

BUS TIMES

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Effective : 11th January 2026

Blackburn Outer Circle



5A/55A..... Operates anti-clockwise around the borough

5C/55C..... Operates clockwise around the borough

Routes take in...

Shadsworth

Frontier Park (5A, 5C)

Whitebirk Business Park (5A, 5C)

Philips Business Park (55A/55C)

Little Harwood,

Brownhill (5A, 5C)

St James Rd (55A, 55C)

Pleckgate Rd (5A, 5C)

Mill Hill

Ewood

Highercroft

Guide

Shadsworth Business Park

Royal Blackburn Hospital

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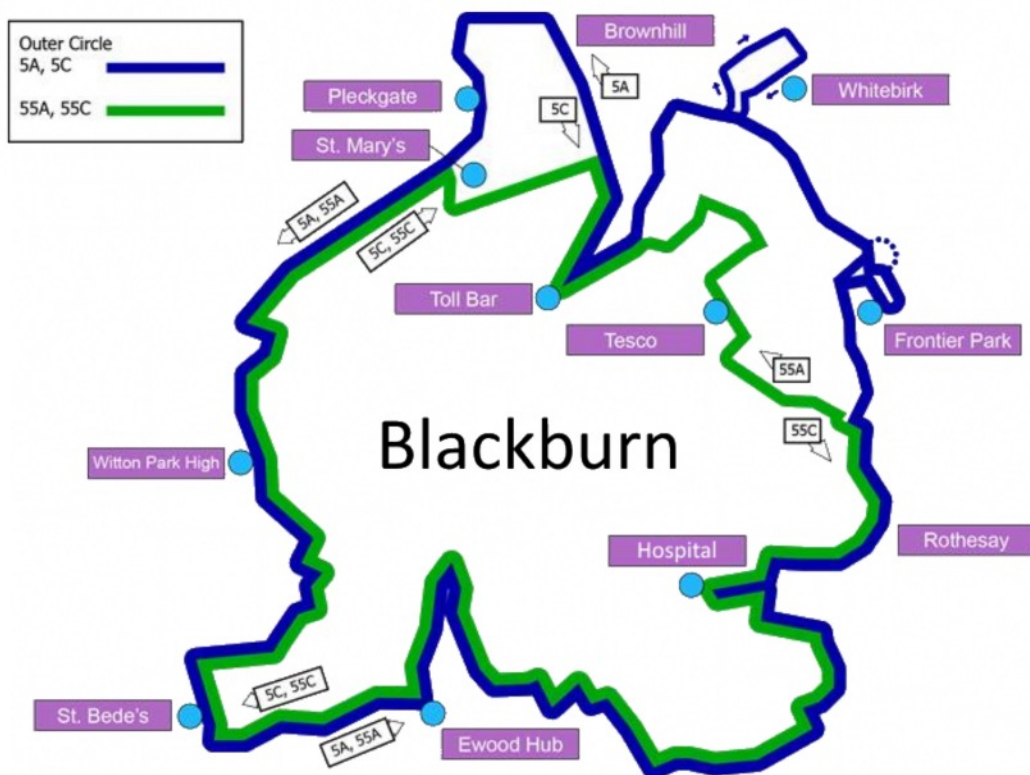
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CONNECT

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New Outer Circle Bus Routes

Following its departure in 2016, Blackburn's Outer Circle bus route is back in action from Sunday 04 May, Monday to Sunday. This includes buses 5A, 5C, 55A, and 55C.



Additional departures from Ewood will be in place for Rovers mid-week home games, departing 15 minutes after the final whistle

Outer Circle via Shadsworth, Greenbank, Glenfield Park, Lt Harwood, 4 Lane Ends, Mill Hill,
Ewood, Shadsworth Ind Est

55A

Outer Circle via Shadsworth, Frontier Park, Whitebirk Ind Est, Lt Harwood, Pleckgate, Mill Hill,
Ewood, Shad Ind Est

5A

Monday to Friday (Not Bank Holidays)

