

## COLEG LLANDRILLO CYMRU – STUDENTS’ CONTRACT TRANSPORT 2008/2009

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### **Introduction**

This publication provides information on towns and villages served by special free bus transport available to all eligible 16-19 year old full-time students from Conwy, Denbighshire and Flintshire County Councils who attend Coleg Llandrillo Cymru.

In addition to the College bus services, the College will organise, an extensive network of taxi transport to connect with College buses if students live three or more miles away from the closest bus stops mentioned in this document. For further information please contact the Transport Co-ordinator (see below).

### **No Smoking Policy**

Please note that it is now against the law to smoke on any college buses, taxis, minibuses or any public transport. No smoking enforcement officers may travel on the buses and if any student is caught smoking may be issued with a £50 on the spot fine which the person caught is liable to pay. If students are caught smoking then the entitlement to free transport may be removed and alternative transport arrangements will have to be made by the student with no reimbursement from the College.

### **Eligibility**

All eligible 16-19 year old **full-time students** living more than three miles from the college and within three miles of the listed boarding points are expected to use the College transport detailed in this leaflet. No reimbursement will be made to students travelling by other means of transport. An exception to this rule is made for those students where the classes for their main course finish after the departure of College transport. Such students will be expected to give the Transport Co-ordinator details on a weekly basis and alternative transport arrangements will be made.

Students under the age of 19 who are resident in Gwynedd or Ynys Mon need to apply to their local education council (LEA) for help with transport costs. If the Council will not help with these costs then you need to apply to the Advice & Guidance centre within the College to see if any financial help is available. The College may allow full-time students under the age of 19 from these counties to travel on the existing network of College buses subject to availability, please contact the Transport Co-ordinator to organise this but a charge will be incurred. If help is not available from the LEA or the Advice & Guidance centre then please contact the Transport Co-ordinator to discuss further discounted travel options available to you.

Full-time and part-time HE students of all ages are not entitled to travel on the College buses free of charge, but can if they wish buy a termly Arriva bus pass at the current rate which is equivalent to £9.00 per week which is a reduction of over 40%. This can be either bought weekly from Arriva who will be in the Heartspace reception area of the college two days a week currently Monday and Tuesday or buy from the Arriva website on [www.arrivabus.co.uk/students](http://www.arrivabus.co.uk/students). This option is also available to any student who does not get free transport or any student who wishes to travel on public transport.

Full time students 16-19 years of age attending Coleg Llandrillo Rhyl, Coleg Llandrillo Denbigh and Coleg Llandrillo Abergele will be issued with either an Arriva pass or an Arriva train pass which will enable free public transport 7 days a week around Wales. Please contact the Transport Co-ordinator (see below) to arrange this.

### **Bus passes**

***Students wishing to use College transport at no charge should ensure that they always have possession of a valid pass and show it to the driver at the commencement of each journey, or in case of emergency, a valid temporary authority to travel (available from college reception no later than 3.30 pm on the day of travel). It should be noted that “temporary authority to travel forms” are not valid on any public service routes operated by Arriva North West. Failure to comply with the requirement to always have possession of a valid bus pass (or, where permissible, an official temporary authority to travel form issued by college reception) may result in a refusal to allow boarding of the vehicle or, in the case of public service routes, the appropriate full fare being charged. The College will not refund such excess fares. Please ensure that you have your pass or authority to travel available for inspection when boarding the vehicle and when travelling on college transport, otherwise transport may be refused.***

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During the initial few weeks at the start of the academic year students using public service routes may not have been issued with their bus passes. Such students may receive a refund of their bus fares on a weekly basis by calling at the College finance desk and completing the appropriate claim form.

### **Use of College bus services**

All services, except where public service vehicles are involved, will use the College coach park (situated on the upper level of the College campus) for arrivals and departures. Passengers are advised that timings shown on this leaflet are advisory only and whilst every effort will be made to maintain the schedules ***it is recommended that passengers arrive at their pick up point at least five minutes before the scheduled departure time***. All services, except where public service vehicles are involved, are scheduled to arrive at Coleg Llandrillo by 8.50 a.m. each day and depart from the College at 5.10 p.m. (Monday to Thursday) and 4.10 p.m. (Friday only) and operate the reverse of the incoming route. However, please see the last page of this leaflet for exceptions to this general rule.

