

RAME PENINSULA PENINSULA PUBLIC TRANSPORT USERS GROUP COVID -19 SUMMARY OF PUBLIC TRANSPORT SERVICES CURRENTLY IN OPERATION, THAT ARE USED BY RESIDENTS IN OUR AREA OF SOUTH EAST CORNWALL (Updated 19/01/2022)

COVID 19 – LOCAL BUS SERVICES

Temporary timetable changes due to critical resourcing difficulties – Go Cornwall Bus have not announced any changes yet but City Bus have introduced a number of timetable changes to many of their routes from 8th-30th January, but it does not so far include any alterations to the No.34. The situation will be reviewed on the 30th January for all Go South West Bus Services.

GO CORNWALL BUS SERVICES (Timetable operative from 31st October now applies)

New timetables can be obtained from the usual local sources or be downloaded from the Go Cornwall Website.

Nos. 70/70A/70B CREMYLL/ PORTWRINKLE - TORPOINT & PLYMOUTH.

No. 71 LISKEARD–ST.GERMANS-SALTASH -DERRIFORD HOSPITAL

Amendment from 3rd January – The 07.05 ex Derriford Bus departs earlier at 06.58 & arrives Treulefoot at 07. 41 to form the now 07.42 (instead of 07.47) ex Trerulefoot Bus now arriving Derriford Hospital at 08.43.

No. 72 POLPERRO-LOOE-SALTASH & PLYMOUTH

The 17.20 ex Royal Parade Bus calls additionally at St.Germans (17.50) & Polbathic (18.01) but does not now call at Kernow Mill, (A temporary route diversion 4th -29th January applies while the A387 is closed between the A374 & Hessenford)

No. 75 LISKEARD – CRAFTHOLE –TORPOINT

No.172 PLYMOUTH (Milehouse)-TORPOINT- CRAFTHOLE-DOWNDERRY, LOOE-PELYNT-EAST

TAPHOUSE -BODMIN (Callywith College) Operates on Mondays to Fridays only on Cornwall Colleges days

Departs Torpoint Ferry 07.15, Antony 07.25, Crafthole (Finnygook) 07.31, DOWDERRY 07.42, Seaton 07.45, East Looe 08.05, Pelynt 08.17, East Taphouse 08.31, BODMIN (Callywith College) Arrive 08.57 - Depart 16. 25, East Tapouse 16.44, Pelynt 16.56 East Looe 17.10, Seaton 17.28, DOWDERRY 17.31, Crafthole (Finnygook) 17.42, Antony 17.48, Torpoint Ferry 1801, Plymouth (Royal Parade) arrive 18.36. This Bus Service is not shown in the timetable but can be used by the General Public.

CITY BUS No. 34 ROYAL PARADE – DERRIFORD HOSPITAL DAILY SERVICE

Via Admirals Hard, Torpoint Ferry, Milehouse, Peverell, & Crownhill

Amendment from the 3rd January – On Mondays to Fridays the 07.00 ex Derriford Hospital Bus now departs later at 07.15 arrive Admirals Hard at 07.43 enabling it to connect with the 07.15 ex Cremyll Ferry(arr. 07.38)-Bus arrives Royal Parade 07.50

COVET 19 - NATIONAL EXPRESS COACHES

National Express Coaches that currently call daily at the Tideford Bus Shelters are the 08.35 to London Victoria via Reading & Heathrow Airport, the 10.40 (10.30 on Fridays) to Birmingham via Bristol, & the 14.35 to London Victoria via Heathrow Airport. On the down road coaches en route to Penzance that call are the 08.30 ex London Victoria via Heathrow arriving at 14.55, the 11.10 ex Birmingham arriving at 17.30 (18.02 on Fridays) & the 13.30 ex London Victoria via Heathrow Airport & Reading arriving at 20.45. There are more N.E. Coach services to London & Birmingham available from Plymouth Coach Station. From Birmingham Coach Station there are N.E. Coach Services to & from the North East, North West & Scotland. For further information you can use the National Express Travel Planner or Telephone 08717818181. Alternatively, you can use Traveline.

COVID 19 -MEGABUS COACH & FALCON BUS SERVICES FROM PLYMOUTH COACH STATION

(Both companies now owned by Comfort Delgro)

The Falcon Bus Service is now operating from the 9th January a full 24/7 Bus service to Bristol Airport & City Centre from Plymouth Coach Station with 20 buses departing daily between 01.00 & 23.00 giving a near hourly frequency throughout. Bus fares are £29 return & the Discounted return is only £15.50 for under 25's, & concessionary pass holders. Mega Bus is only operating one through bus daily to London Victoria via Heathrow Airport from Plymouth Coach Station departing at 15.00 & formed by a 08.30 coach from London. However they are offering other daily Services to London as well as to Cardiff, the North East & North West by using the Falcon Bus Service to Bristol Bond Street & changing there into Megabus Coaches. Tel. 01413524444 for further information.