Notes:		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Service:		5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		0545	0615	0700	0730	0815	0845	0930	1045	1200	1315	1345	1430	1500			
Frontier Park		0550		0705		0820		0935	1050	1205	1320		1435				
Cunliffe Road		0555		0710		0825		0940	1055	1210	1325		1440				
Blakewater Road			0629		0744		0859					1359		1514			
Toll Bar		0603	0636	0718	0751	0833	0906	0948	1103	1218	1333	1406	1448	1521			
Pleckgate College		0610		0725		0840		0955	1110	1225	1340		1455				
St. Marys College			0641		0756		0911					1411		1526			
Billinge Avenue		0618	0650	0733	0805	0848	0920	1003	1118	1233	1348	1420	1503	1535			
Mill Hill Station		0624	0658	0739	0813	0854	0928	1009	1124	1239	1354	1428	1509	1543			
St Bedes School		0828	0703	0743	0818	0858	0933	1013	1128	1243	1358	1433	1513	1548			
Ewood Hub		0632	0708	0747	0823	0902	0938	1017	1132	1247	1402	1438	1517	1553			
Newfield Drive		0640	0716	0755	0831	0910	0946	1025	1140	1255	1410	1446	1525	1601			
Guide Beehive		0644	0720	0759	0835	0914	0950	1029	1144	1259	1414	1450	1529	1605			
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		0650	0726	0805	0841	0920	0956	1035	1150	1305	1420	1456	1535	1611			

Notes:		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Service:		5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A	5A	55A
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		1545	1615	1700	1730	1815	1845	1930	--	--	2202						
Frontier Park		1550		1705		1820		1935	--	--							
Cunliffe Road		1555		1710		1825		1940	--	--							
Blakewater Road			1629		1744		1859		--	--							
Toll Bar		1603	1636	1718	1751	1833	1906	1948	--	--	2212						
Pleckgate College		1610		1725		1840		1955	--	--							
St. Marys College			1641		1756		1911		--	--							
Billinge Avenue		1618	1650	1733	1805	1848	1920	2003	--	--							
Mill Hill Station		1624	1658	1739	1813	1854	1928	2009	--	--							
St Bedes School		1628	1703	1743	1818	1858	1933	2013	--	--							
Ewood Hub		1632	1708	1747	1823	1902	1938	2017	2145	--							
Newfield Drive		1640	1716	1755	1831	1910	1946	2025	2152	--							
Guide Beehive		1644	1720	1759	1835	1914	1950	2029	2157	--							
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		1650	1726	1805	1841	1920	1956	2035	2201	--							

NOTES:

FSP - Football Special: Only operates when
Blackburn Rovers have a mid-week home game,
based on 19.45 kick off. If earlier or later KO or
extra time is played, departure will be pro-rata
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5C

Outer Circle via Shad Ind Est, Highercroft, Ewood, Mill Hill, 4 Lane Ends, Glenfield Park, Greenbank, Shadsworth

55C

Monday to Friday (Not Bank Holidays)

	Notes:									
	Service:	5C	55C	\$	\$	5C	55C	\$	\$	5C
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]	0530	0600	0645	0715	0800	0830	0915	1030	1145	1300
Guide Beehive	0535	0605	0650	0720	0805	0835	0920	1035	1150	1305
Newfield Drive	0542	0612	0657	0727	0812	0842	0927	1042	1157	1312
Ewood Hub	0551	0621	0706	0736	0821	0851	0936	1051	1206	1321
St Bede School	0554	0625	0709	0740	0824	0855	0939	1054	1209	1324
Mill Hill Station	0558	0631	0713	0746	0828	0901	0943	1058	1213	1328
Billing Avenue	0605	0638	0720	0753	0835	0908	0950	1105	1220	1335
St Mary's College		0645		0800		0915				1415
Pleckgate College	0612		0727		0842		0957	1112	1227	1342
Toll Bar (Cinder Path)	0620	0652	0735	0807	0850	0922	1005	1120	1235	1350
Blakewater Road		0656		0811		0926				1426
Cunliffe Road	0626		0741		0856		1011	1126	1241	1356
Frontier Park	0632		0747		0902		1017	1132	1247	1402
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]	0641	0708	0756	0823	0911	0938	1026	1141	1256	1411