### **In the event of requiring further information or to report a problem**

The Transport Co-ordinator, Mrs Lynda Roberts can be contacted as **follows (to facilitate more effective communication, e-mail is the preferred option): -**

- College e-mail (using the GroupWise address book) to Lynda Roberts
- External e-mail to: **[l.roberts@llandrillo.ac.uk](mailto:l.roberts@llandrillo.ac.uk)**
- Telephone: - (01492) 546 666, extension 410. [Please leave a message when the office is unattended]

**TABLE 1 – FLINTSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL AREA**

<b>Bus stop code</b>	<b>Pick-up locations (alphabetical order)</b>	<b>First pick-up time</b>	<b>Number of buses serving this stop</b>
F01	Axton, Cross Roads	0751	1
F02	Bagillt, Stag PH	0724	1
F03	Carmel, Halfway House PH	0733	1
F04	Flint, McDonalds	0720	1
F05	Gronant, Bus Shelter – Coast Road	0810	1
F06	Gwespyr	0803	1
F07	Holway, Garage	0732	1
F08	Holywell, Bus Station	0730	1
F09	Llanasa	0758	1
F10	Point of Ayr roundabout	0805	1
F11	Trelawnyd	0754	1
F12	Trelogan	0747	1
F13	Whitford	0740	1

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**TABLE 2 – CONWY COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL AREA**

Bus stop code	Pick-up locations (alphabetical order)	First pick-up time	Number of buses serving this stop
C01	Abergele , Tesco	0830	1
C02	Belgrano	0825	1
C03	Betws y Coed, Railway Station	0805	1
C04	Bodnant ① connecting <i>school bus</i>	0810	1
C05	Bodtegwel, near St George	0825	1
C06	Conwy, Bluebell PH	0832	2
C07	Conwy, Aberconwy School	0830	1
C08	Deganwy, Railway Station	0837	1
C09	Dolgarrog, Post Office	0810	1
C10	Dolwyddelan, Railway Station/Station Bridge ②	0753	1
C11	Eglwysbach, Hen Efail ① connecting <i>school bus</i>	0805	1
C12	Fforddlas, Felin Isaf ① connecting <i>school bus</i>	0814	1
C13	Glan Conwy, Vale PH	0834	1
C14	Glan Conwy Corner, Black Cat	0836	1
C15	Gyffin, Post Office	0822	1
C16	Kimmel Bay, Post Office	0822	1
C17	Llanddulas, Fair View	0833	1
C18	Llandudno, Maesdu Bridge	0841	1
C19	Llandudno, Maesdu Road – various stops at request	0842	1
C53	Llandudno, West Shore & Town Centre ③ <i>PSR</i>	<i>Any Arriva North West Route</i>	
C20	Llandudno Jct., The Flyover	0834	1
C21	Llandudno Jct., Railway Station	0837	1
C22	Llandudno Jct., Ronald Avenue	0838	1
C23	Llanfairfechan, The Bridge	0810	1
C24	Llanrwst, Ancaster Square	0810	1
C25	Llysfalen, Gadlas Road	0815	1
C26	Maenan, Abbey	0822	1
C27	Old Colwyn, Berth y Glyd	0823	1
C28	Old Colwyn, The Marine Hotel	0830	1
C29	Old Colwyn, The Ship	0828	1
C30	Old Colwyn, Queens Hotel	0826	1
C31	Penmachno, The Stores ④ <i>Contact Transport Co-ordinator</i>	0750 ④	1
C32	Penmaenmawr, Llys Clwyd	0818	1
C33	Pensarn, opposite the Railway Station	0827	1
C34	St. Gwynans	0823	1
C35	Tal y Bont, Y Bedol PH	0813	1
C36	Tal y Cafn , A470	0827	1
C37	The Groes Inn	0817	1
C38	Towyn, Post Office	0824	1
C39	Trefriw, Woollen Mill	0805	1
C40	Tyn y Groes, Red Lion PH	0815	1

### NOTES ON CONWY CBC SERVICES:

**PSR** This service is operated by Arriva North West as a public service route. To obtain free transport intending passengers must always have in their possession a valid college Arriva bus pass. A valid bus pass must be available for inspection by operator’s staff upon boarding and at other times to authorised persons. Failure to comply with this requirement may result in a refusal to allow boarding of the vehicle or the appropriate full fare being charged. The college will not refund such excess fares. **Please note that the College’s “temporary authority to travel” forms are not accepted by Arriva Cymru.**

