

Passenger Train Services over Unusual Lines

Summer 2004

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Unless otherwise indicated, trains operated Sunday 23 May to Sunday 26 September 2004. All dates quoted are inclusive, but services and timings may be altered on public holidays.

Even though the first phase of the Channel Tunnel Rail Link did not feature on the National Rail Timetable Map, it was included in tables 350-352 and is not therefore regarded as a candidate for inclusion in **PSUL**.

Explanation of references: refer to the Introduction

ENGLAND - EAST MIDLANDS

Sheet Stores Jn - Stenson Jn [53] (50,53) CC

No service shown in timetable but diversions - using this route - of certain trains between Nottingham and Birmingham planned from 13 to 24 September 2004

Beighton Jn - Tapton Jn [53,56] (51,53) YE {new route from 24 May 2004, previously diversions only}

2025 SSuX Newcastle - Birmingham New Street

Trent East Jn - Toton Jn [53] (53) CJ

Trains between Manchester Piccadilly/Stockport and Leicester not booked to call intermediately (*except* Sundays to 25 July) - but note that these trains ceased after use on Friday 10 September 2004

0614 SSuX Leeds - St Pancras

Toton Jn - Trowell Jn [53] (49,53) CJ

All trains in previous entry

Syston North Jn - Syston East Jn [42] (49) CJ

D1 1252 SuO, D1 1452 SuO Liverpool Lime St - Norwich

D1 1352 SuO Norwich - Liverpool Lime St

D1 1554 SuO Norwich - Manchester Piccadilly

1930 SuO Norwich - Nottingham

0459 SSuX, 0625 SO, 0642 SSuX, 1237 SuO Nottingham - Norwich

2058 SSuX Spalding - Nottingham

(D1 = until 25 July)

Thrumpton West Jn - Retford West Jn (high level platform 2) [54] (30) YE
0518 SuX Barnsley - Retford
2027 SO Huddersfield - Retford
0653/0654 SuX, 2244 SuX Retford - Sheffield
2149 SSuX Sheffield - Retford

[Harrowden Jn -] Irchester South (site) - Souldrop (site) [- Sharnbrook Jn] (via Up & Down Slow (Wymington deviation) and Wymington / Sharnbrook tunnel) - see *South East England (North) section*

Trent Junctions - Wrawby Jn [54,63] (30) YE
SO trains between Retford and Barnetby

Barkston East Jn - Allington Jn [54] (19) YA
Trains between Nottingham and Sleaford / Boston not booked to call at Grantham

ENGLAND - GREATER LONDON

Old Oak Common West - Northolt Jn [20] (115) PA/CG
2021 SSuX High Wycombe - Paddington

Strawberry Hill Jn - Fulwell Jn [16] (149,153) WH
SSuX trains between Strawberry Hill and Fulwell

Sudbury Jn - Willesden West London Jn (via Willesden Relief Lines diveunder) [20] (66) CB
All SN trains between Clapham Jn and Watford Jn (*except* 1455 SSuX Brighton - Watford Jn, 2137 SSuX Gatwick Airport - Watford Jn, 0628 SSuX, 0718 SSuX Watford Jn - Clapham Jn)

Acton Main Line (Acton East/Poplar Jn) - Acton Wells Jn - West London Jn (reversible line) - Mitre Bridge Jn [20] (51,125) LC
Table 51 trains between Reading, Kensington Olympia and East Croydon

Willesden - Mitre Bridge Jn [20] (51,63,66) CB/LC
Normal routes:

- table 51 VT trains between Reading and East Croydon: South West lines to/from Acton Wells Jn
- table 186 SS trains to/from Willesden Jn High Level: High Level lines to/from Willesden Jn High Level
- table 186 SN trains to/from Watford Jn: Branch lines to/from West London Jn

Willesden Suburban Jn - Kensal Green Jn [20] (59) CB/LC
1807 SO, 2236 SuO, 2257 SuX North Woolwich - Willesden Jn Low Level
0600 SuX Willesden Jn Low Level - North Woolwich
0613 SuX Willesden Jn Low Level - Stratford Low Level

Camden Jn - Camden Road West Jn [21] (59,400,401) CB
No service shown in timetable but diversions - using this route - of trains between North Woolwich and Willesden Jn (Low Level) planned for Saturdays to 19 June and Sundays to 4 July 2004 and of ScotRail *Caledonian Sleepers*

planned for period from Saturday (Euston's morning arrivals) 28 August until Sunday (Euston's evening departures) 5 September 2004

Camden Road Central Jn - Freight Terminal Jn (Kings Cross) [21] (400,401)
LB/YA {new route from 28 August to 5 September 2004 only}

No service shown in timetable but diversions - using this route - of ScotRail *Caledonian Sleepers* planned for period from Saturday (Euston's morning arrivals) 28 August until Sunday (Euston's evening departures) 5 September 2004

[**note:** Freight Terminal Jn (Kings Cross) renamed Copenhagen Jn from 29 March 2005]

Point Pleasant Jn - East Putney [21] (158) WH

0501 SuX Basingstoke - Waterloo

0105 SSuX Waterloo - Southampton Central

Latchmere Jns - Clapham Jn [21] (51,186) WB

Normal routes:

- table 51 VT trains between Reading and East Croydon and table 186 SN trains between Watford Jn and East Croydon: West London lines and Clapham Jn platforms 16 and 17
- table 186 SS trains between Willesden Jn High Level and Clapham Jn: Latchmere Reversible line and Clapham Jn platform 2