	Notes:									
	Service:	5C	55C	\$	\$	5C	55C	\$	\$	FSP
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]	1530	1600	1645	1715	1800	1830	1915	2030	--	
Guide Beehive	1535	1605	1650	1720	1805	1835	1920	2035	--	
Newfield Drive	1542	1612	1657	1727	1812	1842	1927	2042	--	
Ewood Hub	1551	1621	1706	1736	1821	1851	1936	2051	2145	
St Bede School	1554	1625	1709	1740	1824	1855	1939	2054	2148	
Mill Hill Station	1558	1631	1713	1746	1828	1901	1943	2058	2152	
Billing Avenue	1605	1638	1720	1753	1835	1908	1950	2105	2203	
St Mary's College		1645		1800		1915				
Pleckgate College	1612		1727		1842		1957	2112	2208	
Toll Bar (Cinder Path)	1620	1652	1735	1807	1850	1922	2005	2120	2215	
Blakewater Road		1656		1811		1926				
Cunliffe Road	1626		1741		1856		2011	2126	--	
Frontier Park	1632		1747		1902		2017	2132	--	
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]	1641	1708	1756	1823	1911	1938	2026	2141	--	

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5A

Saturday

Notes:		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		0700	0805	0910	1015	1120	1225	1330	1435	1540	1645	1750	1855	2000					
Frontier Park		0712	0817	0922	1027	1132	1237	1342	1447	1552	1657	1802	1907	2012					
Toll Bar		0720	0825	0930	1035	1140	1245	1350	1455	1600	1705	1810	1915	2020					
Pleckgate College		0725	0830	0935	1040	1145	1250	1355	1500	1605	1710	1815	1920	2025					
Billinge Avenue		0730	0835	0940	1045	1150	1255	1400	1505	1610	1715	1820	1925	2030					
Mill Hill Station		0738	0843	0948	1053	1158	1303	1408	1513	1618	1723	1828	1933	2038					
St Bedes School		0741	0846	0951	1056	1201	1306	1411	1516	1621	1726	1831	1936	2041					
Ewood Hub		0744	0849	0954	1059	1204	1309	1414	1519	1624	1729	1834	1939	2044					
Newfield Drive		0751	0856	1001	1106	1211	1316	1421	1526	1631	1736	1841	1946	2051					
Guide Beehive		0756	0901	1006	1111	1216	1321	1426	1531	1636	1741	1846	1951	2056					
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		0800	0905	1010	1115	1220	1325	1430	1535	1640	1745	1850	1955	2100					

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5C

Saturday

Notes:		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]		0730	0835	0940	1045	1150	1255	1400	1505	1610	1715	1820	1925						
Guide Beehive		0734	0839	0944	1049	1154	1259	1404	1509	1614	1719	1824	1929						
Newfield Drive		0738	0843	0948	1053	1158	1303	1408	1513	1618	1723	1828	1933						
Ewood Hub		0745	0850	0955	1100	1205	1310	1415	1520	1625	1730	1835	1940						
St Bede School		0748	0853	0958	1103	1208	1313	1418	1523	1628	1733	1838	1943						
Mill Hill Station		0752	0857	1002	1107	1212	1317	1422	1527	1632	1737	1842	1947						
Billinge Avenue		0759	0904	1009	1114	1219	1324	1429	1534	1639	1744	1849	1954						
Pleckgate College		0804	0909	1014	1119	1224	1329	1434	1539	1644	1749	1854	1959						
Toll Bar (Cinder Path)		0811	0916	1021	1126	1231	1336	1441	1546	1651	1756	1901	2006						
Frontier Park		0819	0924	1029	1134	1239	1344	1449	1554	1659	1804	1909	2014						
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]		0830	0935	1040	1145	1250	1355	1500	1605	1710	1815	1920	2025						

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Sunday & Bank Holidays

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Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		0800	0905	1010	1115	1220	1325	1430	1535	1640	1745								
Frontier Park		0812	0917	1022	1127	1232	1337	1442	1547	1652	1757								
Toll Bar		0820	0925	1030	1135	1240	1345	1450	1555	1700	1805								
Pleckgate College		0825	0930	1035	1140	1245	1350	1455	1600	1705	1810								
Billinge Avenue		0830	0935	1040	1145	1250	1355	1500	1605	1710	1815								
Mill Hill Station		0838	0943	1048	1153	1258	1403	1508	1613	1718	1823								
St Bedes School		0841	0946	1051	1156	1301	1406	1511	1616	1721	1826								
Ewood Hub		0844	0949	1054	1159	1304	1409	1514	1619	1724	1829								
Newfield Drive		0851	0956	1101	1206	1311	1416	1521	1626	1731	1836								
Guide Beehive		0856	1001	1106	1211	1316	1421	1526	1631	1736	1841								
Royal Blackburn Hospital [A]		0900	1005	1110	1215	1320	1425	1530	1635	1740	1845								

