



Starship 8, X8

We are introducing two new services based on our existing Burnley to Bacup service 8.

Most existing journeys will still be catered for but times may have altered slightly so please check carefully.

Service 8 will now extend beyond Bacup to Rawtenstall and express via the M66 to Bury, home of the world famous Bury Market and the new shopping and leisure facilities at The Rock. Both are conveniently located for the town's Interchange where our service terminates.

Customers from Weir and the Burnley Road area of Bacup will have the benefit of a direct service through to the facilities in the Rossendale Valley and Rawtenstall and connection to our Witch Way service. Of course those living in Waterfoot and the valley will have direct access through to Burnley and the rest of the Starship and Mainline routes to destinations such as Skipton, Keighley and Clitheroe.

New service X8 will offer both peak time and shopper express journeys from Burnley to Manchester via Weir, Bacup, Rawtenstall and Edenfield. These fast new journeys will use the faster Heaton Park route into Manchester City Centre terminating at Shudehill Interchange.

Stopping arrangements for Starship X8

Buses on Starship X8 will stop at all stops between Burnley and Shuttleworth (M66 junction), then running fast and direct along the M66 to Manchester, stopping only at Heaton Park Gates, Bowker Vale Metrolink, Urbis and Shudehill Interchange.

Getting around Manchester

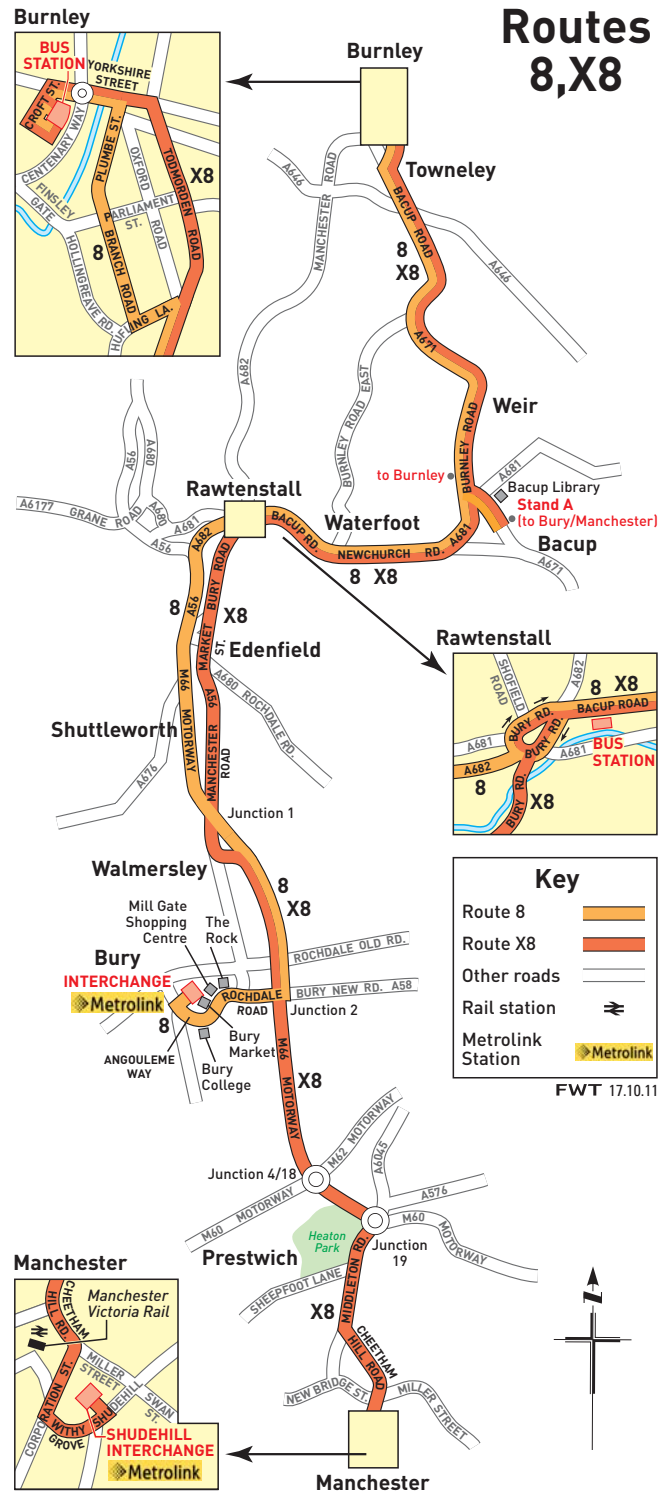
By Tram

Alight from Starship X8 at Shudehill for great connections with the Metrolink tram network, to access other parts of the city.

By free MetroShuttle bus

The MetroShuttle 2 bus service runs every 10 minutes for most of the day and is free to use. Buses on MetroShuttle 2 link Shudehill with the Cathedral, Deansgate (for shopping), the Museum of Science & Industry and much more.

Routes 8, X8



Mondays to Fridays

