

Pub Crawl on the No. 3 Leopard Bus between Shinfield and Wokingham on Saturday 23rd July.

The pubs we will be visiting are as follows :-

Bell & Bottle, 37, School Green, Shinfield. RG2 9EE
Magpie & Parrot, Arborfield Road, Shinfield. RG2 9EA
Swan Inn, Eversley Road, Arborfield Cross, Reading. RG2 9PQ
Bramshill Hunt, Bramshill Close, Arborfield. RG2 9PL
Bull, Barkham Road, Barkham. RG41 4TL
Olde Leathern Bottel, 221, Barkham Road, Wokingham. RG41 4BY (Optional)

12.25 - Depart Broad Street, Wokingham (outside the post office) and make our way to the Bell & Bottle. **(Broad Street (W-Bound) Bus Stop, bus leaves at 12.25).**

13.05 – Arrive at the Bell & Bottle. We will spend approximately an hour here, so members can have lunch.

14.10 – Depart the Bell & Bottle and have a short walk (10 minutes (0.4 mile)) to the Magpie & Parrot.

14.20 – Arrive at the Magpie & Parrot. We stay here for approximately 35 minutes.

14.55 – Depart the Magpie & Parrot and catch the bus outside to the Swan at Arborfield Cross.
(Magpie & Parrot Bus Stop on the Arborfield Road, bus leaves at 15.00)

15.05 – Arrive at the Swan. We stay here for approximately 35 minutes.

15.40 – Depart the Swan and have a short walk (15 minutes (0.6 mile)) to the Bramshill Hunt.

15.55 – Arrive at the Bramshill Hunt. We stay here for approximately 35 minutes.

16.35 – Depart the Bramshill Hunt and catch the bus at the bus to the Bull at Barkham.
(Rickman Close Bus Stop on Langley Common Road, bus leaves at 16.44).

17.05 – Arrive at the Bull at Barkham. We stay here for approximately 50 minutes.

17.55 – Depart the Bull at Barkham and make our way back to Wokingham.
(The Bull Bus Stop on Barkham Road, bus leaves at 18.02).

If members are still up for it, we can easily pop into the Olde Leathern Bottel on the way back to Wokingham. This is optional.

General note regarding No. 3 Leopard Bus and fares :-

Buses run hourly on Saturdays at 23 mins past the hour until 11.23 then 25 past the hour from 12.25 to 18.25 from outside Wokingham post office on Broad Street.

Bus 3 from Reading to Wokingham is at 15 mins past each hour with the last one at 18.15 arriving Shinfield at 18.35 and Wokingham 19.14. This connects with the last service to Bracknell on 4 and X4.

From Arborfield Garrison route 3 runs every 20 minutes to Reading. It's only 1 in every 3 buses that travel the whole Wokingham to Reading route.

Fares for hopping on and off can be expensive, so best ticket is either the Leopard number 3 group of 4 for only £8 (£2 each!), however everyone has to travel together with this ticket. This ticket can also be used by 2 or 3 people, but it is still £8 or the Network day ticket for £7 per person which covers bus 4 or X4 from Bracknell as well as the number 3 all day.

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