

LONDON BUSES - ROUTE DESCRIPTION

ROUTE 53: Plumstead Bus Garage - Whitehall, Horseguards (24 hour service)

Date of Structural Change: 30 October 2010.

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Reason for Issue: Curtailment Point amended.

STREETS TRAVERSED

Towards Whitehall, Horseguards: Orchard Road, Griffin Road, Waverley Crescent, Warwick Terrace, Plumstead Common Road, Sandy Hill Road, Crescent Road, Burrage Road, Plumstead Road, Woolwich New Road, Thomas Street, Wellington Street, Artillery Place, Hillreach, Little Heath, Charlton Park Road, The Village, Charlton Road, Vanbrugh Park, Charlton Way, Prince Charles Road, Shooters Hill Road, Blackheath Hill, Blackheath Road, Deptford Bridge, Deptford Broadway, New Cross Road, Amersham Road, Parkfield Road, Lewisham Way, New Cross Road, Old Kent Road, Bricklayer's Arms, New Kent Road, Elephant And Castle, St George's Road, Westminster Bridge Road, Westminster Bridge, Bridge Street, Bus-Only Right Turn, Parliament Street, Whitehall.

Towards Plumstead Bus Garage: Whitehall, Parliament Street, Bridge Street, Westminster Bridge, Westminster Bridge Road, St George's Circus, London Road, Elephant And Castle, New Kent Road, Bricklayer's Arms Roundabout, Old Kent Road, New Cross Road, Deptford Broadway, Deptford Bridge, Blackheath Road, Blackheath Hill, Shooters Hill Road, Charlton Way, Vanbrugh Park, Westcombe Hill, Charlton Road, The Village, Charlton Park Road, Little Heath, Hillreach, Artillery Place, Wellington Street, Thomas Street, Woolwich New Road, Vincent Road, Burrage Road, Crescent Road, Bloomfield Road, Plumstead Common Road, Waverley Crescent, Griffin Road.

STANDING AND TURNING POINTS

PLUMSTEAD BUS GARAGE

Private stand in Plumstead Bus Garage.

Buses proceed from Griffin Road via Plumstead Road, Pettman Crescent and Plumstead Bus Garage to stand, departing via Plumstead Bus Garage, Service Road, Pettman Crescent and Plumstead Road to Orchard Road. Set down in Griffin Road, at Stop U and pick up in Orchard Road, at Stop WU.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	None
MEAL RELIEFS:	By arrangement.
FERRY VEHICLES:	By arrangement.
DISPLAY:	Plumstead Station.

PLUMSTEAD COMMON, WARWICK TERRACE (from WHITEHALL, HORSEGUARDS)

Public stand for four buses on east side of Warwick Terrace, commencing 22 metres south of lamp standard 07P146 extending 44 metres north.

Buses proceed from Waverley Crescent via Old Mill Road and Warwick Terrace to stand, departing to Warwick Terrace. Set down in Old Mill Road, at Alighting Point D and pick up in Warwick Terrace, at Stop C.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Unscheduled curtailments only.
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	Plumstead Common.

WOOLWICH, MONK STREET (from WHITEHALL, HORSEGUARDS)

Public stand for five buses in Monk Street in three parts:

1 - For two buses on the west side commencing 52 metres north of Castile Road and extending 25 metres south.

2 - For two buses on the west side commencing 42 metres north of Calderwood Street extending 25 metres south.

3 - For one bus on east side commencing 10 metres north of Calderwood Street extending 13.5 metres north.

Buses proceed from Wellington Street via Thomas Street, Calderwood Street, Monk Street, Bus Turning Circle and Monk Street to stand, departing via Monk Street, Calderwood Street and Thomas Street to Wellington Street. Set down in Wellington Street, at Stop P and pick up in Wellington Street, at Stop S.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Unscheduled curtailments only.
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	Woolwich.

CHARLTON, HORNFAIR ROAD (from WHITEHALL, HORSEGUARDS)

Buses proceed from Charlton Road via Hornfair Road, Canberra Road and Marlborough Lane departing to Charlton Road. Set down in Charlton Road and pick up in Charlton Road.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Turning Point Only - Buses must not stand
DISPLAY:	Charlton Village.

BLACKHEATH, ROYAL STANDARD, CHARLTON ROAD (from Plumstead Bus Garage)

Public offside stand for 2 buses on north side of Charlton Road (southern arm) commencing 7.8 metres west of lamp standard No. 03J0288 and extending 25 metres east. Buses proceed from Charlton Road direct to stand, departing via Charlton Road and Westcombe Hill to Charlton Road. Set down in Charlton Road, at Stop BD and pick up in Charlton Road, at Stop BC.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Unscheduled curtailments only
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	Blackheath, Royal Standard.

BLACKHEATH, ROYAL STANDARD, CHARLTON ROAD (from WHITEHALL, HORSEGUARDS)

Public offside stand for 2 buses on north side of Charlton Road (southern arm) commencing 7.8 metres west of lamp standard No. 03J0288 and extending 25 metres east. Buses proceed from Charlton Road direct to stand, departing via Charlton Road to Vanbrugh Park. Set down in Charlton Road, at Stop BB and pick up in Vanbrugh Park, at Stop BK.