Latchmere No 1 Jn - Latchmere No 3 Jn - Longhedge Jn - Factory Jn [21] (51) WB

0515 SO Gatwick Airport - Macclesfield

Factory Jn - Stewarts Lane Jn - Grosvenor Bridge Jn (south-eastern side) [21] (195,196,199,200,212) WB

1916 SSuX and 1946 SSuX Victoria - Dartford

To Victoria:

Principal use (SE trains from the Up Atlantic Line):

from Dartford at 0823 SO / 0923 SuX and half-hourly to 1523 SuX / 1823 SO

from Faversham at 0545 SO / 0945 SuX and half-hourly to 1844 SuX / 1945 SO, then hourly to 2045 SuX, and at 0615 SuO and hourly to 2215 SuO

from Orpington at 0701 SuO and hourly to 1001 SuO

from Sevenoaks at 0811 SuO and hourly to 1011 SuO, then half-hourly to 1811 SuO, then hourly to 2111 SuO

Also less frequent, non-standard pattern trains outside these hours.

[**note:** equivalent SE outbound services to the Down Atlantic Line tend to use the Chatham Reversible Line to Voltaire Road Jn]

Nine Elms Jn - Linford Street Jn [21] (350,351,352) WB

All *Eurostars* to/from Waterloo International

Streatham North Jn - Streatham South Jn (via reversible fast spur) [17] (182) WF

0628 SO, 0728 SO Dorking - Victoria

0728/0733 SSuX, 0805 SO/1005 SuX and hourly to 1505 SuX/1805 SO

Horsham - Victoria

[**note:** this routing not actually indicated in working timetable but it is *presumed* that these trains were still routed as in previous timetable]

Brixton Jn - Canterbury Road Jn - Cambria Jn [21] (195,212,350) WB

0701 SSuX Bruxelles Midi - Waterloo International

0923 SSuX Dartford - Victoria

0527/0529 SSuX Ramsgate - Victoria

0808 SSuX Victoria - Faversham

1656 SSuX Victoria - Ashford International [*reportedly not reliable by this route*]

2311 SSuX Victoria - Canterbury West

2341 SSuX Victoria - Gillingham

[**note:** other trains between Victoria and Denmark Hill booked to run via the Atlantic Lines]

Tulse Hill Jn - Leigham Jn [17] (177) WF

1550 SSuX Streatham Hill - London Bridge

N 0536 SO Victoria - London Bridge (staff)

Seven Sisters Jn - South Tottenham West Jn and South Tottenham East Jn - Tottenham South Jn [21] (21,22) LB

0817 SSuX Cheshunt - Stratford

1745/1748 SSuX Stratford - Cheshunt

[**note:** these trains temporarily diverted direct from Seven Sisters to Liverpool Street from approx. 23 August 2004 until 5 November 2004]

Northumberland Park Staff Platform - Seven Sisters [*London Underground*] [26]

[**notes:** only accessible from platforms 4 and 5 at Seven Sisters; Northumberland Park Staff Platform not accessible to the public]

Some Victoria Line public services starting / terminating at Seven Sisters (at approx. 20 or 30 min intervals) work as unadvertised staff trains from / to Northumberland Park *except* during SSuX peak hours. From 5 July 2004 four such staff trains operated to/from the Cleaning Shed instead of the Staff Platform.

South Bermondsey Jn - Bricklayers Arms Jn (via spur or reversible line) [22] (178) WF

Principal uses:

- departures *from* London Bridge half-hourly between 0825 SO/0955 SSuX and 1555 SSuX/1855 SO
- SuX trains *terminating* at London Bridge having been booked to call at any station between Sydenham and Brockley

Beckenham Jn - New Beckenham [18] (203) WC

0857 SSuX Charing Cross - Beckenham Junction

Lewisham Vale Jn - Tanner's Hill Jn (via St John's reversible flyover line) [22] (199,200) WC

Principal use: trains *from* Lewisham *to* Charing Cross not booked to call at New Cross - but *not* during the outbound SSuX evening peak period when the route is used by departures from Charing Cross to Barnehurst, Dartford, Gravesend,

Hayes and Slade Green at 1628, 1655, 1702, 1717, 1724, 1739, 1746, 1801, 1808, 1826, 1843

Ravensbourne Jn - Shortlands Jn (Ravensbourne Chord - diveunder) [18]
(195,212) WB

[**note:** only accessible to or from Shortlands platforms 1 and 2]

Principal uses:

- most Catford line stopping trains
- most trains from Victoria to Bromley South at x.11 (SuX) and x.41 (headcodes 54 (SuO) and 92 (SuX))
- most trains from Bromley South to Victoria at x.23 and x.53 (SuX) (headcode 92)

- *except* any trains in next entry

Ravensbourne Jn - Shortlands Jn (Catford Loop Lines - ground level) [18]
(195,196,212) WB

[**note:** only accessible to or from Shortlands platforms 3 and 4]

From Victoria:

SSuX: 0610, 0641, 0740, 0808, 0818, 1541, 1623, 1656, 1709, 1727, 1733, 1750, 1804, 2141, 2311, 2341

SO: 2311

SuO: 0741, 0756, 0841

From Blackfriars:

SSuX: 1800, 1805

SO: 2313

To Victoria:

from Ashford International at 0620/0623 SSuX, 0636/0639 SSuX, 1527 SSuX, 1631 SSuX, 2208 SSuX

from Canterbury West at 0747 SSuX

from Dover Priory at 0546/0549 SSuX, 1549/1552 SSuX

from Faversham at 0615 SuO, 1614 SSuX, 1945 SO, 2045 SuX, 2115 SuO, 2145 SuX

from Folkestone Harbour at D 1440 ThO (VSOE connection from Venezia S Lucia)

from Maidstone East at 0615 SSuX

from Orpington at 0701 SuO, 0801 SuO

from Ramsgate at 0527/0529 SSuX, 2210 SSuX

from Sevenoaks at 0811 SuO

0701 SSuX Bruxelles Midi - Waterloo International

Copper Mill Jn - Temple Mills East Jn - former Chobham Farm Jn - Stratford
[platform 11/12] [22] (21,22) LB

0817 SSuX Cheshunt - Stratford

1745/1748 SSuX Stratford - Cheshunt

[**note:** these trains temporarily diverted between Temple Mills East Jn and Stratford (main line platforms) via Channelsea Jns from 3 May 2004 until approx. 20 August and again from 8 November 2004; during the August - November period, both trains were diverted to run direct between Seven Sisters and Liverpool Street.]

Parks Bridge Jn - Ladywell Jn (Ladywell Loop) [22] (203) WC

SuX trains to and from the Catford Bridge line *not* booked to call at Lewisham

Forest Gate Jn - Woodgrange Park Jn and Barking Station Jn - Tilbury Line Jn West (via T&H Lines Flyover) [22] (1) LA

2258 SSuX, 2358 SSuX Liverpool Street - Shoeburyness

2120 SSuX, 2235 SSuX Shoeburyness - Liverpool Street

[**note:** trains to or from the T&H line on Table 62 use Barking bay platform line 1]

Chislehurst Jn - St Mary Cray Jn (via reversible Chatham loop) [18] (196,212) WB

Through SSuX trains between Cannon St and Chatham or beyond

Through SuX trains from Cannon St to the Maidstone East line

St Mary Cray Jn - Chislehurst Jn (via up Chatham loop) [18] (196) WB

Through SuX trains from the Maidstone East line to Charing Cross or Cannon St

Bickley Jn - Petts Wood Jn (via fast Tonbridge loop) [18] (195) WB/WC

0536 SSuX, 0552 SO, 0718 SSuX, 0748 SSuX Orpington - Blackfriars

Slade Green Jn - Perry Street Fork Jn [38] (200) WC

SSuX trains between Barnehurst and Slade Green

ENGLAND - NORTH EAST

King Edward Bridge South Jn - Gateshead High Level Bridge Jn [75] (26,48)

YD [common with next entry between King Edward Bridge East Jn and Greensfield Jn]

1758 SSuX Bristol Temple Meads - Newcastle

0830 SSuX, 1536 SSuX Carlisle - Middlesbrough

1548 SO Glasgow Central - Newcastle

2315 SSuX Hexham - Newcastle

1445 SO Hexham - Sunderland

1922 SSuX Liverpool Lime St - Newcastle

1241 SSuX MetroCentre - Morpeth

1230 SSuX, 1240 SO, 1530 SO MetroCentre - Newcastle

0210 SSuX Newcastle - Manchester Airport

1044 SO, 1804 SSuX Newcastle - MetroCentre

D 0905 SO Paignton - Newcastle

0718/0719 SuX Saltburn - Newcastle

0720 SO Seaham - Hexham

1539 SSuX York - Newcastle

[**note:** apart from those *starting* from Newcastle, trains use route *inward* bound to Newcastle]

King Edward Bridge North Jn - Gateshead Park Lane Jn [75] (46) YD [common with previous entry between King Edward Bridge East Jn and Greensfield Jn]

0521 SO Manchester Airport - Newcastle

0730 SSuX Newcastle - Sunderland

1645 SuO Sunderland - Liverpool Lime St

1930 SuO, 2100 SSuX Sunderland - Newcastle

Darlington South Jn - North Jn (via main line avoiding station) [68] (26) YA
Trains between York and Newcastle not booked to call at Darlington,
Middlesbrough or Sunderland

Stockton Hartburn Jn - Stockton Cut Jn [68] (46) YD
1220 SuO, 1513 SuO Darlington - Hartlepool
1335 SuO, 1624 SuO Hartlepool - Darlington

ENGLAND - NORTH WEST

Blackpool Lytham Road tram stop - Manchester Square junction [*Blackpool Transport*] [60]

Early morning journeys from Rigby Road depot towards Cleveleys advertised to start at Lytham Road tram stop (note L in timetable). [For times see Blackpool Transport Tram timetable leaflet]

[**note:** journeys from the Cleveleys direction advertised to terminate at Rigby Road after midnight no longer advertised to run to Lytham Road tram stop]

Bare Lane Jn - Hest Bank Jn [60] (83,98) CE
2133/2135 SuX Manchester Airport - Morecambe - Barrow-in-Furness

Frodsham Jn - Halton Jn [51] (81) CE
0825 SO Chester - Runcorn

Golborne Jn - Lowton Jn - Newton le Willows Jn [51,60] (92) CE
0653 SuX Wigan North Western - Liverpool Lime St

Warrington Bank Quay - Walton Old Jn - Acton Grange Jn [51] (65,81) CE

Arrivals at Warrington Bank Quay from the Runcorn East line:

SSuX: 0727, 0753, 1548, 2227

SO: 1548, 1647, 2027, 2227, 2327

SuO: 1002, 1102, 1632, 1849, 2028

Departures from Warrington Bank Quay to the Runcorn East line:

MO: 0013

SSuX: 0750, 0850, 0950, 1050, 1150, 1350, 1450, 1534, 1550, 1650, 1751, 1817, 2151, 2328