Route No:	X8	8	X8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Burnley Bus Station, Gate 9	0650	0855	0935	0955	1055	1155	1255	1355	1455	1620	1725
Burnley Branch Road	▼	0903	▼	1003	1103	1203	1303	1403	1503	1628	1733
Towneley Todmorden Road, Rock Lane	0700	0905	0945	1005	1105	1205	1305	1405	1505	1630	1735
Weir Burnley Road, Heald Lane	0709	0914	0954	1014	1114	1214	1314	1414	1514	1639	1744
Bacup St James Street, Stop A	0716	0921	1001	1021	1121	1221	1321	1421	1521	1646	1751
Waterfoot Royal Hotel	0728	0933	1013	1033	1133	1233	1333	1433	1533	1658	1803
Rawtenstall Bus Station <i>arrive</i>	0733	0938	1018	1038	1138	1238	1338	1438	1538	1703	1808
Rawtenstall Bus Station, Stand E <i>depart</i>	0735	0943	1023	1043	1143	1243	1343	1443	1543	1708	-
Edenfield Rostron Arms	0743	▼	1031	▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	-
Shuttleworth Eagle & Child	0746	▼	1034	▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	▼	-
Bury Seven Stars	▼	0955	▼	1055	1155	1255	1355	1455	1555	1720	-
Bury Interchange	▼	1005	▼	1105	1205	1305	1405	1505	1605	1730	-
Bowker Vale Metrolink	0801	-	1048	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manchester Shudehill Interchange	0827	-	1110	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Saturdays

Burnley Bus Station, Gate 9	0750	0855	0955	1055	1155	1255	1355	1455	1555	1725
Burnley Branch Road	0758	0903	1003	1103	1203	1303	1403	1503	1603	1733
Towneley Todmorden Road, Rock Lane	0800	0905	1005	1105	1205	1305	1405	1505	1605	1735
Weir Burnley Road, Heald Lane	0809	0914	1014	1114	1214	1314	1414	1514	1614	1744
Bacup St James Street, Stop A	0816	0921	1021	1121	1221	1321	1421	1521	1621	1751
Waterfoot Royal Hotel	0828	0933	1033	1133	1233	1333	1433	1533	1633	1803
Rawtenstall Bus Station <i>arrive</i>	0833	0938	1038	1138	1238	1338	1438	1538	1638	1808
Rawtenstall Bus Station, Stand E <i>depart</i>	-	0943	1043	1143	1243	1343	1443	1543	1643	-
Bury Seven Stars	-	0955	1055	1155	1255	1355	1455	1555	1655	-
Bury Interchange	-	1005	1105	1205	1305	1405	1505	1605	1705	-

