

Clearwater Regional Transit

RIDER'S GUIDE

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Welcome Aboard

Clearwater Regional Transit provides two kinds of service:

- fixed-route service provides service to major destinations and neighbourhoods
- On-Request provides curb-to-curb service to the following communities: The District of Clearwater, Wyndhaven, Sunshine Valley and Lower Blackpool areas via Route 2.

About your transit system

Funding for Clearwater Regional Transit is cost shared between the District of Clearwater, Thompson Nicola Regional District and BC Transit. Decisions on fares, routes and service levels are made by the District of Clearwater based on information provided by BC Transit.

Buses are operated by the Yellowhead Community Services Society.

Contact

Transit Information	250-674-3935
Outside of Clearwater	1-855-359-3935
Lost and Found	250-674-3935
Address	612 Park Drive Clearwater, BC V0E 1N1

If you have suggestions or comments, contact the District of Clearwater, 209 Dutch Lake Road, BC V0E 1N1, Tel: 250-674-2257.

Holiday and Weekend Service

Service is not available on weekends and the following holidays:

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| • New Years Day | • Labour Day |
| • Family Day | • National Day for Truth and Reconciliation |
| • Good Friday | • Thanksgiving Day |
| • Easter Monday | • Remembrance Day |
| • Victoria Day | • Christmas Day |
| • Canada Day | • Boxing Day |
| • B.C. Day | |

Subject to change. Check online at bctransit.com for special event service.

Government of BC Bus Pass Program

The BC Bus Pass Program is a program offered by the Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction.

It offers an annual bus pass for low income seniors and individuals receiving disability assistance from the Province of British Columbia. The pass is valid for the eligible rider on any fixed-route and on-request transit service. The pass is non-transferable.

For information on criteria for eligibility, visit www.gov.bc.ca/buspassprogram or call 1-866-866-0800.

On-Request Service

Schedule trips 24 hours in advance, call 250-674-3935 during office hours; Monday to Friday, 8:30 am – 4:30 pm

Clearwater

Service is available Monday to Friday

Time:

10 am – 11 am and 1:45 pm – 2:45 pm

Booking:

Passengers must pre-book their trips 24 hours ahead. Before you call, be ready with the following information:

- Name and telephone number
- Pickup and destination location
- Time of travel
- Mobility equipment being used (e.g. wheelchair)
- If using a wheelchair, be sure it is equipped with a lap belt

Please be ready to travel a few minutes before the scheduled pickup. The driver can wait five minutes past your scheduled time.

2 Blackpool

Service is available Monday to Friday

Time:

Wyndhaven	9:05 am, 1:15 pm, 4:10 pm
Sunshine Valley	9:16 am, 1:20 pm, 4:25 pm
Lower Blackpool	9:20 am, 1:25 pm, 4:30 pm

These times are approximate.

Booking

You can book your return trip at the same time as you book your pickup time. The bus can make only one deviation on each **2 Blackpool** trip.

Fares

all fares subject to change

Cash

All passengers	\$ 2.00
Child, 12 and under	free

On-Request

All passengers	2.00
Child, 12 and under	free

Tickets (10)

All passengers	18.00
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Please have exact change ready. Drivers do not carry change.

Ticket Outlets

You can buy tickets on the bus from the driver, or at the Yellowhead Community Services Society office at 612 Park Drive in Clearwater.

Service to Kamloops – 10 Valley Connector

All trips must be pre-booked. Please call ahead for availability and for service to Blue River. Blue River connection is available on the first Thursday of every month and connects with the Valley Connector to Kamloops. Schedule is in this Rider's Guide.

From Blue River

All passengers, each way	\$ 10.00
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From Clearwater/Vavenby

All passengers, each way	\$ 7.50
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From Little Fort/Barriere

All passengers, each way	\$ 5.00
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Please have exact change ready. Drivers do not carry change. The BC Bus Pass and CNIB pass are valid for this route.

Transit Info 250-674-3935

Toll Free 1-855-359-3935

www.bctransit.com

1 Vavenby

To Vavenby					To Clearwater			
Monday to Friday								
(F)	(H)	(E)	(L)	(K)	(L)	(H)	(F)	Continues as
Lv. Buy Low Foods	Post Office	Wadleggers Mill	Birch Island: Dee's Store	Vavenby Store	Birch Island: Dee's Store	Post Office	Ar. Buy Low Foods	
—	—	8:00	—	8:15	8:28	8:41	8:45	2
12:00	12:06	12:12	12:18	12:31	12:44	12:57	1:01	2
3:00	3:06	3:12	3:18	3:31	—	—	3:55	2

2 Blackpool

To Blackpool				To Clearwater		
Monday to Friday						
(F)	(B)	(I)	(D)	(I)	(F)	Continues as
Lv. Buy Low Foods	Greer at Mountainview	Clearwater Centre	Jenkins and Ford	Clearwater Centre	Ar. Buy Low Foods	
8:55	9:02	9:12	9:19	9:25	9:32	3
1:10	—	1:17	1:24	1:30	1:37	3
4:05	4:12	4:22	4:29	4:35	4:42	3

3 Community Loop

Monday to Friday							
(F)	(G)	(H)	(F)	(M)	(I)	(F)	Continues as
Lv. Buy Low Foods	Evergreen Acres	Post Office	Buy Low Foods	Dutch Lake Community Centre	Clearwater Centre	Ar. Buy Low Foods	
9:40	9:44	9:49	9:53	—	—	—	3
M 10:00	10:04	10:09	10:13	10:18	10:20	10:27	3
M 10:30	10:34	10:39	10:43	10:48	10:50	10:57	3
11:30	11:34	11:39	11:43	11:48	11:50	11:57	1
1:37	1:41	—	—	—	—	—	1
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M Trip operates Monday, Wednesday and Friday only.

10 Valley Connector

To Kamloops					
Tuesday and Thursday					
Lv. Clearwater	Little Fort	Barriere	Kamloops: Lansdowne at 4th Ave	Kamloops Hospital	Ar. Kamloops: Aberdeen Mall
8:50	9:25	9:45	10:45	10:55	11:05

For service between Vavenby and Clearwater, see **1 Vavenby**. Blue River connection is available on the first Thursday of every month and connects with the Valley Connector to Kamloops. Blue River connection is available on the first Thursday of every month and connects with the Valley Connector to Kamloops.

10 Valley Connector

To Vavenby						
Tuesday and Thursday						
Lv. Kamloops: Aberdeen Mall	Kamloops Hospital	Kamloops: Lansdowne at 4th Ave	Barriere	Little Fort	Clearwater	Ar. Vavenby (K)
2:45	2:55	3:00	3:45	4:15	4:45	5:10

BUS Ready

Children 12 and under ride for free!

Do you know about BusReady?

It's BC Transit's educational program for kids.

Learn more at busready.bctransit.com