COVID 19 - RAIL SERVICES

ST. GERMANS STATION – In the GWR K1 Time table & St. Germans Leaflet operative from the 12th December to 14th May, on MONDAYS-to- FRIDAYS, 23 trains are shown calling on the Up Line between 07.19 & 22.42 & 27 trains on the down line between on 05.51 & & 22.54. Through trains to Paddington at 07.46 & 08.50. Through trains from Paddington arriving at 10.01(06.37ex Pad), 17.37(14.04exPad), 19.41(16.04exPad), 20.44(17.04exPad) & 22.54FO(19.04exPad) Through trains to Cardiff at 07.19, 08.21, 09.18, 12.28, 14.28, & 18.28. Through trains from Cardiff arriving at 12.00, 13.02, 15.02, 17.02, 18.01 & 22.01. In addition on the Up Line there is 1 through train terminating at Gloucester & 1 train at Bristol Temple Meads. On the down line there are also 3 through trains commencing from Bristol TM.

However, GWR are again now operating a temporary Covid 19 Timetable varying on a weekly basis. Currently on Mondays to Fridays the 13.32 & 20.29 trains to Plymouth have been withdrawn and on the down line trains from Plymouth arriving at 14.33, 17.22, & 18.55 have been withdrawn.

PLYMOUTH RAILWAY STATION

GWR - Applicable K1, D & D5 timetables operative from the 12th December to 14th May 2021 can be downloaded on line, but as mentioned GWR are now having to operate a temporary timetable resulting in alterations with some reductions in services, which currently include the cancellation 05.49 & 15.15 Trains from Plymouth to Paddington & the 11.04 & 20.04 Services from Paddington to Plymouth.

CROSS COUNTRY TRAINS – The current timetable operating until 14th May for trains to & from Manchester, and to & from the North East & Scotland can be downloaded on line but like with GWR, a temporary timetable is currently operating with a reduced service, in which there are currently no through trains to & from Manchester with at least one change now needed & about half of such journeys requiring two or more changes. On Mondays to Fridays there are 9 through trains shown operating from Plymouth to the North East & Scotland including 3 to Edinburgh, 1 to Aberdeen & 3 to Newcastle 1 to Leeds & 1 to Sheffield with a similar pattern of services operating in the reverse direction. Of these services only 1 train runs through to & from Cornwall, these being the 09.25 Penzance to Newcastle, calling Liskeard at 10.53 & the 11.39 from Newcastle. Catering facilities are available on trains, but currently are only provided at one end of trains. The trolleys are not going through the trains Announcements will be made on trains as to where the refreshment trolley is located.

IT IS NOW IMPORTANT AT ALL TIMES TO RE CHECK YOUR TRAIN TIMES BEFORE TRAVELLING

COVID 19 - FERRY SERVICES

TORPOINT FERRY – Full Service operating with planned frequencies. Social distancing to be observed. Lane F is allocated for the sole of use of cyclists and motorcyclists who are requested to remain with their transport.

FERRY SERVICES OPERATED BY PLYMOUTH BOAT TRIPS

(Due to social distancing requirements. the passenger numbers have have been restricted to approx. 50% of the carrying capacity of each vessel used on all the ferry services given below)

CREMYLL FERRY- Winter Service now operating until 31st March (Tel. 01752 822105)

First Ferry departs Cremyll - 06.45 (Monday to Friday) 07.30 (Saturday) & 08.30 (Sunday).

Last Ferry departs Admirals Hard - 18.45 (Monday to Friday) 19.15 (Saturday) & 18.15 (Sunday).

BARBICAN - CAWSAND FERRY – Scheduled to operate from 1st April–to-30th October 2022

BARBICAN-ROYAL WILLIAM YARD -MOUNT EDGE CUMBE FERRY

Scheduled to operate from 1st April-to-30th October 2022. (Tel. 01752 253153 for more information)

COVID – 19 - MAKER WITH RAME COMMUNITY BUS

The Rame Community Bus has been operating its scheduled services, which are:-

Saltash & Kernow Mill on 1st Wednesday of month, Truro on 2nd Wednesday of month & Tavistock Pannier Market on 4th Friday of month. There will also the usual programme of special excursions commencing in February 2022. Telephone 01752 823346 for booking details and further information.

COVID – 19 – DOWNDERRY COMMUNITY BUS

The Downdery Community Bus continues to operate its regular services from Broads Yard departing at 09.30 to Plymouth on Tuesdays & to Liskeard, on Thursdays. There is also a regular programme of trips to other destinations. For timetable booking details & further information Tel. 01503 250944 .

COVID-19 - TRAVELLING ON PUBLIC TRANSPORT

You must not travel if you are experiencing any Covid 19 Symptoms even if they are mild.

Currently you must wear a face covering until the 27th January when travelling inside a public transport vehicle and when in indoor transport hubs in England unless you are exempt or have a reasonable excuse. (The wearing of face masks will still be mandatory on London Transport after the 27th January)

From the 27th January it will still be advisable to wear a mask. Passengers are also advised to :- plan your journey and check your route & times, travel at quieter times, if available make a seat reservation in advance, allow extra time to make your journey, carry a hand sanitiser and wash your hands before & after travelling, and dispose of waste safely.

