

Wirral Bus Network Listing from 25 th October 2025							Frequency level				
Current Number	New Number	Change Type	Current Operator	New Operator	Franchise or Permit	Route	Mon-Fri daytime	Saturday daytime	Sun/Bh	Evening	Route or Frequency Change Comment (all services may be subject to minor timetable changes)
1 etc	401-404	Number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Moreton & Leasowe Circulars	60	60	60	60	Services renumbered from 1, 1A, 1B, 1C
1/X1	1/X1	No change	Stage RF	Stage RF	Permit	Chester – Liverpool City Centre	20	20	3 bph	60	No change
16/17	416/A/417	Number & timetable span	Stage RF	GNW	Franchise	Moreton – Clatterbridge – Mill Park	30/30	30/30	60	60	Renumbered from Services 16//16A/17. Evening & Sunday journeys introduced on 417.
22	22	No change	AI's for CW&C	AI's for CW&C	Permit	Chester – West Kirby	60	60	n/a	n/a	Unchanged
38/A/B	438/A/B	Number	Stage RF	GNW	Franchise	West Kirby – Birkenhead – Croft/Eastham	30/60	30/60	60	60	Renumbered from 38/38A
41	441	Number	Stage RF	GNW	Franchise	Mill Park – Birkenhead – Arrowe Park	30	40	60	60	Renumbered from Service 41
42	442	Number	Stage RF	GNW	Franchise	Mill Park – Birkenhead – Arrowe Park	30	40	60	n/a	Renumbered from Service 42
73	473	Number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – Poulton Lancelyn	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from Service 73
80	480	Frequency & number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	West Kirby – Newton Circular	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from Service 80. Frequency improved from two-hourly to hourly.
81	n/a	Withdrawn	A2B	n/a	n/a	West Kirby – Arfrowe					
82	482	Number, Frequency & route	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – West Kirby	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from Service 82. Frequency improved from two-hourly to hourly. Route extended from Calday to Heswall via Thurston. Gives two buses per hour between West Kirby & Heswall with service 22.
91	491	Number & Route	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Birkenhead – Holmlands Estate	60	60	n/a	n/a	Route revised around Prenton – will no longer serve Prenton Hall Road (this will still be served by the 418 and the re-routed 414) or Holm Lane. Frequency improved from every 65-minutes to every 60-minutes. Renumbered from 91. Additional morning journey.
106/107	405/406	Route & number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Liscard – Wallasey – New Brighton Circular	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from 106/107. Route simplified, no longer serving Mount Road (this will be served instead by the re-routed 414A) and will serve Victoria Parade. Frequency improved from every 90-minutes to every 60-minutes each.
129	n/a	Withdrawn	A2B	n/a	n/a	Liscard – Frankby Cemetery (1 jny)	n/a	n/a	1 jny	n/a	Service withdrawn. Alternative services or connecting journeys are available.
174	474	Number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – Heswall Lower Village	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from Service 174
175	475	Number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – Irby	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from Service 175
181	481	Number	A2B	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – Arrowe Park	60	60	n/a	n/a	Renumbered from Service 181
216/217	n/a	Withdrawn	Arriva	n/a	n/a	Birkenhead Circular	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Journeys withdrawn but replaced with additional 418 or 491 journeys.
407	407	Route curtailed & operating span improved	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	Town Meadow – Liverpool City Centre	20	20	60	60	Service no longer operates through to West Kirby or Cook Street, operating between Town Meadow and Whitechapel/Sir Thomas Street only. Between Moreton and West Kirby the 438 and 483/484 will operate. Merseyrail offers link to Liverpool. Evening & Sunday journeys introduced. Additional short Sunday daytime journeys between Liverpool & Birkenhead.
409	409	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	Wallasey Village – Birkenhead	35	35	n/a	n/a	Unchanged
410	410	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	New Brighton – Birkenhead/Clatterbridge	15/30	15/30	30	30	Unchanged
411	411	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	New Brighton – Birkenhead	30	30	30	60	Unchanged
413	413	Timetable span	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	Birkenhead – Upton – Seacombe	30	30	30	30	Evening & Sunday journeys introduced replacing 423 (but not serving Town Meadow)
414	414/A	Route	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	Birkenhead – Upton – New Brighton	30	30	n/a	n/a	Route revised to operate via St Cath's Hospital & Prenton, and alternate journeys (A) via Mount Rd
418	418	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	Birkenhead – Arrowe Park – New Ferry	60	60	n/a	n/a	Unchanged
423	n/a	Withdrawn	Arriva BH	n/a	n/a	Birkenhead – Upton – Town Meadow – Seacombe	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Withdrawn. Replaced by 413 journeys and 407 & 417 around Town Meadow
432	432	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	New Brighton – Liverpool City Centre	20	20	30	60	Unchanged
433	433	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	New Brighton – Liverpool City Centre	20	20	30	60	Unchanged
437	437	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	West Kirby – Liverpool City Centre	10	10	15	30	Unchanged
464	464	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	New Ferry – Liverpool City Centre	30	30	30	30	Unchanged
471	471	Route curtailed	Arriva BH Stage RF	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – Liverpool City Centre	20	20	30	60	Off peak journeys no longer operate to Cook Street. Additional Sunday morning journeys introduced.
472	472	Route curtailed	Arriva BH Stage RF	GNW	Franchise	Heswall – Liverpool City Centre	20	20	30	60	Off peak journeys no longer operate to Cook Street. Additional Sunday morning journeys introduced
487	487	No change	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	Neston – Liverpool City Centre	30	30	60	60	Unchanged
492/495	492/495	Frequency	Arriva BH	GNW	Franchise	B'head – Beechwood – Noctorum – B'head	30	30	60	60	Eve/Sun frequency improved from every 120-minutes to every 60-minutes each
653	453	New	n/a	GNW	Franchise	Thingwall Corner – Clatterbridge/Wirral Grammar	60	60	n/a	n/a	Service to school renumbered and operating throughout the day with schooltime variations. (653 will continue until July 2027)
811	811	No change	A2B	Huyton Travel	Franchise	Moreton – Broughton	Peak jnys	n/a	n/a	n/a	Morning journeys will not serve 12 Quays Ferry Terminal. Afternoon journeys will only operate as far as Woodside.
N1	N1	No change	Stage GM	Stage GM	Permit	Allerton – Birkenhead	-	-	-	-	Unchanged – Friday, Saturday & Sunday mornings only
n/a	408	New	n/a	GNW	Franchise	Liscard – Seacombe Circular	60	60	n/a	n/a	New service
n/a	483/484	New	n/a	GNW	Franchise	Arrowe Park – West Kirby Circular	60	60	60	60	New orbital service: Arrowe Park Hospital – Greasby – West Kirby – Hoylake – Meols – Moreton – Upton – Arrowe Park Hospital

There will no changes to services to schools until 03/01/27 or 01/09/27. This list is correct at 12/08/26.