SO: 0750, 0850, 0950, 1050, 1150, 1250, 1350, 1450, 1532, 1550, 1632, 1650, 1750, 2050, 2150, 2328

SuO: 0924, 0928, 1058, 1214, 1340, 1523, 1656, 1814, 1945, 2047, 2153

Clitheroe - Hellifield Jn [61] (94) CE

Dated Sunday trains between Blackburn and the Settle & Carlisle line

Heald Green North Jn - Heald Green South Jn [52] (65,84) CE

D1 0115 MSuX Crewe - Manchester Piccadilly

D1 1728/1733 SSuX Manchester Piccadilly - Cardiff Central

[D1 = except 21 June - 2 July]

¶ SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS (until 0500 Mondays), also DAILY 3 JULY TO 5 SEPTEMBER 2004:

Trains between Crewe/Wilmslow and Manchester Piccadilly (*except* those calling at Manchester Airport)

[**notes:** schedules shown in National Rail and derivative timetables for 26 July to

26 September generally applied instead from 3 July to 5 September while Stockport was closed to rail traffic in all directions; as part of the programme of West Coast Route Modernisation work at Stockport, long-distance trains between Crewe and Manchester thereafter used this route most weekends, or Sundays (in which case, 2300 Saturdays to 0500 Mondays)].

Heaton Norris Jn - Ashton Moss North Jn [58] CE [Common with next entry south of Denton Jn]

No service shown in timetable but diversions to/from Manchester Victoria (instead of Piccadilly) - using this route - planned for trains between Manchester and Chester (via Altrincham) and between Manchester and Buxton, SuX 21 June - 2 July 2004

Heaton Norris Jn - Guide Bridge Station Jn [58] (78) CE [Common with previous entry south of Denton Jn]

1527 FO Stalybridge - Stockport

[**note:** suspended from 9 July to 3 September, during engineering work at Stockport]

Dinting West Jn - Dinting East Jn [52] (79) CE

1635 SSuX and approx. every 20 mins to 1925 SSuX Hadfield - Manchester Piccadilly

0645 SSuX and approx. every 20 mins to 0824 SSuX Manchester Piccadilly - Hadfield

2322 SuX Manchester Piccadilly - Glossop

ENGLAND - SOUTH EAST (NORTH)

Didcot East Jn - Didcot North Jn (via avoiding line) [34] (116) PA

Up trains from Oxford to Reading (or beyond) not booked to call at Didcot Parkway

Most down trains from Reading to Oxford (or beyond) not booked to call at Didcot Parkway, *except* to avoid conflict with up trains. For this timetable period only - booked down trains via avoiding line were: from Reading to Oxford (or beyond): 0605 SSuX, 0635 SuX, 0650 SO, 0735 SuX, 0805 SuX, 0835 SuX, 0905 SSuX, 0935 SX (2), 0952 SSuX, 1005 SuO (2), 1010 SO, 1017 SuO (1), 1020 SSuX, 1035 SuO (2), 1037 SO, 1050 SSuX, 1105 SuO, 1119 SuO, 1135 (2), 1139 SSuX, 1150 SSuX, 1205 SuO, 1217 SuO (1), 1235 SuO (2), 1250 SSuX, 1305 SuO, 1317 SuO (1), 1335 SX (2), 1405 SuO, 1417 SuO (1), 1435 SX (2), 1450 SSuX, 1505 SX, 1517 SuO (1), 1531 SuO, 1535 SSuX, 1550 SSuX, 1605, 1617 SuO (1), 1635 SuX, 1705, 1717 SuO (1), 1735 SX (2), 1737 SO, 1805 SuO (2), 1821 SSuX, 1835 SuO (2), 1838 SO, 1854 SO, 1905, 1935 SuO (2), 2005 SSuX, 2017 SuO (1), 2020 SSuX, 2105 (2), 2117 SuO (1), 2220 SO, 2221 SuO (1), 2324 SuO. Also: 1038 SO Bournemouth - Glasgow Central; 1827 SSuX Paddington - Hereford. [**note:** (1) includes Sundays until 25 July only; (2) includes Sundays from 1 August only]

[Harrowden Jn -] Irchester South (site) - Souldrop (site) [- Sharnbrook Jn] (via Up & Down Slow (Wymington deviation) and Wymington / Sharnbrook tunnel) [43] (53) CJ

0639 SSuX Matlock - St.Pancras [*to be overtaken by 0614 Leeds, 0705 Sheffield and 0637/0647 Manchester Piccadilly/0754 Derby - St.Pancras*]

¶ SUNDAYS TO 25 JULY 2004:

Trains between Bedford and Kettering until noon

Watford North Jn - Watford East Jn [*London Underground*] [23]

0517/0519 SuX Chesham - Watford

0549 SuX, 0604 SuX, 0647 SuO, 0659 SuO, 0704 SuO, 0714 SuO

Rickmansworth - Watford

0026 MO, 0037 MO, N 0050 MX Watford - Rickmansworth

Langley Jn (up) - Langley South Jn (via up Hertford spur) [36] (24) YA

[**note:** accessible only from platform 1]

Up trains to the Hertford North line from points north of Stevenage

[**note:** most trains via Hertford North *starting* at Stevenage normally use the down, reversible, spur; check locally for the occasional exceptions]

Welwyn Garden City flyover [36] (24) YA

[**note:** accessible only from platforms 3 and 4]

Most *starting* up local trains [check locally for the occasional exceptions]