AVAILABILITY: At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS: Unscheduled curtailments only
MEAL RELIEFS: No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES: No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY: Blackheath, Royal Standard.

DEPTFORD BRIDGE (from Plumstead Bus Garage)

Buses proceed from Deptford Bridge via Deptford Church Street departing to Deptford Bridge. Set down in Deptford Bridge, at stop T and pick up in Deptford Bridge, Y.

AVAILABILITY: At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS: **Turning Point Only - Buses must not stand**
DISPLAY: Deptford Bridge.

NEW CROSS, MARQUIS OF GRANBY

From Plumstead Bus Garage.

Buses proceed from Lewisham Way departing to New Cross Road. Set down in Lewisham Way, at stop Y and pick up in New Cross Road, at stop T.

From Whitehall, Horseguards.

Buses proceed from New Cross Road via Amersham Road and Parkfield Road departing to Lewisham Way. Set down in New Cross Road, at stop S and pick up in Lewisham Way, at stop X.

AVAILABILITY: At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS: **Turning Point Only - Buses must not stand**
DISPLAY: New Cross.

NEW CROSS GATE, SAINSBURYS

Private stand for three buses in the north-western corner of the Sainsbury's car park.

From Plumstead Bus Garage.

Buses proceed from New Cross Road via Sainsburys Access Road to stand, departing via Sainsburys Access Road and Unnamed Road to New Cross Road. Set down in New Cross Road, at stop O and pick up in New Cross Road, at stop R.

From Whitehall, Horseguards.

Buses proceed from New Cross Road via Sainsburys Access Road to stand, departing via Sainsburys Access Road to New Cross Road. Set down in New Cross Road, at stop G and pick up in New Cross Road, at stop J.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Unscheduled curtailments only
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	New Cross Gate.

BRICKLAYERS ARMS, BARTHOLOMEW STREET (from Plumstead Bus Garage)

Public stand for two buses on south side of Bartholomew Street, commencing opposite number 21 and extending 24 metres east.

Buses proceed from Old Kent Road via Bricklayer's Arms Roundabout, Great Dover Street and Bartholomew Street to stand, departing via Bartholomew Street to New Kent Road. Set down in Old Kent Road, at Stop BN and pick up in New Kent Road, at Stop BB.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Unscheduled curtailments only.
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	Bricklayer's Arms.

ELEPHANT & CASTLE, SOUTHWARK BRIDGE ROAD (from Plumstead Bus Garage)

Public stand in two portions:

1 - For five buses on the west side of Southwark Bridge Road, commencing 10 metres north of the centre of Keyworth Street and extending 54 metres north.

2 - Overflow stand for two buses on the south side (offside) of Gaunt Street extending 20 metres. Stand flag BP3514.

Buses proceed from New Kent Road via Elephant And Castle, Newington Causeway and Southwark Bridge Road to stand, departing via Southwark Bridge Road, Borough Road and St George's Circus to London Road. Set down in New Kent Road, at Stop N and pick up in London Road, at Stop E.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Unscheduled curtailments only.
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	Elephant & Castle.

LAMBETH NORTH (from Plumstead Bus Garage)

Buses proceed from Westminster Bridge Road via York Road and Addington Street departing to Westminster Bridge Road. Set down in Westminster Bridge Road, at stop A and pick up in Westminster Bridge Road, at stop K.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Turning Point Only - Buses must not stand
DISPLAY:	Lambeth North.

PARLIAMENT SQUARE (from Plumstead Bus Garage)

Buses proceed from Westminster Bridge via Bridge Street, Victoria Embankment and Horse Guards Avenue departing to Whitehall. Set down in Westminster Bridge, at stop D and pick up in Whitehall.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	Turning Point Only - Buses must not stand
DISPLAY:	Parliament Square.

TRAFALGAR SQUARE, NORTHUMBERLAND AVENUE, SOUTH SIDE

Public stand for four buses on south side of Northumberland Avenue in 2 parts:

1. For two buses commencing at a point 16 metres east of the centre-line of Great Scotland Yard, extending 25 metres east;
2. For two buses commencing at a point 55 metres west of centre-line of Whitehall Place, extending 25 metres east.

Buses proceed from Whitehall via Horse Guards Avenue, Victoria Embankment and Northumberland Avenue to stand, departing via Northumberland Avenue and Charing Cross to Whitehall. Set down in Whitehall, at Alighting Point and pick up in Whitehall, at Stop P.

AVAILABILITY:	At any time.
OPERATING RESTRICTIONS:	No more than 2 buses on Route 53 should be scheduled to stand at any one time.
MEAL RELIEFS:	No meal relief vehicles to stand at any time.
FERRY VEHICLES:	No ferry vehicles to park on stand at any time.
DISPLAY:	Whitehall, Horse Guards.