

Clearwater and Area Transit

RIDER'S GUIDE

Effective April 1, 2017



Welcome Aboard

Clearwater Transit provides two kinds of transit service:

- fixed-route service provides service to major destinations and neighbourhoods
- handyDART provides door-to-door service for people unable to ride the scheduled service
- On-Request provides curb-to-curb service to Wyndhaven, Sunshine Valley, and Lower Blackpool areas

About your transit system

Funding for Clearwater 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.

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 transit service. The pass is non-transferable.

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

The BC Bus Pass is not valid for HandyDART or Kamloops service.

handyDART

handyDART is door-to-door, shared transportation within Clearwater for people unable to use the scheduled service. Passengers must register and pre-book their trips 24 hours ahead. Registration is free. Register between 8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. There is a pre-trip orientation for new riders.

Service is available Monday - Friday, 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. and 1:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.

Booking

Before you call, be ready with the following information: name and telephone number, pick up and destination location, time of travel and any mobility equipment (e.g., wheelchair).

If you are 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 will wait for five minutes past your scheduled time.

Fares (one way) \$2.00

On Request Service

Call 250-674-3935 or ask the driver.

2 Blackpool

Passengers can request curb-to-curb service to Wyndhaven, Sunshine Valley, and Lower Blackpool communities on **2 Blackpool** trips.

Trip Times:

Monday through Friday

Wyndhaven – 9:05 a.m., 1:15 p.m., 4:10 p.m.

Sunshine Valley – 9:15 a.m., 1:20 p.m., 4:25 p.m.

Lower Blackpool – 9:20 a.m., 1:25 p.m., 4:30 p.m.

These times are approximate.

Booking Trips

To book a pickup in Wyndhaven, Sunshine Valley, or Lower Blackpool, call 24 hours ahead during office hours (8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.). You can also book your return trip at the same time. The bus can make only one deviation on each **2 Blackpool** trip.

10 Valley Connector TUES AND THURS

To Kamloops	
Clearwater	8:50 am
Little Fort	9:25
Barriere	9:45
Kamloops, Thompson Park Mall	10:45
Kamloops, Hospital	10:55
Ar. Kamloops, Aberdeen Mall	11:05
To Vavenby	
Lv. Kamloops, Aberdeen Mall	2:45 pm
Kamloops, Hospital	2:55
Kamloops, Thompson Park Mall	3:00
Barriere	3:45
Little Fort	4:15
Clearwater	4:45
Ar. Vavenby Store	5:10

For morning service between Vavenby and Clearwater, see **1 Vavenby**.

All trips must be pre-booked. Please call ahead for availability and for service to Blue River. Stops can also include Blackpool, Darfield, McLure and Vinsula.

Office and Route Closure due to Extreme Weather Conditions

In the case of extreme weather conditions, the Clearwater Transit office will follow the lead of School District #73. If the school buses are not running, local transit will also not run.

Fares

Effective April 1, 2017
all fares subject to change

Cash

All passengers	\$ 2.00
Child, 4 or 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. 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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*All bus passes are invalid on these trips. Please have exact change ready. Drivers do not carry change.

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Toll Free 1-855-359-3935

www.bctransit.com

Monday to Friday

Morning		
1 Vavenby		
To Vavenby		
(E) Lv. Wadlegger Mill		8:00 am
(K) Vavenby Store		8:15
To Clearwater		
(L) Birch Island (Dee's Store)		8:28
(H) Post Office		8:41
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods		8:45

2 Blackpool		
To Blackpool		
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods		8:55 am
(B) Greer at Mountainview		9:02
(I) Brookfield Mall		9:12
(D) Jenkins and Ford		9:19
To Clearwater		
(I) Brookfield Mall		9:25
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods		9:32

Morning			
3 Community Loop			
	Mon-Fri	Mon Wed Fri	Mon Wed Fri
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods	9:40 am	10:00 am	10:30 am
(G) Evergreen Acres	9:44	10:04	10:34
(H) Post Office	9:49	10:09	10:39
(F) Buy Low Foods	9:53	10:13	10:43
(M) Dutch Lake Community Centre	—	10:18	10:48
(I) Brookfield Mall	—	10:20	10:50
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods	—	10:27	10:57

■ Trip operates Monday, Wednesday and Friday only.

Mid-Day		
1 Vavenby		
To Vavenby		
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods		12:00 pm
(H) Post Office		12:06
(E) Wadlegger Mill		12:12
(L) Birch Island (Dee's Store)		12:18
(K) Vavenby Store		12:31
To Clearwater		
(L) Birch Island (Dee's Store)		12:44
(H) Post Office		12:57
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods		1:01

2 Blackpool		
To Blackpool		
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods		1:10 pm
(I) Brookfield Mall		1:17
(D) Jenkins and Ford		1:24
To Clearwater		
(I) Brookfield Mall		1:30
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods		1:37

Mid-Day	
3 Community Loop	
	Mon-Fri
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods	11:30 am
(G) Evergreen Acres	11:34
(H) Post Office	11:39
(F) Buy Low Foods	11:43
(M) Dutch Lake Community Centre	11:48
(I) Brookfield Mall	11:50
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods	11:57

Afternoon		
1 Vavenby		
To Vavenby		
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods		3:00 pm
(H) Post Office		3:06
(E) Wadlegger Mill		3:12
(L) Birch Island (Dee's Store)		3:18
(K) Vavenby Store		3:31
To Clearwater		
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods		3:55

2 Blackpool		
To Blackpool		
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods		4:05 pm
(B) Greer at Mountainview		4:12
(I) Brookfield Mall		4:22
(D) Jenkins and Ford		4:29
To Clearwater		
(I) Brookfield Mall		4:35
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods		4:42

Afternoon		
3 Community Loop		
	Mon-Fri	Mon-Fri
(F) Lv. Buy Low Foods	1:37 pm	—
(G) Evergreen Acres	1:41	—
(H) Post Office	—	—
(F) Buy Low Foods	—	—
(M) Dutch Lake Community Centre	—	—
(I) Brookfield Mall	—	2:53 pm
(F) Ar. Buy Low Foods	—	3:00