Ely North Jn - Ely West Jn (via west curve) [44] (17) LB

1043 SO Norwich - Peterborough

1554 SuO Norwich - Manchester Piccadilly

Shenfield - Mountnessing Jn (via reversible Southend Loop) [36] (5) LA

[**note:** accessible only from Shenfield platforms 4 and 5]

Principal use is by most down local trains to the Southend or Southminster lines from Shenfield - but check locally for use of platform 4 or 5

Colchester Jn - East Gate Jn (via Down Avoiding line) [37] (11) LA

[**note:** accessible *only* from platforms 1 and 2; trains starting at Colchester often use the reversible Clacton Single line]

Down trains to the Clacton line from points south of Colchester

Manningtree North Jn - East Jn [37] (11) LA

Direct trains between Harwich International and Ipswich

[**note:** services suspended during period of Ipswich tunnel closure - 11 July to 5 September 2004]

ENGLAND - SOUTH EAST (SOUTH)

Mulberry Halt - Jetty Halt [*Marchwood Military Railway*] [9]

[**note:** Ministry of Defence site, not normally accessible to general public]

N 1230 SSuX, N 1600 FO, N 1645 FSSuX Jetty Halt - Mulberry Halt (staff)

N 0745 SSuX, N 1335 SSuX Mulberry Halt - Jetty Halt (staff)

Portsmouth & Southsea Low Level - Blackfriars Jn [10] (157) WG

Most trains terminating or starting at Portsmouth & Southsea - check locally for the occasional exception.

Reading West Jn - Oxford Road Jn [35] (51) PA/WG

0710 SO Edinburgh - Bournemouth
0749 SO Glasgow Central - Bournemouth
0838 SO Bournemouth - Aberdeen
1038 SO Bournemouth - Glasgow Central
1138 SO Bournemouth - Edinburgh

Reading New Jn - Reading Spur Jn [35] (148) PA/WH

[**note:** only accessible from platforms 4,5,6,8,9 and 10 at Reading]
Through trains between Oxford and Guildford or beyond; the line is also used by a few Guildford line starting/terminating trains booked from/to platforms *other than* 4A or 4B at Reading - check locally.

Addlestone Jn - Byfleet Jn [15] (149) WH

1917 SSuX Waterloo - Woking (via Staines)
2106 SSuX Woking - Staines

Stoats Nest Jn - Earlswood (via Quarry line) [12] (186) WE

Most trains between London Victoria or East Croydon and Gatwick Airport not booked to call at Redhill (*except* between 2340 and 0530).

Newhaven Harbour Jn - Newhaven Harbour [platform 3 = Marine platform]

[12] WE
N 2130 SSuX Newhaven Harbour - Lewes

Crayford Spur B Jn - Crayford Spur A Jn [38] (200) WC

SuX trains between Crayford and Slade Green.

Sittingbourne Western Jn - Middle Jn [13] (212) WA

0500 SSuX Gillingham - Sheerness-on-Sea
2100 SSuX Sheerness-on-Sea - Gillingham

Ashford International: junction with Maidstone Relief line (58m 30ch) - junction with main line (58m 61ch), via Maidstone lines [13] (196) WA

Most trains between Maidstone East and Ashford International use the Maidstone Relief line (to reach platforms 5 and 6) but the following use the original Maidstone lines (or the parallel Maidstone Loop line):

D 1121 ThO Victoria - Folkestone Harbour (*VSOE* connection to Venezia S Lucia)
1448 SSuX Victoria - Ashford International
1024 SSuX, 1530/1532 SSuX Canterbury West - Victoria
0620/0623 SSuX, 1631/1632 SSuX, 1731 SSuX Ashford International - Victoria
D 1440 ThO Folkestone Harbour - Victoria (*VSOE* connection from Venezia S Lucia)

Folkestone Harbour - Folkestone East [13] WA

D 1115 ThSuO Victoria - Folkestone Harbour (*VSOE* connection to Venezia S Lucia)
D 1440 ThSuO Folkestone Harbour - Victoria (*VSOE* connection from Venezia S Lucia)

[**notes:** see *VSOE* publicity for dates of operation; Sunday service operates only on a limited number of Sundays in the shoulder period, on a weekly notice basis]

Minster Station and West Jn - Minster South Jn [14] (207) WA
SSuX trains between Minster and Sandwich

ENGLAND - SOUTH WEST

Coombe Jn (Coombe No. 1 ground frame) - Coombe [2] (140) PC

Trains booked to call at Coombe

[**note:** other trains reverse at Coombe No. 1 ground frame]

[Crediton -] site of Coleford Jn - Okehampton [3] (136) PC

[**note:** track from Crediton to site of Coleford Jn is Network Rail (former L&SW down line), thence to Okehampton is owned and controlled by Aggregate Industries plc]

Summer Sunday trains

[**note:** Sampford Courtenay - Okehampton section of line also used by Dartmoor Railway on Saturdays (but *not* the other days shown in Dartmoor Railway 2004 timetable leaflet)]

Bishops Lydeard - Norton Fitzwarren (WSR boundary) [West Somerset Railway] [8] {previously a "Regular but infrequent" route}

D 1215 Minehead - Norton Fitzwarren and back [operated during Blue and Yellow timetable periods]

[**notes:** Passengers could not join or alight at Norton Fitzwarren. Additionally, on one or more days of "special event" weekends trains may use this section.]

