Clitheroe	10:01

