

London Bus and Underground Timetables (LBUT)

Amendments and Additions to LBUT (2016) and LBUT Supplement (2018)

Consolidated amendments no. 7, November 2024

For new tables, additional items and amplifications not included in LBUT, see LBUT Supplement published 2018.

Note: The amendments below only cover corrections and additions to publications issued up to 2018. New items published since 2018 are not included, although newly published Greater London Bus Map Historical Series maps with cover dates prior to 2018 are included.

Glossary, Dates

ud = undated; ufn = until further notice; wef = with effect from [each wrongly listed under Binding, folds etc]

Table 1C District Railway

Additional item:

Train services to & from Richmond from 31st July 1933

Table 3 East Surrey

July 1920: delete question mark.

Table 4A: NOTC Watford & North London

Remove the '?' from March and November 1926 entries, as it is confirmed these books were published.

Table 4B: NOTC, Luton & District

The issues listed for 8th June, 1925 ufn, and July 1st, 1925 ufn, were not books, but large double-sided sheets containing all National timetables for Luton, and were printed on dark blue paper. Both timetable sheets refer to the previous operator as: (Late ROAD MOTORS, Ltd.). The books in this table continued to be titled NOTC, Luton & District until May 1930 but had red covers only until February 1930. From March to May they had green covers. June 1930 was the first to be titled 'Eastern National Omnibus Company, Luton & District' but still with an NOTC-style green cover. From July to December 1930, books had a new style cover with a bus picture and were titled 'Eastern National Omnibus Company, Luton Area'.

See new Table 4C in the LBUT Supplement for details of Eastern National Luton Area timetables up to 1934.

Table 6: Other bus and tram operators, 1907-1935

Additional items:

Autocar & Redcar, 08.1928 red cover

Aylesbury Motor 'Bus Co, No 15, 07.1927, No 30 07.1930

Aylesbury Omnibus Co Ltd, No 1 02.1932, No 2 05.1932 orange cover, No 18, 08.1933

Berkhamsted & District Motor Services, ud (c.1937)

Chesham & District Bus Co, 11.1930

Gravesend & Northfleet Electric Tramways Ltd, 08.1904 buff cover

Ilford Council Tramways, 1924 cream cover

Lee & District Bus Service, 05.1933

Lewis Omnibus Co Ltd, Watford, 07.1929, 04.1932, 05.1932 grey cover, 12.1932, 02.1933, 04.1933

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Table 6: Other bus and tram operators, 1907-1935 continued

LGOC Kingston and District, 05.1925 white cover
LGOC Uxbridge Area, 07.1929, 10.1929 white covers
LNWR Omnibus Services, 10.1907 Watford - Bushey Heath, Harrow & Wealdstone, Watford & Croxley Green.
London's Underground, 11.1929 Train & bus services to & from Uxbridge, white cover
Penn Bus Company, 01.1931, 05.1932, 1.8.32 green covers
People's Motor Services, Ware, 09.1931 brown cover, 12.1932
Redcar Services Ltd, Tunbridge Wells, 04.1928, 04.1930, 12.1932, 09.1933, 03.1934 all red covers
Union Jack (Luton) Omnibus Co Ltd, 01.08.1934 timetable Luton, Slip End, Markyate and Flamstead blue cover

Table 6A non Green Line coach operators 1927-1935

See new table in this amendment, pages 6 - 10.

Table 7: Non-LT Local Road & Rail timetable books from 1851

Additional items:

Bromley Mercury, 08.1920

Chiswick - Kelly's Local Timetable: No 21, 1 Jan to 6 July 1924, red cover 80pp

Dunstable - Index Publishers: 10.1935 green cover

Gerrards Cross, Chalfont St Giles and District, - Binder's: January 1936 red cover

Guildford, Biddles ABC 19.9.1955

High Wycombe - Bucks Free Press: December 1929, green cover 80pp; 07.1935, 10.1935 blue cover; Index 09.1938 cream cover

Hitchin - Index: 07.1938 green cover

Hitchin, Letchworth, Stevenage and District - Paternoster & Hales: 10.1934 buff cover

Horsham: D, Burdett: Horsham & Crawley Point to Point timetable: June 1927 green cover