- ① This service is operated by a school bus service no 402 run by Llew Jones. Passengers should alight from the bus at the public bus stop at Glan Conwy (The Vale) and then continue their journey on a contract college bus. On Monday to Thursday (inclusive) at 17:10h and Friday at 16:10h a contract bus (Llew Jones) will provide the return service to Glan Conwy (The Vale) where a connecting taxi will meet students to take them home. **Please show your College bus pass to the driver at the commencement of each journey. Please contact Transport Co-ordinator to arrange transport.**
- ② This service is operated by a public service vehicle (Arriva North West 84) departing at Dolwyddelan Bridge Street at 07:40h. Students should get off in Betws-y-Coed where they connect with a contract college bus direct to Coleg Llandrillo. On Monday to Thursday (inclusive) at 17:10h students get on the contract college bus back to Betws-y-Coed and then get the 18:07h bus back to Dolwyddelan. On Fridays a connecting taxi will be available from Betws-y-Coed at 17:00h. Please contact the Transport Co-ordinator to organise transport.
- ③ This service is operated by public service vehicles. A special Arriva bus pass will be authorised by the Transport Co-ordinator and the pass will be valid on all Arriva North West buses. Please also see the “PSR” note on the previous page.
- ④ Please contact the Transport Co-ordinator to organise transport as this service is operated as a taxi, which connects with the college contract bus from Betws y Coed (Railway Station).

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**TABLE 3 – DENBIGHSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL AREA**

Bus stop code	Pick-up locations (alphabetical order)	First pick-up time	Number of buses serving this stop
D01	Bodelwyddan, Garage	0830	1
D02	Denbigh, Colomendy	0810	1
D03	Denbigh , Lenten Pool	0805	2
D04	Denbigh, Myddleton Park / Trewen	0800	1
D05	Denbigh, Vale Street (Lidl)	0810	1
D06	Dyserth, Voel Garage	0815	1
D07	Meliden, Star Inn	0815	1
D08	Pentre Llanrhaeadr, Pentre Motors Garage	0810	1
D09	Prestatyn, Bus Station	0810	2
D10	Prestatyn, Drivers Garage, Nant Drive	0800	1
D11	Prestatyn, Ffrith Beach	0813	2
D12	Prestatyn, High School	0810	1
D13	Prestatyn, Jolly Sailor	0805	2
D14	Prestatyn, Police Station, Victoria Road	0812	2
D15	Rhewl, opposite Drover’s Arms	0805	1
D16	Rhuddlan, Vicarage Lane	0820	1
D17	Rhyl, Denmore Stores	0815	2
D18	Rhyl, Marine Lake	0820	3
D19	Rhyl, Queens Arcade	0815	1
D20	Rhyl, Vale Road, opposite Shell Garage	0813	1
D21	Rhyl , Water Towers, Rhuddlan Road near Pen y Cefndy	0810	1
D22	Ruthin, Borthyn	0800	1
D23	Ruthin, Market Street	0755	1
D24	St. Asaph, Cathedral	0820	1
D25	St. Asaph , The Roe, Ashley Court	0823	1
D26	Trefnant, old AA Box / opposite Nant-y-Patrick	0820	2
D27	Trefnant, opposite playing fields	0815	2

**CALENDAR OF COLLEGE TRANSPORT 2008/2009:**

Term 1 – 08.09.08 to 11.12.08 (excluding 12.09.08 and 27.10.08 to 31.10.08 inclusive).  
 Term 2 – 05.01.09 to 03.04.09 (excluding 16.02.09 to 20.02.09 inclusive).  
 Term 3 – 20.04.09 to 03.07.09 (excluding 04.05.09 and 25.05.09 to 29.05.09 inclusive).

**GENERAL NOTES:**

- All contract buses are scheduled to arrive in college by 8.50 a.m.
- All contract buses are scheduled to depart from college at 5.10 p.m. (Monday to Thursday) and 4.10 p.m. (Friday). **The only exceptions to this will be as follows:**
  - Monday to Thursday, 8 to 11 September 2008 (inclusive): **all buses will depart at 4.10 p.m.**
  - Friday, 12 September 2008: **no service**
  - Friday, 12 December 2008: **all buses will depart at 12.10 p.m.**