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# TIMETABLE

(SOME SERVICES MAY HAVE REDUCED DAYS OVER QUIETER MONTHS)

## CHRISTCHURCH – PICTON

### MORNING

	Chc Airport	**6.30 am
<b>Departs Christchurch</b>	<b>7.15 am</b>	
	Cheviot	8.35 am
<b>Arrives</b>	Kaikoura (break)	9.45 am
	Departs Kaikoura	10.15 am
	Kekerengu	10.45 am
	Blenheim	11.55 am
<b>Arrives Picton</b>	<b>12.25 pm</b>	

### AFTERNOON

#### SEASONAL SUMMER SERVICE Fri, Sat, Sun and Mon only

<b>Departs Christchurch</b>	<b>*1.15 pm</b>	
	Chc Airport	**1.25 pm
	Cheviot (break)	3.30 pm
<b>Departs</b>	Kaikoura	4.30 pm
	Kekerengu	5.10 pm
	Blenheim	6.10 pm
<b>Arrives Picton</b>	<b>6.40 pm</b>	

\*Connections available from Dunedin (seasonal only). Connects with Bluebridge Ferry.

\*\*Bookings essential, surcharges apply.

## PICTON – CHRISTCHURCH

### MORNING

#### SEASONAL SUMMER SERVICE Fri, Sat, Sun and Mon only

<b>Departs Picton</b>	<b>*7.15 am</b>	
	Blenheim	7.45 am
	Ward	8.20 am
	Kaikoura (break)	10.00 am
	Cheviot	11.00 am

**Arrives Christchurch 12.45 pm**

\*Connections available to Dunedin (seasonal only).

### AFTERNOON

<b>Departs Picton</b>	<b>1.00 pm</b>	
	Blenheim	1.30 pm
<b>Departs</b>	Ward	2.15 pm
	Kaikoura (break)	4.00 pm
	Cheviot	4.50 pm
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>	<b>6.40 pm</b>	

**IMPORTANT:** Schedule allows day trips to Kaikoura to connect with Whale Watch.

## CHRISTCHURCH – NELSON

<b>Departs Christchurch</b>	<b>7.15 am</b>	
	Cheviot	8.35 am
	Kaikoura (break)	10.15 am
<b>Arrives Blenheim</b>	<b>11.55 am</b>	
<b>Departs Blenheim</b>	<b>12.45 pm</b>	
	Havelock	1.15 pm
	Rai Valley	1.35 pm
<b>Arrives Nelson</b>	<b>2.30 pm</b>	

Not direct, change of bus and delay in Blenheim.

## NELSON – CHRISTCHURCH

<b>Departs Nelson</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	
	Rai Valley	10.20 am
	Havelock	10.35 am
<b>Arrives Blenheim</b>	<b>11.15 am</b>	
<b>Departs Blenheim</b>	<b>1.30 pm</b>	
	Ward	2.15 pm
	Kaikoura	4.00 pm
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>	<b>6.40 pm</b>	

Not direct, change of bus and delay in Blenheim.

## NELSON – PICTON

<b>Departs Nelson</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	
	Rai Valley	10.20 am
	Havelock	10.35 am
	Blenheim	**11.15 am
<b>Arrives Picton</b>	<b>11.45 pm</b>	

## PICTON – NELSON

<b>Departs Picton</b>	<b>12.15 pm</b>	
	Blenheim	**12.45 pm
	Havelock	1.15 pm
	Rai Valley	1.35 pm
<b>Arrives Nelson</b>	<b>2.30 pm</b>	

\*\*Connects with Atomic services to/from Chch, Kaikoura and Ferry

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**MOTUEKA – NELSON**

<b>Departs Motueka</b>	<b>7:15am</b>
Tasman	7:30am
Ruby Bay	7:35am
Mapua	7:40am
Richmond	7:50am**
Stoke	8:00am
<b>Arrives Nelson</b>	<b>8:15am*</b>

