

Jolly Boys Bus Trip in the Chilterns 1st August 2013

The trip should be good for any naturalists amongst you as I can guarantee that if we have good weather then you should see a Red Kite or two soaring on the thermals.

This is a slightly modified version of a trip we did in 2009 with the pub in Princes Risborough omitted and two in Naphill included. Who says that times are hard for the local authorities? When we last did the trip it was on a bus service of three buses an hour; now it is four an hour on a rural route.

All pubs are in 2013 GBG. For food The Whip or Black Lion are recommended as lunch stop. I hope Jim Smith will be able to join us at some stage.

NB In case of inclement weather on a grand scale I suggest we reduce trip to just pubs 3 and 4; then the walking is kept to 100 yards.

The Pubs

1. **Wetherspoons Falcon High Wycombe.** The same one used in 2009.

Directions : Out of the station (Down side) onto Amersham Hill and down to the bottom, turn right along High St into the pedestrian zone. Spoons is near the old market hall on the left.

Depart 11:00 to catch 11:10 bus 300 in direction of Aylesbury to Lacey Green Millenium Hall.

2. **Black Horse Lacey Green:** GBG www.blackhorse-pub.co.uk 11:30-12:15 Brakspear and 2 guests. Food, Garden. Walk 500 yards to

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3. **The Whip Lacey Green:** GBG www.whipinn.co.uk 12.30-13:30: 6 hand pumps, all from micro breweries (On the recce I ha one from Jarrow). Food, Garden with the windmill behind. Catch bus to Naphill adj Holly End

4. **Black Lion Naphill:** GBG www.blacklonnaphill.com 13:40-14:15: 2 Rebellion, Grumpling, and Doom Bar – Food, Garden walk 500 yards to

5. **The Wheel Naphill:** GBG www.thewheelnaphill.com 14.25-end: Green King included as always appears in local CAMRA pub of year list. Food, Garden Bus next door to HWY

Travel tips

Getting there

Chiltern trains are all standard class.

Trains from Marylebone

Pl.	6.	4.	6.	1.	4.	6.	5.	6.
MYB.	09:10	09:20	09:25	09:45	09:48	10:18	10:21	10:25
HWY.	09:43.	09:51.	10:08.	10:08.	10:15.	10:44.	10:54.	11:09

Platform numbers not guaranteed; for 4, 5 and 6; allow 3 minutes walk from barrier. Do not use Oyster card to go through as Wycombe is outside LfT area.

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Trains from the midlands via Banbury

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BHM.		09:04			Bournemouth service
BAN.	09:54.	10:08.		10:13	Same platform
PRR.			10:51		alternative if running late into Banbury and miss 10:08
HWY.	11:04				

Buses. All route 300 Aylesbury/High Wycombe

From HWY Bus Station

at :10 :25 :40 :55 for 18 minute journey to Lacey Green Millennium Hall
Black Horse on Wycombe side of bus stop.

From PRR at end of Poppy Road bus towards High Wycombe

at :22 :37 :52 :07 for 7 minutes journey to Lacey Green Millennium Hall
This is stop 500 yards after top of the hill which is the Whip

For HWY starters who are on a bus after 11:40 bus the best is to go directly to
The Whip at Lacey Green.

Homeward bound.

At High Wycombe allow a good 15 minutes from bus stop to station. Alight at
stop in Frogmoor just the town side of The railway viaduct, keep to left hand
pavement round corner at end the straight along Castle Street to come out just
below station entrance on Amersham Hill. The London bound platform is a
good march from station entrance.

Return from Wycombe to London

at 01 29 37 41 50 past the hour

Return from High Wycombe to Birmingham

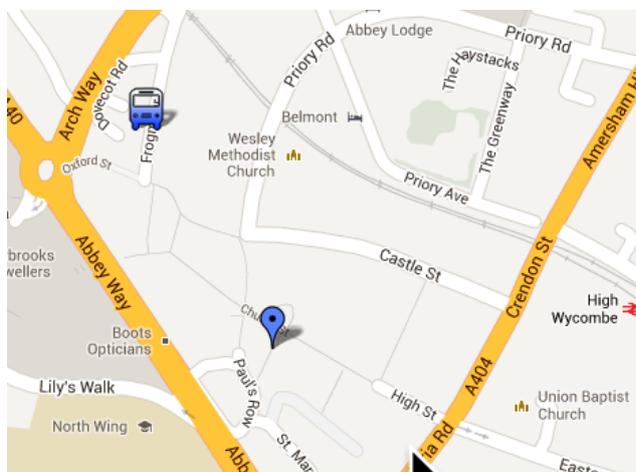
From HWY 15:09 BMO 16:33

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Maps - not really needed.

This page has map of central High Wycombe: Stn right, Spoons centre bottom and bus stop in Frogmoor cant miss railway viaduct across this road. Then Princes Risborough stn left to bus stops right up Poppy Road.

High Wycombe - Spoons and bus stop



Princes Risborough stn to Bus stops

