

What is Ring'n'Ride?

- Ring'n'Ride is an innovative on-demand bus service that picks you up from as near to your door as possible and takes you where you want to go, when you want to go.
- It is designed to serve people and communities in rural Lomond who do not currently have a local bus service or have poor public transport links to amenities.
- The service provides new direct links in the rural area shown on the map overleaf.
- **It does not make trips where there are alternative direct bus services.**
- The bus operates Mondays to Saturdays between the hours of 0700 and 1800 hours.

Who can use it?

- Ring'n'Ride is for everyone who wants to travel within the marked area on the map.
- Passengers who are registered Dial-a-Bus users can also use the Ring'n'Ride Service.
- Like conventional bus services, Ring'n'Ride is for individual passengers, but group bookings are also warmly welcomed.
- All members of the community are able to use the service, as it is operated using a low floor, wheelchair accessible bus.

Journey Times

- Every effort will be made to offer you your requested times.
- Often however, if a number of passengers are going to the same destination we will offer you these times.
- We may require to change your booking times but will advise you if these changes exceed 10 minutes.
- Other passengers are often picked up en route to your destination. Please allow time for this when booking your journey.
- Please try to be flexible with your journey times.

How do I use it?

- Booking is easy. All it takes is a simple call to the booking line on **0845 123 5656**. Journeys can even be booked by text message!
- Bookings can be made up to 2 hours before travelling, but we recommend you book the day before.
- The booking line is open Monday to Friday from 0900 - 1600 hours. Monday journeys should be booked on Fridays.
- SPT concession cards, ZoneCards and Daytripper tickets are valid on the service. Normal bus service fares apply.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, BOOKINGS, OR TEXT MESSAGE REGISTRATION PLEASE CALL 0845 123 5656

This service is operated as specified by Strathclyde Passenger Transport and Argyll and Bute Council. If you have any comments or suggestions about the service provided please send them to: Head of Operations, Strathclyde Passenger Transport, Consort House, 12 West George Street, Glasgow G2 1HN or e-mail: bus@spt.co.uk.

All information available from SPT travel centres at St Enoch Square, Buchanan bus station, Hillhead Subway, Cumbernauld, East Kilbride, Glasgow Airport, Greenock, Hamilton, Kirkintilloch and Paisley.

Or call Traveline on



Daily 0700 – 2200 hours

Operator contact details:

First Glasgow
197 Victoria Road
Glasgow
G42 7AD
0141 423 6600

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Important changes in this issue
Service times improved to start 0700 and now operates on Saturdays.

Whilst every effort will be made to adhere to the scheduled times, the executive disclaims any liability in respect of loss or inconvenience arising from any failure to operate journeys as published, changes in timing or any printing errors.

Timetable

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Lomond



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Book your journey on
0845 123 5656



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For more information visit www.spt.co.uk or any SPT travel centre.

Ring 'n' Ride Service 950 Lomond

- Service 950 available within this coloured area
- Dial-a-bus registered passengers only
- Major communities served by 950
- Railway line and station

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