Stoke Gifford Jn and Patchway Jn - Filton West Jn - Holesmouth Jn [28] PC

No service shown in timetable but diversions - using this route - of trains between Newport and Bristol Temple Meads and between Bristol Parkway and Bristol Temple Meads planned for the period 14-27 June 2004

Bristol Dr.Days Jn - Feeder Bridge Jn [28] (125,132) PC

Trains between Bath Spa and Filton Abbey Wood, Bristol Parkway or beyond not booked to call at Bristol Temple Meads (see Table 132), including those diverted from the direct Swindon - Bristol Parkway route

Clink Road Jn - Blatchbridge Jn (via Frome avoiding line) [9] (135) PC

Trains between Reading and Taunton, *except* trains calling at Bristol Temple Meads or Bath Spa and *Night Riviera*

Heywood Road Jn - Fairwood Jn (via Westbury avoiding line) [9] (135) PC

Trains between Reading and Taunton, *except* trains calling at Westbury, Bristol Temple Meads or Bath Spa and *Night Riviera*

Westbury East Loop Jn - Hawkeridge Jn [9] (125,135,405,406) PC

¶ TUESDAY TO SATURDAY MORNINGS:

2350 SSuX Paddington - Penzance

2200 SSuX Penzance - Paddington

¶ MONDAY MORNINGS TO 26 JULY 2004:

D 2350 SuO Paddington - Penzance

D 2100 SuO Penzance - Paddington

Additionally, diversions - using this route - of trains between Reading and Bristol/South Wales planned for Sunday mornings and early afternoons of 4, 11,18 and 25 July.

Laverstock North Jn - Laverstock South Jn [9] (158) WG {new route from 23 May 2004}
1505 SO Edinburgh - Southampton Central
0836 SuO Southampton Central - Aberdeen

ENGLAND - WEST MIDLANDS

Bushbury Jn - Portobello Jn [47] (65,68,401) CC
2023 SO Macclesfield - Birmingham New St
D 0951 SO Preston - Paignton

Darlaston Jn - Bescot Jn [47] (65,68) CC
All trains in previous entry *plus*:
0513 SO Cambridge - Shrewsbury
0518 SO Birmingham New St - Holyhead
0523 SO Birmingham New St - Liverpool Lime St
2023 SO Birmingham New St - Chester
2058 SO Birmingham New St - Shrewsbury
1751 SSuX Glasgow Central - Birmingham New St
0150 MSSuX Holyhead - Birmingham New St
0615 SSuX Preston - Plymouth
2141 SSuX Preston - Birmingham New St

Galton Jn - Smethwick West [47] (71) CC {existing route with reduced weekday service from 23 May 2004}
2050 SO Cardiff Central - Birmingham New St
1818 SuO Newcastle - Bristol Temple Meads
1940 SSuX Plymouth - Birmingham New St
1708 SSuX Worcester Foregate St - Birmingham New St
¶ SUNDAYS:
Trains between Stourbridge Jn and Birmingham New St

Soho South Jn - Perry Barr North Jn [48] (68,70) CC [common with next entry between Soho East Jn and Perry Barr West Jn]
1751 SSuX Glasgow Central - Birmingham New St
0720 SSuX, 2028 SSuX Hednesford - Birmingham New St
2023 SO Macclesfield - Birmingham New St
0725/0728 SuX, 0857 SuX and hourly to 1758 SO/1800 SSuX Stafford - Birmingham New St
0915 SuX, 1015 SO, 1115 SuX and hourly to 1715 SuX Walsall - Birmingham New St

Soho North Jn - Perry Barr South Jn [48] (68) CC [common with previous entry between Soho East Jn and Perry Barr West Jn]
2058 SSuX Manchester Piccadilly/2118 SSuX Macclesfield - Birmingham New St
D 0843 SO Paignton - Preston

Birmingham Grand Jn - St Andrew's Jn - Bordesley Jn - Small Heath South Jn [48] (51,71) CG [partly common with next entry]
Trains between Birmingham New St and Tyseley or Solihull, and *Virgin Cross-*

country trains between Birmingham New Street and Leamington Spa not booked to call at Coventry (*except* on Saturdays from 31 July).

Birmingham Grand Jn - St Andrew's Jn - Bordesley Jn - Lifford East Jn - Kings Norton Jn [41,48] (51,57) CC [partly common with previous entry]
1737 SSuX Nottingham - Worcester Shrub Hill
1958 SSuX Bristol Temple Meads - Birmingham New St

Kingsbury Jn - Whitacre Jn [42] (57) CC {new route from 23 May 2004}
1938 SuO Bournemouth - Derby
2025 SSuX Newcastle - Birmingham New St

Nuneaton North Jn - Nuneaton Abbey Jn [42] (66) {existing route reduced to diversionary status from commissioning of Nuneaton flyover route for trains between Leicester and Birmingham on 7 June 2004}
¶ SATURDAYS 12 JUNE TO 24 JULY 2004 AND SUNDAYS FROM 13 JUNE 2004
Trains between Birmingham New St and Euston diverted via Nuneaton
[**note:** until 28 May 2004 all trains between Birmingham and Nuneaton used this route]

Hatton West Jn - North Jn [42] (71) CG
0558 SSuX Birmingham Snow Hill - Stratford upon Avon
ND 1202 SuO, ND 1804 SuO Stratford upon Avon - Birmingham Snow Hill
[**note:** ND = Sundays 4 July - 10 October 2004; Vintage Trains' *Shakespeare Express* and *Bullring Express*; outward trains ran via Henley in Arden]