\*\*Connects with Intercity services to The West Coast

\*Connects with Atomic services to Picton and Christchurch

**NELSON – MOTUEKA**

<b>Departs Nelson</b>	<b>3:30pm*</b>
Stoke	3:45pm
Richmond	3:55pm**
Mapua	4:05pm
Ruby Bay	4:10pm
Tasman	4:15pm
<b>Arrives Motueka</b>	<b>4:30pm</b>

\*Connects with Atomic services from Picton and Christchurch

\*\*Connects with Intercity services to The West Coast

**NELSON – FOX GLACIER VIA PUNAKAIKI**

<b>Departs Nelson</b>	<b>7.15 am</b>
Richmond	7.45 am
Kawatiri Jct	8.35 am
Murchison	9.30 am
Inangahua Jct	10.15 am
Westport	10.55 am
Punakaiki	12.35 pm
Greymouth	**1.30 pm
Hokitika	2.55 pm
Franz Josef	5.05 pm
<b>Arrives Fox Glacier</b>	<b>5.40 pm</b>

Connects with Atomic to & from ChCh

**FOX GLACIER – NELSON VIA PUNAKAIKI**

<b>Departs Fox Glacier</b>	<b>8.30 am</b>
Franz Josef	9.15 am
Hokitika	12.30 am
Greymouth	1.15 pm
Punakaiki	3.00 pm
Westport	3.50 pm
Inangahua	4.35 pm
Murchison	5.50 pm
Kawatiri Jct	6.15 pm
Richmond	7.10 pm
<b>Arrives Nelson</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>

Connects with Atomic to & from ChCh

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**CHRISTCHURCH – GREYMOOUTH**

CHC Airport	**6.45 am
<b>Departs Christchurch</b>	<b>7.30 am</b>
Darfield (demand only)	8.10 am
Springfield	8.25 am
Porter Heights	8.45 am
Arthurs Pass (break)	10.00 am
Jacksons	10.20 am
Moana	10.50 am
<b>Arrives Greymouth</b>	<b>11.15 am</b>

Connections to Fox and Franz Josef Glaciers and Hokitika (small delay).

\*\* Bookings essential, surcharges apply.

**GREYMOOUTH – CHRISTCHURCH**

<b>Departs Greymouth</b>	<b>1.30 pm</b>
Moana	2.00 pm
Jacksons	2.15 pm
Arthurs Pass (break)	3.15 pm
Porter Heights	4.00 pm
Springfield	4.20 pm
Darfield (demand only)	4.35 pm
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>	<b>5.15 pm</b>

Connections from Fox and Franz Josef Glaciers and Hokitika (small delay).

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## CHRISTCHURCH – FOX GLACIER VIA GREYMOUTH

	Chc Airport	**6.45 am
<b>Departs Christchurch</b>		<b>7.30 am</b>
	Darfield	8.10 am
	(demand only)	
	Springfield	8.25 am
	Porter Heights	8.45 am
	Arthurs Pass (break)	
		10.00 am
	Jacksons	10.20 am
	Moana	10.50 am
<b>Arrives Greymouth</b>		<b>11.15 am</b>
<i>Operated by Intercity</i>		
	Greymouth	1.30 pm
	Hokitika	2.55 pm
	Franz Josef	5.05 pm
<b>Arrives Fox Glacier</b>		<b>5.40 pm</b>

\*\*Surcharges apply.

## FOX GLACIER - CHRISTCHURCH VIA GREYMOUTH

<b>Departs Fox Glacier</b>		<b>8.30 am</b>
<i>Operated by Intercity</i>		
	Franz Josef	9.15 am
	Hokitika	12.30 am
	Greymouth	1.15 am
<b>Departs Greymouth</b>		<b>1.30 pm</b>
	Moana	2.00 pm
	Jacksons	2.15 pm
	Arthurs Pass (break)	
		3.15 pm
	Porter Heights	4.00 pm
	Springfield	4.20 pm
	Darfield	4.35 pm
	(demand only)	
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>		<b>5.15 pm</b>