Mondays to Fridays

Route No:	8	8	X8	8	8	X8	8	8	8	8	8	X8	8	X8	
Manchester Shudehill Interchange, Stand L	-	-	0838	-	-	1115	-	-	-	-	-	1625	-	1720	
Bowker Vale Metrolink	-	-	0900	-	-	1135	-	-	-	-	-	1647	-	1742	
Bury Interchange, Stand R	-	-	↓	1010	1110	↓	1210	1310	1410	1410	1510	1610	↓	1740	↓
Bury Seven Stars	-	-	↓	1017	1117	↓	1217	1317	1417	1417	1517	1617	↓	1747	↓
Shuttleworth Eagle & Child	-	-	0914	↓	↓	1149	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	1701	↓	1756
Edenfield Rostron Arms	-	-	0917	↓	↓	1152	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	↓	1704	↓	1759
Rawtenstall Bus Station <i>arrive</i>	-	-	0926	1032	1132	1201	1232	1332	1432	1432	1532	1632	1713	1802	1808
Rawtenstall Bus Station, Stand J <i>depart</i>	0735	-	0930	1035	1135	1205	1235	1335	1435	1435	1535	1635	1715	1805	1810
Waterfoot Royal Hotel	0740	-	0935	1040	1140	1210	1240	1340	1440	1440	1540	1640	1720	1810	1815
Bacup Burnley Road	0752	0857	0947	1052	1152	1222	1252	1352	1452	1452	1552	1652	1732	1822	1827
Weir Burnley Road, Heald Lane	0759	0904	0954	1059	1159	1229	1259	1359	-	1459	1559	1659	1739	1829	1834
Towneley Todmorden Road, Rock Lane	0809	0914	1004	1109	1209	1239	1309	1409	-	1509	1609	1709	1749	1839	1844
Burnley Branch Road	0811	0916	1006	1111	1211	1241	1311	1411	-	1511	1611	1711	↓	1841	↓
Burnley Bus Station	0818	0923	1013	1118	1218	1248	1318	1418	-	1518	1618	1718	1758	1848	1853

this journey runs on Burnley Schooldays only

this journey runs during Burnley School holidays

Saturdays

Bury Interchange, Stand R	-	-	-	1010	1110	1210	1310	1410	1510	1610	1710	-
Bury Seven Stars	-	-	-	1017	1117	1217	1317	1417	1517	1617	1717	-
Rawtenstall Bus Station <i>arrive</i>	-	-	-	1032	1132	1232	1332	1432	1532	1632	1732	-
Rawtenstall Bus Station, Stand J <i>depart</i>	0735	0835	0935	1035	1135	1235	1335	1435	1535	1635	1735	1810
Waterfoot Royal Hotel	0740	0840	0940	1040	1140	1240	1340	1440	1540	1640	1740	1815
Bacup Burnley Road	0752	0852	0952	1052	1152	1252	1352	1452	1552	1652	1752	1827
Weir Burnley Road, Heald Lane	0759	0859	0959	1059	1159	1259	1359	1459	1559	1659	1759	1834
Towneley Todmorden Road, Rock Lane	0809	0909	1009	1109	1209	1309	1409	1509	1609	1709	1809	1844
Burnley Branch Road	0811	0911	1011	1111	1211	1311	1411	1511	1611	1711	1811	1846
Burnley Bus Station	0818	0918	1018	1118	1218	1318	1418	1518	1618	1718	1818	1853



fares into Bury

from	adult one way	adult return	child one way	child return
Burnley	£4.00	£4.50	£2.40	£4.10
Bacup	£4.00	£4.50	£2.40	£4.10
Rawtenstall	£3.50	£4.50	£2.10	£3.60

fares into Manchester

from	adult one way	adult return	child one way	child return
Burnley	£4.70	£7.50	£2.85	£4.50
Bacup	£4.10	£7.00	£2.50	£4.20
Rawtenstall	£3.90	£6.70	£2.35	£4.05

Remember to pay the driver when you get on using cash, or if you have a valid pass, show that.

return tickets are valid for up to 1 month from date of outward travel

child fares are also available

terms & conditions apply

go online or phone for more details

information correct at 30 October 2011 and may be subject to change



2 for £8 day return

Starship 8 to & from Bury

From Burnley, Bacup & Rawtenstall, our 2 for £8 day return offer is for 2 adults travelling together, in both directions, and is available from 8.50am Mondays to Fridays, any time Saturdays.