Letchworth, Local Rail and Bus Time Table: - June 1933, red cover 32pp

Luton - Hobbs': No 780 09.1945 cream cover

Maidenhead - 11.1932 green cover

Redhill, - Holmesdale Press: 4.32, blue cover

Romford - Fletcher's Thismunth's: 04.1930 green cover; 03.1932 red cover

Sevenoaks - Caxton & Holmesdale Press: December 1935, blue cover 96pp

St Albans - Cartmel's Thismunth's: 11.1929 blue cover; Bennett's 03.1932 green cover

St Albans & Harpenden - Richardson's: 11.1933 beige cover

Watford - Blower's: No 176 01.01.1922, No 273 03.1930, No 313 01.01.1934, No 314 14.03.1934, No 324 10.1935, all with buff covers

Watford Peacocks: - September 1923, January 1924, both blue cover 96pp

Windsor, Slough and District - Marshall's: 08.1921 russet cover; Thismunth's: 03.1932 red cover

Windsor & Eton - Thismunth's: 07.07.1930 russet cover

Woking - ABC Rail & Bus: 06.1928 green cover; April 1935, orange cover 132pp

Correction:

Chesham, Horsham & Pulborough, Romford, Windsor: Thismuths should read Thismunth's

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Table 8A London Transport area timetable books 1934 to 1937

The London area was defined as all territory within a line which enclosed Woolwich, Abbey Wood, Eltham, Grove Park, Beckenham, West Wickham, Croydon, North Cheam, Kingston, Twickenham, Hounslow, Southall, Greenford, Sudbury, Kenton, Hendon, Whetstone, Chingford, Ilford, Becontree, Dagenham. Places outside that line were: Erith, Welling, Sidcup, Bromley, Keston, Purley, Sutton, Hampton Court, Hayes, Harrow, Mill Hill, High Barnet, Enfield, Chigwell, Romford, Rainham. The boundary between the SE and SW area was a line with Keston and Westerham to the east of it, and Warlingham, Chelsham, Limpsfield, Oxted and Edenbridge to the west. The boundary between the SW and W areas was a line close to the River Thames with Hampton Court and Chertsey to the south of it and with Shepperton, Staines, Egham and Virginia Water to the north. The boundary between the W and NW areas was a line with Hayes, Ruislip, Gerrards Cross, High Wycombe and Penn to the south of it and Harrow, Northwood, Rickmansworth and Amersham to the north. The boundary between the NW and NE areas was a line with Mill Hill, Colney Heath, Wheathampstead and Luton to the west of it, and High Barnet, Welham Green, Hatfield, Kimpton, King's Walden and Hitchin to the east. The boundary between the NE and SE areas was the River Thames with Rainham and Grays to the north of it and Erith, Dartford and Gravesend to the south. See also the notes in the LBUT Supplement.

Table 11B First and Last Passenger Trains

Note that current times of first and last passenger trains on each Underground line are still shown (in 2024) on the TfL website, in the "First & last Tube" section, in the same format as in the red books listed in this table from 1978 to 1982. The general public is therefore able to print out copies at will.

Table 15A LT Local Road & Rail Timetable Books

Cover illustrations: New titles introduced between April and August 1937 (CM, WY, DS, EM, RG, A, plus WA from 7/37) had two-tone blue-green covers. Then all areas adopted three different two-tone colours from September 1937 to late 1939 with leaf green, brown and russet in rotation on successive issues, to help purchasers identify the latest issue.

CM Purley, Caterham, Coulsdon & District: add PY in first column under CM; add footnote (e) after (c)

SA St Albans & District AC Radlett, *Elstree, Borehamwood and District*: add footnote (n)

Footnote (f) revise to: Title changed 9/39. PY became the prefix from 7/39 to 12/40.

Table 15B: LT local road & rail timetable books

'Maps restored' entry for St Albans, Harpenden, Borehamwood, Radlett etc : delete 'by 8/49' add '7/49'.

Table 16A LT/LCBS Area/District Country Bus Timetable Books 1938-78

Footnote (d) N & NE 24.9.52 and 6.5.53 covers, add: 11.6.52.