Not direct change of bus and delay Greymouth

## QUEENSTOWN – FRANZ JOSEF

<b>Departs Queenstown</b>		<b>8.10 am</b>
	Cromwell	9.00 am
	Wanaka	9.45 am
	Makarora	11.25 am
	Haast	12.50 pm
	Lake Paringa	2.35 pm
	Fox Glacier	3.25 pm
<b>Arrives Franz Josef</b>		<b>4.10 pm</b>

## FRANZ JOSEF – QUEENSTOWN

<b>Departs Franz Josef</b>		<b>8.00 am</b>
	Fox Glacier	8.45 am
	Lake Paringa	10.05 am
	Haast	11.20 am
	Makarora	1.35 pm
	Wanaka	2.35 pm
	Cromwell	3.20 pm
<b>Arrives Queenstown</b>		<b>4.15 pm</b>

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## CHRISTCHURCH – QUEENSTOWN/WANAKA

	Chc Airport	**6.40 am
<b>Departs Christchurch</b>		<b>7.30 am</b>
	Ashburton	8.45 am
	Geraldine	9.25 am
	Fairlie	10.00 am
	Tekapo	10.40 am
	Twizel	11.20 am
	Omarama (break)	12.15 pm
	Tarras	1.15 pm
	Cromwell	1.40 pm
<b>Arrives Queenstown/Wanaka</b>		<b>2.30 pm</b>

\*\*Bookings essential, surcharges apply.

## QUEENSTOWN/WANAKA – CHRISTCHURCH

<b>Departs Queenstown/Wanaka</b>		<b>3.00pm</b>
	Cromwell	3.55 pm
	Tarras	4.15 pm
	Omarama (break)	5.45 pm
	Twizel	6.05 pm
	Tekapo	6.45 pm
	Fairlie	7.20 pm
	Geraldine	8.00 pm
	Ashburton	8.40 pm
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>		<b>9.45pm-10.00 pm</b>

Passengers going to or from Wanaka will transfer at Cromwell

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## CHRISTCHURCH – DUNEDIN

### MORNING

Chc Airport	**7.00 am
<b>Departs Christchurch</b>	<b>*8.00 am</b>
Ashburton	9.20 am
Timaru	10.25 am
Departs Oamaru (break)	12.00 pm
<b>Arrives Dunedin</b>	<b>1.50 pm</b>

\*Connections available to Invercargill off morning service.

### AFTERNOON

<b>Departs Christchurch</b>	<b>*3.00 pm</b>
Chc Airport	**3.15 pm
Ashburton	4.30 pm
Temuka (break)	5.45 pm
Timaru	6.00 pm
Oamaru	7.10 pm
<b>Arrives Dunedin</b>	<b>8.45 pm</b>

\*Connection available from Picton (seasonal only) on afternoon service.

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## DUNEDIN – CHRISTCHURCH

### MORNING

<b>Departs Dunedin</b>	<b>*8.00 am</b>
Departs Oamaru (break)	10.00 am
Timaru	11.10 am
Ashburton	12.10 pm
CHC Airport	1.40 pm
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>	<b>1.50 pm</b>

\*Connection available to Picton only on morning service (seasonal only).

### AFTERNOON

<b>Departs Dunedin</b>	<b>**2.30 pm</b>
Departs Oamaru (break)	4.35 pm
Timaru	5.40 pm
Ashburton	6.45 pm
<b>Arrives Christchurch</b>	<b>8.00 pm</b>
CHC Airport	8.30 pm

\*\*Connections available from Invercargill on afternoon service.

## DUNEDIN/QUEENSTOWN – WANAKA

<b>Departs Dunedin</b>	<b>10.00 am</b>
Milton	10.40 am
Lawrence	11.00 am
Raes Junction	11.15 am
Millers Flat	11.30 am
Roxburgh (break)	12.20 pm
Alexandra	12.50 pm
Cromwell	1.40 pm
<b>Arrives Queenstown/ Wanaka</b>	<b>2.30 pm</b>

## QUEENSTOWN/WANAKA – DUNEDIN

<b>Departs Queenstown/ Wanaka</b>	<b>3.00 pm</b>
Lake Hawea T/off	3.15 pm
Cromwell	3.55 pm
Alexandra	4.30 pm
Roxburgh (break)	5.15 pm
Millers Flat	5.30 pm
Rae's Junction	5.35 pm
Lawrence	6.05 pm
Milton	6.30 pm
<b>Arrives Dunedin</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>