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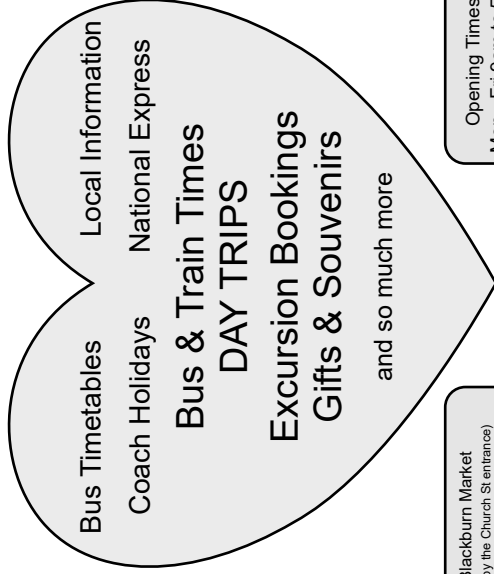
Sunday & Bank Holidays

Notes:		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]		0830	0935	1040	1145	1250	1355	1500	1605	1710	1815								
Guide Beehive		0834	0939	1044	1149	1254	1359	1504	1609	1714	1819								
Newfield Drive		0838	0943	1048	1153	1258	1403	1508	1613	1718	1823								
Ewood Hub		0845	0950	1055	1200	1305	1410	1515	1620	1725	1830								
St Bede School		0848	0953	1058	1203	1308	1413	1518	1623	1728	1833								
Mill Hill Station		0852	0957	1102	1207	1312	1417	1522	1627	1732	1837								
Billinge Avenue		0859	1004	1109	1214	1319	1424	1529	1634	1739	1844								
Pleckgate College		0904	1009	1114	1219	1324	1429	1534	1639	1744	1849								
Toll Bar (Clinder Path)		0911	1016	1121	1226	1331	1436	1541	1646	1751	1856								
Frontier Park		0919	1024	1129	1234	1339	1444	1549	1654	1759	1904								
Royal Blackburn Hospital [B]		0930	1035	1140	1245	1350	1455	1600	1705	1810	1915								

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Blackburn Visitor Centre

For All Your Public Transport Information



Blackburn Market
(by the Church St entrance)
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visit@blackburn.gov.uk

Opening Times
Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm
Sat 9am - 4pm

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Blackburn Visitor Centre
Blackburn Market
Tel: 01254 688 040

Blackburn Bus Station
customer service desk
Tel: 01254 670 583

Darwen Town Hall
Croft Street
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Blackburn with Darwen
transport Information



TRANSPORT TEAM AT THE COUNCIL

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The Visitor Centre is ideally situated in the Market Hall in the town centre and offers a wide range of services from gifts and souvenirs to National Express & Excursion bookings on behalf of several local coach operators.

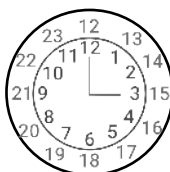
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Tel: 01254 688 040

Opening Hours

Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm & Sat 9am - 4pm

THE 24 HOUR CLOCK



1200 - 12 noon	1800 - 6.00pm
1300 - 1.00pm	1900 - 7.00pm
1400 - 2.00pm	2000 - 8.00pm
1500 - 3.00pm	2100 - 9.00pm
1600 - 4.00pm	2200 - 10.00pm
1700 - 5.00pm	2300 - 11.00pm

About Blackburn Bus Station Information

Blackburn bus station customer service desk offers advice on local and connecting bus services. They supply a range of timetables and offer daily, weekly or monthly tickets.

Helpful staff can help with your transport enquiries.

Tel: 01254 670 583

Opening Hours

Mon - Fri 9am to 5pm & Sat 9am - 3pm

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