

**UB1 UB2** on Saturdays, Sundays & Bank Holidays from 28 Mar - 1 Nov 2026

**PLUS Daily Service** 25-29 May and every day from July - Sept 2026

**UB2** Aira Force • Pooley Bridge • Howtown • Lowther Castle - return

<b>Basecamp North Lakes</b>	10:02		
Dockray The Royal Hotel	10:12		
Park Brow Foot (Aira Force)	10:15	12:15	15:15
Gowbarrow Cottages	10:20	12:20	15:20
Leeming House Hotel	10:23	12:23	15:23
Ullswater Holiday Park	10:28	12:28	15:28
The Quiet Site	10:33	12:33	15:33
The Brackenrigg Inn	10:35	12:35	15:35
Another Place A592	10:36	12:36	15:36
Waterfoot Park	10:40	12:40	15:40
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Steamer Pier	10:49	12:49	15:49
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Guest House	10:50	12:50	15:50
Tirril Queen's Head	10:55	12:55	15:55
Askham Stores	11:01	13:01	16:01
<b>Lowther Castle Car Park</b>	11:07	13:07	16:07

<b>Lowther Castle</b>	11:14	13:14	16:14
Askham Stores	11:20	13:20	16:20
Tirril Queen's Head	11:26	13:26	16:26
Pooley Bridge Inn	11:32	13:32	16:32
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Steamer Pier	11:33	13:33	16:33
Waterfoot Park	11:36	13:36	16:36
Another Place A592	11:39	13:39	16:39
The Brackenrigg Inn	11:40	13:40	16:40
The Quiet Site	11:45	13:45	16:45
Ullswater Holiday Park	11:50	13:50	16:50
Leeming House Hotel	11:55	13:55	16:55
Gowbarrow Cottages	11:58	13:58	16:58
Park Brow Foot (Aira Force)	12:03	14:03	17:03
Leeming House Hotel	09:50	11:50	14:50
Gowbarrow Cottages	09:51	11:51	14:51
Park Brow Foot (Aira Force)	09:53	11:53	14:53

**UB1** The Ullswater Hopper: Aira Force • Pooley Bridge • Howtown - return

<b>Basecamp North Lakes</b>	09:02				
Dockray The Royal Hotel	09:12				
Park Brow Foot (Aira Force)	09:15	11:15	14:15	16:15	17:15
Gowbarrow Cottages	09:20	11:20	14:20	16:20	17:20
Leeming House Hotel	09:23	11:23	14:23	16:23	17:23
Ullswater Holiday Park	09:28	11:28	14:28	16:28	17:28
The Quiet Site	09:33	11:33	14:33	16:33	17:33
The Brackenrigg Inn	09:35	11:35	14:35	16:35	17:35
Another Place A592	09:36	11:36	14:36	16:36	17:36
Waterfoot Park	09:40	11:40	14:40	16:40	17:40
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Steamer Pier	09:46	11:46	14:46	16:46	17:46
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Guest House	09:47	11:47	14:47	16:47	17:47
Hillcroft					
Park Foot Entrance	09:50	11:50	14:50	16:50	17:50
Waterside House	09:51	11:51	14:51	16:51	17:51
Ullswater Yacht Club Gates	09:53	11:53	14:53	16:53	17:53
Howtown	10:02	12:02	15:02	17:02	18:02
<b>The Hause Cattle Grid</b>	10:07	12:07	15:07	17:07	18:07

<b>The Hause Cattle Grid</b>	10:10	12:10	15:10	17:10	18:10
Howtown	10:15	12:15	15:15	17:15	18:15
Ullswater Yacht Club Gates	10:21	12:21	15:21	17:21	18:21
Waterside House	10:22	12:22	15:22	17:22	18:22
Park Foot Entrance	10:24	12:24	15:24	17:24	18:24
Hillcroft					
Pooley Bridge Inn	10:32	12:32	15:32	17:36	18:36
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Steamer Pier	10:33	12:33	15:33	17:37	18:37
Waterfoot Park	10:36	12:36	15:36	17:40	18:40
Another Place A592	10:39	12:39	15:39	17:43	18:43
The Brackenrigg Inn	10:40	12:40	15:40	17:44	18:44
The Quiet Site	10:45	12:45	15:45	17:49	18:49
Ullswater Holiday Park	10:50	12:50	15:50	17:54	18:54
Leeming House Hotel	10:55	12:55	15:55	17:59	18:59
Gowbarrow Cottages	10:58	12:58	15:58	18:02	19:02
Park Brow Foot (Aira Force)	11:03	13:03	16:03	18:07	19:07
Dockray The Royal Hotel				18:09	19:09
<b>Basecamp North Lakes</b>				18:18	19:18