Page 7 of LBUT Supplement (2018): add 'also' to 'the 370/370A timetable was now [also] included in the North-East District book. [from June 1965]

Table 17: Central Area bus timetable books 1936-78

Amend footnote (e) to read: 'Included times for trams and trolleybuses from 11.10.50 to 6.1.52 on buff pages (which with ageing become similar in colour to the normal white pages), on pale orange pages 14.5.52; Included times for trolleybuses (on normal white pages) from 6.8.52 to 11.10.61'.

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Table 20: Night bus leaflets, maps and booklets 1952-98

Footnote (h) relates to a single sheet amendment to the booklet dated May 13 1972.

Footnote (k): this item would be better described as a multi-fold leaflet printed on pale blue paper with dark blue print like the booklets in Table 20D.

Table 21: Local bus timetable books 1981-1987

Footnotes: Style 1 In first line, amend '(or blue, see footnote d)' to read '(or blue, see footnote h)'

Table 27A: LT Allocation books 1970-1990

Amendment no 11 to book dated 18 April 1970 should read: '27.06.71 cancelled'

Amendment no 12 should read: '31.07.71'

Additional item: 28 July 1984, Adt No 3: 18.05.85

Table 29A London Country A5 Area Bus Timetable Books 1978-1982

4. Crawley and East Grinstead 7.78: add #ud

9. West Hertfordshire 2.81: add footnote [5]; 27.3.82 add #ud

10. Central Hertfordshire 8.78: amend #9.78 to #ud

11. Harlow and Hertford 31.3.79: add #ud; delete #30.8.80 [2]

Delete: Footnote [2] (for which see Table 29C)

Add: Footnote [5] Red cover sticker: "NEW February 1981 Edition"

Add under # Alteration leaflet: those shown as #ud are assumed to have been issued with the original book.

Dates of alteration leaflets relate to the most recent entry included.

Table 29B London Country A5 Area Bus Timetable Books 1982-1985

5. Tandridge 23.7.83: add #23.7.83

9. West Hertfordshire 4.6.83: add #28.1.84, add #12.5.84, add #1.9.84 [5]

10. Central Hertfordshire 2.7.83: add #22.10.83, delete #28.1.84, delete #12.5.84, delete #1.9.84 [5]

10. Central Hertfordshire 28.1.84: add #12.5.84

Dates of alteration leaflets relate to the most recent entry included.

Table 29C Non-standard A5 Local Timetable Books 1977-1986

Stevenage Bus, Your guide to the new local bus services 20.4.80: amend date to 26.4.80

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Table 29D Joint Herts CC/LCBS Local Bus Timetable Books 1980

Hemel Hempstead and Berkhamsted: amend brown ST45 to pink ST48
Tring: amend pale bronze to apricot

Table 29F: Travellers Times Local Timetable Books 1985-1986

At end of preamble: amend 'Table 29H' to read 'Table 29J'

Table 29H: Joint LCBS, Maidstone & District and Southdown A5 timetable books 1976-1979

Supplement No. 1 13.8.78 delete: '?' add: 'ST16'

Table 29J Travellers Times A5 timetable books

Beneath Crawley and East Grinstead item dated 26 October 1986, add to next entry:
21 February 1987 ST48 [as also shown in Table 68]

Table 31 Key to footnotes Table 30

(a) add: Similar to London Tube map size. (b) add: From 1974, black print for the Central London map.

Table 53: Eastern National, Thamesway, First Essex books, from 1986

Thamesway books (for western Essex)

23.3.92, Bus Times for the Bus Network in and around Brentwood and Romford, delete: 'MF28' add: 'ST28'
ud (7.03.94), Bus Times in and around Brentwood and Romford, delete: 'MF48' add: 'ST48'

Table 68 London Country South West etc

Amend TT footnote to read: TT: Travellers Times

Table 75: Independent publishers

National Transport Timetables (NTT): Amend title of issue No 3 to: Green Line Coach Services.

Table 75 The Greater London Bus Map (as shown in Supplement (2018))

The Historical Series Revised list

3rd October 1934	6th July 1952
11th June 1939	6th July 1952 Second Edition
11th June 1939 Second Edition	30th April 1958
18th December 1940	30th April 1958 Second Edition
18th December 1940 Second Edition	19th July 1964
6th January 1943	19th July 1964 Second Edition
6th January 1943 Second Edition	1st January 1970
26th June 1946	1st January 1970 Second Edition
26th June 1946 Second Edition	10th April 1976