2 for £10 day return

Starship X8 to & from Manchester

From Burnley, Bacup, Rawtenstall & Edenfield, our 2 for £10 day return offer is for 2 adults travelling together, in both directions, and is available from 9am Mondays to Fridays, any time Saturdays.

At times of day when X8 doesn't run, buy your bargain ticket on Starship 8 and change onto one of our frequent **X43 Witch Way** buses at Rawtenstall. **The Witch Way** is now better than ever, with buses now running up to every 15 minutes for most of the day on Mondays to Saturdays!

It's simple!

Buy your ticket from the driver when you get on the bus.

These deals offer great value for a day's shopping or sightseeing, or just a leisurely day out!

unlimited travel tickets

Silver ticket - available from the driver

	adult	child	student	family
1 day	£5.50	£4.00	£4.95	£11.00
7 day	£18.00	£10.80	£16.20	£36.00

Silver tickets are valid for travel throughout all Starship & Mainline routes, except for service X8 between Rawtenstall and Manchester. Valid on Witch Way between Nelson & Rawtenstall.

Gold ticket - available from the driver

	adult	child	student	family
1 day	£7.50	£4.50	£6.75	£15.00
7 day	£28.50	£17.10	£25.65	£57.00

Gold tickets are valid for travel throughout all Starship, Mainline & Witch Way routes, including to/from Manchester



Christmas & New Year 2011/2012

Friday 23rd December	Normal service
Saturday 24th December	Saturday service with early finish
Sunday 25th December	No service
Monday 26th December	No service
Tuesday 27th December	Sunday service
Wednesday 28th December	Saturday service*
Thursday 29th December	Saturday service*
Friday 30th December	Saturday service*
Saturday 31st December	Saturday service with early finish
Sunday 1st January	No service
Monday 2nd January	Sunday service
Tuesday 3rd January	Normal service resumes

* - additional journeys on Starship X8 will run on these three days; see special timetables here 

Last buses on Saturday 24th & 31st December

Starship 8 All journeys will run as shown in the timetable

Details of the arrangements for Bank Holidays later in 2012 will be available online and on buses nearer the time.

X8 Burnley ► Manchester

Wednesday 28 - Friday 30 December 2011

Burnley Bus Station, Gate 9	0645	1045	1545
Towneley Todmorden Road, Rock Lane	0655	1055	1555
Weir Burnley Road, Heald Lane	0704	1104	1604
Bacup St James Street, Stop A	0711	1111	1611
Waterfoot Royal Hotel	0723	1123	1623
Rawtenstall Bus Station <i>arrive</i>	0728	1128	1628
Rawtenstall Bus Station, Stand E <i>depart</i>	0730	1130	1630
Edenfield Rostron Arms	0738	1138	1638
Shuttleworth Eagle & Child	0741	1141	1641
Bowker Vale Metrolink	0755	1155	1655
Manchester Shudehill Interchange	0815	1215	1715

X8 Manchester ► Burnley

Wednesday 28 - Friday 30 December 2011

Manchester Shudehill Interchange, Stand L	0820	1220	1720
Bowker Vale Metrolink	0840	1240	1740
Shuttleworth Eagle & Child	0853	1253	1753
Edenfield Rostron Arms	0856	1256	1756
Rawtenstall Bus Station <i>arrive</i>	0905	1305	1805
Rawtenstall Bus Station, Stand J <i>depart</i>	0905	1305	1805
Waterfoot Royal Hotel	0910	1310	1810
Bacup Burnley Road	0922	1322	1822
Weir Burnley Road, Heald Lane	0929	1329	1829
Towneley Todmorden Road, Rock Lane	0939	1339	1839
Burnley Bus Station	0948	1348	1848