These services are subsidised by SITU and operated by Stagecoach. Visit [stagecoachbus.com/timetables](http://stagecoachbus.com/timetables) for live timetable updates.

### Support sustainable transport

The Ullswater Bus is a community-led service, delivered as part of a wider programme to create a more sustainable and integrated transport system for the Ullswater Valley benefiting residents, local businesses and visitors alike.

To continue this vital work, we need your support. Any donation is an investment in the future of the Ullswater Valley.

A well-connected, sustainable transport system improves quality of life for residents, strengthens local businesses, and enhances the visitor experience all while protecting this special environment.

If you're able to, please consider making a donation. Your generosity helps us maintain current services and plan confidently for future projects that will transform how people travel around the valley.

### Ways to support

One-Time Gifts

Make a single impactful donation

Regular monthly support

Become a sustaining donor

Sponsor a project

Support specific initiatives

Visit [www.situcumbria.org.uk](http://www.situcumbria.org.uk) or donate now using the QR code.

By becoming a supporter of SITU, you are helping to create safer roads, accessible travel options for everyone and protect the environment you live in or visit.



Thank you!

Together, we can keep Ullswater moving sustainably.

### A SITU PROJECT



Sustainable and Integrated Transport for Ullswater  
Registered charity no. 1214271

Thank you so much to the following organisations and to the Ullswater businesses who are helping to make this project possible



### Travel sustainably, by boot, bike, bus and boat!

SITU is a local Ullswater community group working towards a sustainable and integrated transport system for the Ullswater valley which will benefit residents, local businesses and visitors in keeping with the World Heritage status of the Lake District.

The group is working on a variety of projects to improve local transport options, reduce adverse impact that cars can have on the environment and residents, and increase road safety. In addition to the successful Ullswater Hopper Buses and 509 route, the Eamont Way was established in 2023 - a family-friendly footpath connecting Penrith Station and Ullswater.

Visit [situcumbria.org.uk](http://situcumbria.org.uk) for more

2026



# All aboard!

Travel by bus around Ullswater & beyond



Connecting holiday accommodation, walks and more around the valley with destinations such as Helvellyn, Pooley Bridge, Glenridding, Penrith, Keswick, Lowther Castle, Aira Force, Ullswater Steamers and onward transport.

£3 single

under 5s FREE



[situcumbria.org.uk/ullswater-bus](http://situcumbria.org.uk/ullswater-bus)

# Travel sustainably by Bus Bike Boat Boat!

Explore the Ullswater Valley without the car and hop aboard these subsidised SITU bus routes.

## NEW UB2 route for 2026

Aira Force - Pooley Bridge - Askham - Lowther Castle

£3  
single

under  
5s go  
FREE

Daily  
service\*

Dog  
friendly

\*509 service runs daily 23 Mar - 1 Nov 2026. UB1 & UB2 services run weekends and bank holidays 28 Mar - 1 Nov, PLUS Daily 25-29 May AND Jul - Sept 2026. Concessionary fares supported. Ullswater Steamer & Stagecoach tickets available onboard. Wheelchair access. Bicycles must be pre-booked.

Here for a few days or travelling with a group?

North West Passes are available to purchase on board and online via Stagecoach.

- **Explorer:** unlimited travel on the day of purchase
- **3 Day Explorer:** unlimited travel for 3 days
- **Gold 7 Day Mega Rider:** unlimited travel for 7 days
- **Group Explorer:** unlimited travel for up to 5 people for one day
- **3 Day Group Explorer:** unlimited travel over three days for up to 5 people
- **Combined bus and Ullswater Steamer tickets** a one day Explorer pass plus the boat journey

See SITU or Stagecoach websites for up to date prices.