ENGLAND - YORKSHIRE & HUMBERSIDE

Sowerby Bridge, Milner Royd Jn - Greetland Jn [61,62] (39,40) YG
0750 SuX, 1815 SuX Hebden Bridge - Leeds
1711 SuX Leeds - Hebden Bridge

Bradley Wood Jn - Heaton Lodge East Jn [61,62] (39,40) YG
0750 SuX, 1815 SuX Hebden Bridge - Leeds
1711 SuX Leeds - Hebden Bridge

Copley Hill East Jn - Copley Hill West Jn (Copley Hill Chord) [63] (31) YG
Departures from Leeds to the Wakefield Westgate line:
SSuX: 0625, 2239
SO: 0625, 0719, 0746, 2046, 2138
SuO: 1013, 1419, 1906, 2100
Arrivals at Leeds from the Wakefield Westgate line:
SSuX: 0736, 0805, 1001, 1101, 1701, 1831, 2109, 2114, 2156, 2228, 2243
SO: 0737, 1001, 1101, 1201, 1301, 1401, 1501, 1601, 1956, 2128, 2205, 2308
SuO: subject to engineering retimings

Calder Bridge Jn - Turners Lane Jn [62] (31) YE {new route from 28 May 2004}
2315 FO Sheffield - Leeds

Methley Jn - Altofts Jn [62] (31) YE {new route from 24 May 2004, previously diversions only}

1812 FSSuX Plymouth - Leeds
2315 FO Sheffield - Leeds

Hare Park Jn - Crofton West Jn [62] (31) YE

1812 FO Plymouth - Leeds
2315 SSuX Sheffield - Leeds

Dore South Jn - Dore West Jn [53] (53) YE

Trains between Manchester Piccadilly/Stockport and Leicester not booked to call intermediately.

[**note:** ceased after use on Friday 10 September 2004]

Sheffield: Park Square triangle, east curve [Stagecoach Supertram] [56]

Morning trams *from* Cricket Inn Road *to* Herdings Park or Halfway, shown in Supertram TramGuide (= timetable; issue dated 3 March 2003) as Purple Route with headnote **A** or **B**, "Does not run via the city centre - direct from Hyde Park to Sheffield Station".

Woodburn Jn - Rotherham Central Jn [56] (51) YE {new route from 29 May 2004}

1758 SO Bristol Temple Meads - York

Holmes Jn - Rotherham Masborough - Aldwarke North Jn [56] (29,31) YE

Trains between Sheffield and Doncaster or Leeds not booked to call at Rotherham Central or Barnsley

Woodhouse Jn - Beighton Jn [53,56] (53) YE {new route from 24 May 2004, previously diversions only}

2025 SSuX Newcastle - Birmingham New St

Beighton Jn - Tapton Jn - *see East Midlands section*

Aldwarke North Jn - Thrybergh Jn - Mexborough East Jn [56/62] (51) YE {new route from 29 May 2004}

1758 SO Bristol Temple Meads - York

Milford Jn - Castleford [62] (39) YE

¶ SATURDAYS:

0135 SO Manchester Airport - York

0210 SO Newcastle - Manchester Airport

0054 SO, 0240 SO York - Manchester Airport

Milford Jn - Moorthorpe [62] (33, 51) YE/YG {existing route with limited service}

1758 SSuX Bristol Temple Meads - Newcastle

2025 SSuX Newcastle - Birmingham New St

Trains between Sheffield and York in Table 33

Sherburn Jn - Milford Jn [62] (33,39,51) YE/YG {existing route with limited service}

All trains in previous two entries

Gascoigne Wood - Sherburn Jn [62] (42) YG

0900 SO, 1109 SSuX, 1849 SO Hull - York

1057 SSuX Selby - York

0825 SO, 1218/1225 SuX York - Selby

SuX trains between York and Selby booked to call at Sherburn in Elmet

Hambleton North Jn - East Jn [62] (42) YG

Trains between York and Selby *other than* those booked to run via Gascoigne Wood - Sherburn Jn (see next entry above)

Hambleton South Jn - West Jn [62] (31) YA

0745 SO Harrogate - King's Cross

Doncaster Flyover East Jn - Loversall Carr Jn [64] (26) YA/YE

[**note:** only accessible from Doncaster platforms 3b, 4, 5 or 8]

0729 SSuX Harrogate - King's Cross [*to avoid conflict with 0700 King's Cross*]

1305 SSuX Leeds - King's Cross [*to avoid conflict with 1200 King's Cross*]

Trent Junctions - Wrawby Jn - *see East Midlands section*

IRELAND

Limerick Jn.: Kyle crossing points - Milltown crossing points (via Limerick Jn Loop [avoiding line]) [90]

Non-stop trains between Thurles (or north thereof) and Limerick

Limerick Jn.: Keane's points (North Cabin No. 21 points) - South Cabin reversing siding - Waterford bay (platform no. 4) [90]

All services which might use this section of line (trains between Limerick Jn and Waterford) suspended from 7 October 2003 to 23 September 2004 because of the damage and repair to Cahir viaduct; for service thereafter see **PSUL** for Autumn 2004.

NORTHERN IRELAND

Belfast City Jn - Central Jn [101] (1,5)

Trains between Belfast Central and Lisburn or Portadown not booked to call at (Belfast) Great Victoria Street

Whitehead Excursion Platform (RPSI) - Whitehead [Railway Preservation Society of Ireland] [102]

Railway Preservation Society of Ireland excursions departing/arriving at their Whitehead Excursion platform.

SCOTLAND

Maryhill - Knightswood North Jn [81] (227,404) GC

Trains between Edinburgh or Glasgow Queen St and the West Highland line.

