



# Windermere Ferry

Passenger and vehicle ferry (up to 18 vehicles) plying between Ferry Nab, Bowness and Ferry House, Far Sawrey (Daily)

## Departure times from Ferry Nab, Bowness

### Summer (British Summer Time)

Last Sunday in March – Last Saturday in October

### Winter (Greenwich Mean Time)

Last Sunday in October – Last Saturday in March

Mon - Sat	06.50 - approx. every 20 mins until - 21.50	Mon - Sat	06.50 - approx. every 20 mins until - 20.50
Sunday	09.10 - approx. every 20 mins until - 21.50	Sunday	09.50 - approx. every 20 mins until - 20.50

## Departure times from Ferry House, Far Sawrey

10 minutes later than above until 22.00 in summer and 21.00 in winter

**25 and 26 December** - NO SERVICE

**1 January** - Service operating from 10.10 - 17.30 (times from Ferry Nab)

Schedule of fares	Single	Book of 20 tickets	Annual Contract	Quarterly contract
	£	£	£	£
Pedestrian	0.50	5.00	30.00	-
Pedal cycle (including cyclists)	1.00	10.00	30.00	-
Moped, motorcycle, horse	1.60	16.00	60.00	-
All private vehicles and light goods vehicles up to 1.5 tonnes weight and up to 15ft (4.6m) long	4.40	44.00	150.00	40.00
Caravan, trailer	4.40	44.00	150.00	40.00
Goods vehicle from 1.5 to 8 tonnes weight (max) and up to 26ft (8m) long (max)	7.80	78.00	265.00	70.00
Minibus or coach with up to 16 passenger seats	7.80	78.00	265.00	70.00
Minibus or coach with more than 16 passenger seats up to 8 tonnes weight (max) and up to 26ft (8m) long (max)	16.30	163.00	750.00	190.00

NB: Motor vehicle, cyclist and horse fares include the charge for the driver and passengers/rider.

Vehicles for disabled people with vehicle excise duty exemption free of charge.

Children under four years of age free of charge.

The total weight of any vehicle, including load, must not exceed 8 tonnes.

In all cases the onus will be upon the driver to show that the gross weight of the vehicle does not exceed 8 tonnes.



## Windermere Ferry Timetable and fares



Take time to reflect



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## Continuing a tradition

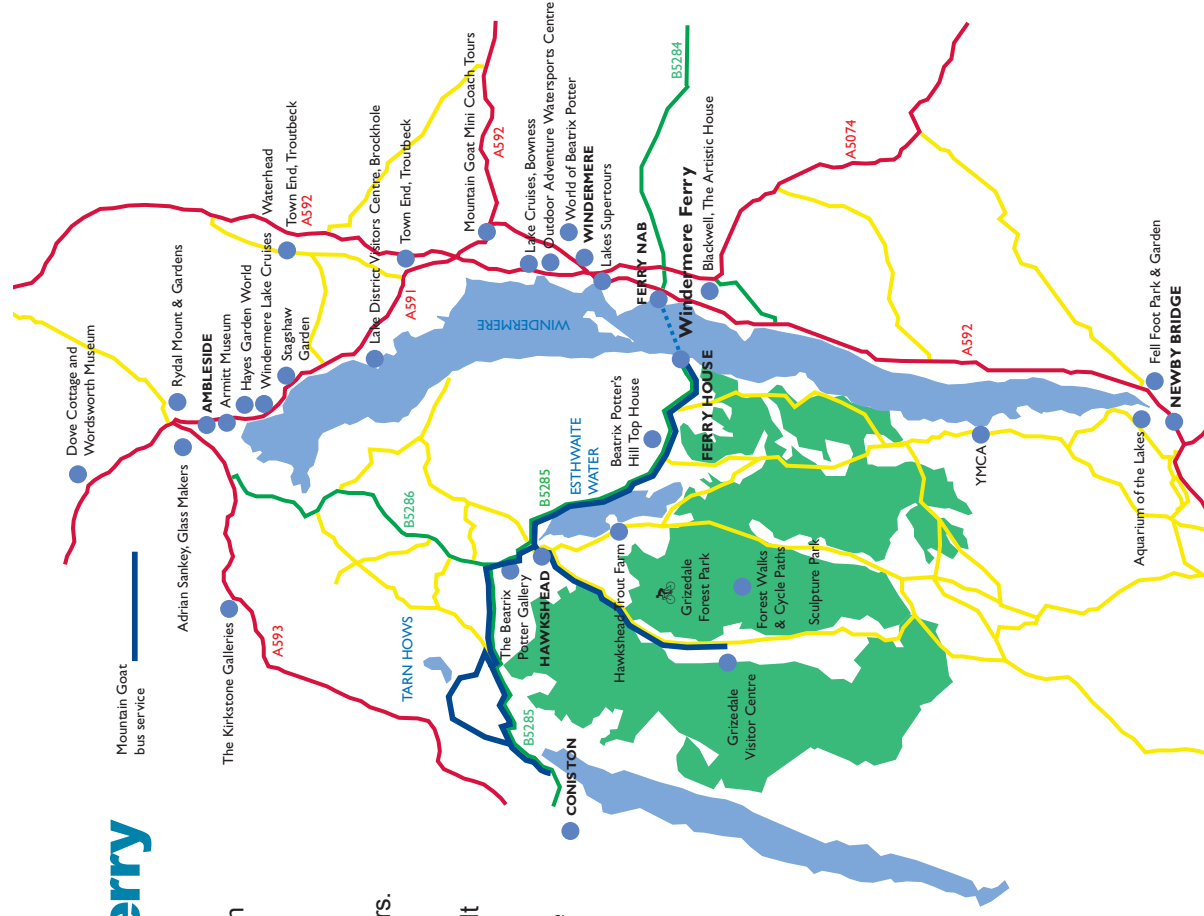
Windermere Ferry has been operating for more than 500 years. The original craft were rowed across the lake, later ferries were steam driven and the most recent ones have had diesel engines. The current ferry 'Mallard' is the largest so far; a modern craft which carries up to 18 cars and over 100 passengers. The ferry takes people, vehicles, horses and cycles across the lake, reducing traffic on the surrounding narrow roads and easing congestion and pollution. It also acts as a link between the busy eastern shore of the lake and the peaceful countryside between Windermere and Coniston on the west, where there are many attractions and facilities for walking, riding and cycling.

In the summer months, there is a minibus service between Ferry House and Hawkshead, calling at Beatrix Potter's Hilltop House. The ferry offers the opportunity to leave the car behind, cross the lake on foot and catch the bus, relaxing all the while and enjoying the scenery while someone else does all the work.

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