### Did you know...

The fare you pay only covers about a third of the cost of your journey, with SITU raising funds to make up the difference?

Please consider making a donation to help us to continue to run the service.



SITU is a registered charity, no. 1214271

Thank you!

NEW for 2026

509 Service now running DAILY

23 March - 1 November 2026

### 509 Penrith • Rheged • Pooley Bridge • Patterdale • Glenridding • Aira Force • Keswick

Penrith Bus Station Stand 1		11:30	14:30		17:50			
Penrith Rail Station	09:00	11:36	14:36		17:56			
Rheged	09:04	11:42	14:42		18:02			
Dalemain Road End	09:09	11:47	14:47		18:07			
Pooley Bridge Inn	09:20	12:00	15:00		18:20			
Pooley Bridge Steamer Pier	09:21	12:01	15:01		18:21			
Brackenrigg Inn	09:24	12:04	15:04		18:24			
Leeming House Hotel	09:26	12:06	15:06		18:26			
Gowbarrow Cottages	09:27	12:07	15:07		18:27			
Hartsop Road End		10:15	13:15	15:50				
Patterdale Hotel		10:20	13:20	15:55	17:40			
Glenridding Greenside Road		10:25	13:25	16:00	17:45			
Ullswater Glencoyne Car Park								
Aira Force, Park Brow	09:34	10:34	12:14	13:34	15:14	16:09	17:59	18:34
Dockray Road Hotel	09:37	10:37	12:17	13:37	15:17	16:12	18:02	18:37
Matterdale End Brook House Farm	09:40	10:40	12:20	13:40	15:20	16:15	18:05	18:40
Rookin House	09:43	10:43	12:23	13:43	15:23	16:18	18:08	18:43
Troutbeck A66	09:46	10:46	12:26	13:46	15:26	16:21	18:11	18:46
Threlkeld Horse & Farrier	09:54	10:54	12:34	13:54	15:34	16:29	-	18:54
Keswick Bus Station	10:06	11:06	12:46	14:06	15:46	16:41	-	19:06

  School holidays & weekends only
   Mon - Sat only
   
  Operates as service 559 to Grasmere via St Johns-in-the-Vale

### 509 Keswick • Aira Force • Pooley Bridge • Rheged • Penrith • Glenridding • Patterdale

Keswick Bus Station Stand 1	09:15	10:15	11:25	12:50	14:25	15:50	16:50	19:10
Threlkeld Horse & Farrier	09:27	10:27	11:37	13:02	14:37	16:02	17:02	19:22
Troutbeck A66	09:34	10:34	11:44	13:09	14:44	16:09	17:09	19:29
Rookin House	09:37	10:37	11:47	13:12	14:47	16:12	17:12	19:31
Matterdale End Brook House Farm	09:39	10:39	11:49	13:14	14:49	16:14	17:14	19:33
Dockray Road Hotel	09:41	10:41	11:51	13:16	14:51	16:16	17:16	19:36
Aira Force, Park Brow	09:45	10:45	11:55	13:20	14:55	16:20	17:20	19:40
Gowbarrow Cottages		10:53		13:28		16:28		19:48
Leeming House Hotel		10:54		13:29		16:29		19:49
Brackenrigg Inn		10:56		13:31		16:31		19:51
Pooley Bridge Steamer Pier		10:59		13:34		16:34		19:54
Pooley Bridge Ullswater Guest House		11:01		13:36		16:36		19:56
Dalemain Road End		11:13		13:48		16:48		20:06
Rheged		11:19		13:54		16:54		20:11
Penrith Rail Station		11:24		13:59		16:59		20:16
Penrith Bus Station		11:29		14:01		17:04		
Ullswater Glencoyne Car Park	09:49		11:59		14:59			17:24
Glenridding Greenside Road	09:54		12:04		15:04			17:29
Patterdale Hotel	09:59		12:09		15:09			17:34
Hartsop Road End	10:04		12:14		15:14			-

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