Cowlairs North Jn - Cowlairs East Jn [82] (227,404) GC

1900 SuO, 1950 SSuX Fort William - Edinburgh

Sighthill West Jn - Cowlares West Jn [82] (227,404) GC
0450 SuX Edinburgh - Fort William

Newton Station East - Newton East Jn (Newton South Connecting Line) [82]
(65) GA {new route from 23 May 2004}
1338 SSuX Bournemouth - Glasgow Central
1028 SuO Glasgow Central - Plymouth
Service ceased with effect from 27 September 2004

Law Jn - Shieldmuir Jn [78] (26,65) GA
Trains between Motherwell and Carstairs not booked to call intermediately.
[**note:** the following Virgin services *not* booked to use this route: 1338 SuX
Bournemouth - Glasgow Central; 0730 SO Glasgow Central - Bournemouth; 1230
SO Paignton - Glasgow Central; 1025 SuO Penzance - Glasgow Central]

Inverness Rose Street Jn - Welsh's Bridge Jn [88] (239) GC
1523 SuX Aberdeen - Kyle of Lochalsh
1340 SuX Edinburgh - Wick
0708 SuX Glasgow Queen St - Kyle of Lochalsh
1152 SuX Kyle of Lochalsh - Edinburgh
1718 SuX Kyle of Lochalsh - Elgin
0629 SuX Wick - Aberdeen
[**note:** trains use this route as between Inverness and Muir of Ord]

Dalmeny Jn - Winchburgh Jn [78,79] (228,242) GC
1732 SSuX Glasgow Queen St - Kirkcaldy
0716 SSuX Kirkcaldy - Glasgow Queen St

Thornton North Jn - Thornton West Jn [85] (242) GC
1727 SuX Edinburgh - Perth
0624 SX/0633 SO Markinch - Edinburgh
0614 SSuX Perth - Edinburgh

Slateford Jn - Craiglockhart - Portobello Jn [79] (26) GC {new route from 29
May 2004}
0730 SO Glasgow Central - Bournemouth [inbound to Edinburgh]

WALES

Carmarthen Jn - Carmarthen Bridge Jn [30] (128) PB
D 1048 SSuX Cardiff Central - Fishguard Harbour
D 1335 SuX Fishguard Harbour - Rhymney
D 0911 SO Rhymney - Fishguard Harbour

**Briton Ferry, Court Sart Jn/Up Flying Loop Jn - Morlais Jn (Swansea
District line)** [30/31] (128) PB [common with next entry east of Grovesend
Colliery Loop Jn]
D# 1048 SSuX Cardiff Central - Fishguard Harbour
D# 1335 SuX Fishguard Harbour - Rhymney
D 0911 SO Rhymney - Fishguard Harbour
(D# = diverted via Landore SSuX from 2 August, because of engineering work)

Briton Ferry, Court Sart Jn/Up Flying Loop Jn - Hendy Jn (Swansea District line) [30/31] (128/129) [common with previous entry east of Grovesend Colliery Loop Jn]

No service, but see below under **Regular but infrequent services**.

Landore Jn - Swansea Loop West Jn [31] (128) PB {new diversionary route from 2 August to 3 September 2004}

No service shown in timetable but diversions - using this route - of D 1048 SSuX Cardiff Central - Fishguard Harbour and D 1335 SSuX Fishguard Harbour - Rhymney planned SSuX from 2 August until 3 September 2004

Barry Jn - Bridgend, Barry Jn [7,27,31] (128) PD

No service shown in timetable but diversions - using this route - of trains between Cardiff and Swansea planned -

- on Sundays 30 May to 27 June for all trains, and
- on the dates shown on pages 39 and 49 of Great Western's May to December 2004 "*guide to services*" for 2210 Paddington - Swansea and 0330 Swansea - Paddington

Leckwith Loop North Jn - Leckwith Loop South Jn (Leckwith Loop) [27] (128) PD

0616 SuX, 0709 SO Cardiff Central - Maesteg

D 1335 SuX Fishguard Harbour - Rhymney

1503 SSuX Manchester Piccadilly / 1542 SSuX Crewe - Maesteg

2210 SSuX Paddington - Swansea

0605 SSuX Rhymney - Maesteg

Maindee North Jn - Maindee East Jn [32] (131) PB

1400 SuO Manchester Piccadilly - Penzance

0926 SO Manchester Piccadilly - Penzance

0654 SSuX Penzance - Crewe/Manchester Piccadilly

0610 SO Penzance - Manchester Piccadilly

1330 SuO Penzance - Manchester Piccadilly

Wrexham General Platform 3 - Wrexham Exchange Jn (via loop) [51] (101) CE

Daily, first departure from Wrexham General to Bidston and last arrival at Wrexham General from Bidston.

Regular but infrequent services

Briton Ferry, Court Sart Jn/Up Flying Loop Jn - Hendy Jn (Swansea District line) [30/31]

Excursions usually run from South Wales via this route to The Royal Welsh Show held at Builth in late July (Monday 19 - Thursday 22 July in 2004). 2004 service: 0605 MTWThO Rhymney - Llandrindod; 1745 MTWThO Llandrindod - Cardiff Central.

Whitakers Jn - Balm Road loop [Middleton Railway] [63]

On the weekend of the Autumn Steam & Diesel Gala, usually held on the last weekend in September, trains used this section.

Aylesbury - Quainton Road [35]

On *some* Bank Holiday Mondays (in 2004, 3 May and 30 August) a chartered shuttle service of trains used this section.
