

Alternative transport to & from Woodhouse villages

Apart from bus service 154 or driving yourself there are other ways to get to shops and places outside the parish, some aimed at people with limited mobility.

Hospital Hopper runs every 30 minutes Monday– Friday between the Leicester University Hospitals [LRI, Glenfield, General] and includes stops at Leicester railway station and LOROS. You can catch it from the Beaumont Centre via the normal 154 bus.
www.leicestershospitals.nhs.uk/patients/getting-to-hospital/bus-travel/hospital-hopper-bus/

Park and Ride operates every 15 minutes Monday to Saturday from nearest stop in Birstall to the city centre, from 7a.m.-7p.m. Parking is free. parkandride@leics.gov.uk

Liftshare is a way to travel to work if a match can be found. Register to check.
<https://liftshare.com/uk>

Dial-a-ride to almost anywhere locally e.g. to a dentist, chiropodist, essential shopping, community activities or visits to friends and relations. For hospital visits, the driver will wait for up to one hour. You will be told charges when booking.
Contact: 01509 267147 between 9 a.m.–12 noon at least the day before.

Door-to-door service to Loughborough & Shop Mobility runs on Fridays. Collection around 10.30 and return around 2.30.
Contact 01509 631761 monica.gonzalez@johnstorercharnwood.org.uk or candida.barnes@johnstorercharnwood.org.uk

Community Care Car Scheme uses volunteers' cars for visits on any day to hospitals and day centres etc for mainly Social Services clients.
Contact 01509 631761 to discuss eligibility and cost.

Minibus hire – Community groups can hire minibuses on any day with either a volunteer or a paid driver. Minibuses seat up to 16 people. If groups have their own volunteer driver, they must first complete the MiDAS [Minibus Driver Awareness Scheme] training.
Contact 01509 631761.

Shopmobility mobility scooter, wheelchair etc hire from Loughborough Town Hall passageway is run by Charnwood Borough Council. You can be collected from your home. Register beforehand with proof of identity and book in advance. Small charge.
Contact 01509 634706 from 9 a.m.–3.30 p.m. or email: shopmobility@charnwood.gov.uk.

Storer House & Voluntary Action Charnwood

<https://johnstorercharnwood.org.uk/transport/>
www.voluntaryactioncharnwood.org.uk
enquiries@johnstorercharnwood.org.uk
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Contact 01509 631750 Monday – Friday 8.30 a.m.–5 p.m.

Planning other journeys: *Traveline* is a very useful aid to help you plan any journey: Contact 0870 608 2 608 www.traveline.info

Good Neighbour Scheme for Woodhouse & Woodhouse Eaves is a local network of village who can help with transport and wheelchairs.
Contact 0756 189 0100 between 9 a.m.–7 p.m. every day