Passengers going to or from Queenstown will transfer at Cromwell

## DUNEDIN – INVERCARGILL

<b>Departs Dunedin</b>	<b>3.15 pm</b>
Mosgiel	3.50 pm
Dunedin Airport (demand only)	4.00 pm
Milton	4.15 pm
Balclutha	4.40 pm
Clinton	5.00 pm
Gore	5.40 pm
Mataura	5.55 pm
Edendale	6.05 pm
<b>Arrives Invercargill</b>	<b>6.30 pm</b>

Connections available from Christchurch.

## INVERCARGILL – DUNEDIN

<b>Departs Invercargill</b>	<b>10.30 am</b>
Edendale	11.00 am
Mataura	11.15 am
Gore	11.30 am
Clinton	12.00 pm
Balclutha	12.30 pm
Milton	12.45 pm
Dunedin Airport (demand only)	1.15 pm
Mosgiel	1.30 pm
<b>Arrives Dunedin</b>	<b>2.00 pm</b>

Connections available to Christchurch.

## GENERAL INFORMATION\*

- Passengers to be ready 15 minutes prior to pick-up times.
- All passengers must be clearly visible at pick-up points.
- Free pick-ups and drop-offs inside the 4-Avenues to Backpacker Hostels and hotel accommodation in Christchurch. (morning service only) Outside the 4-Avenues a pick-up and drop-off fee will be charged (driver's discretion). No pick-ups and drop-offs outside Christchurch except on scheduled Route at designated drop off points and pick up points.
- All residential and Hostel pick-ups must be arranged before 7pm the night prior to travel.
- Children will be charged full price if they require a seat. Babies and infants (less than 3 years old) are free, provided infants do not take a seat (sit on adults lap) one infant per adult, carried on the lap.
- Unaccompanied children: If the company has agreed to carry the child, then the policy is "ALL CARE and NO RESPONSIBILITY" for all children travelling under the age of 14. An adult must be present to put the child on the bus and an adult must be waiting at collection point at least 10 minutes prior to arrival. Contact phone numbers must be given for both origin and destination at time of booking.
- All Luggage must be clearly labelled otherwise carried at owners own risk. We allow 1 bag (20-22kg) per person plus a carry on.
- If service involves a change of vehicle eg Christchurch to Nelson (1st) Christchurch- Blenheim, (2nd) Blenheim - Nelson it is up to the passenger to ensure all luggage is transferred over.
- Excess luggage \$5 - \$10 (drivers discretion no guarantees)
- Bikes \$15 (2 bikes only per run). Own risk. No compensation will be given if the bikes are damaged in any way. Bikes must fit a standard bike rack.
- If a passenger disembarks a bus for any reason without informing the driver, and the bus departs from the location Atomic Tours and Shuttles will take no responsibility for any costs incurred nor will the driver turn the bus around.
- All services subject to demand and weather.
- Some services may be reduced days over winter months.
- All prices are subject to change without prior notification.
- Should road closures, weather conditions, traffic, breakdowns or any other events outside our control cause a delay to the service, we will not be responsible for any cost incurred from missing onward travel.

# CANCELLATION – REFUND CONDITIONS ON STANDARD FARES

- If you cancel up to 12 hours prior to **\*departure time of service** or prior to the day of travel a refund of 90% of ticket will be given.
  - \* NB: All **cancellations within 48 hrs of travel** must be phoned through to the Atomic Office (Ph 0508-108-359) **no email or text cancellations** will be accepted within this period.
- If you cancel 12 hours prior to **\*departure time of service** or on the day of travel a **50% refund** will apply unless you have cancelled within 3 hours from the **\*departure time of service** then **no refund nor ticket re-issue will be given.**
  - \* NB: *Departure time is from the town of origin of each service.*  
*Eg: Christchurch-Picton departure time 7.15, regardless of where you join the journey.*
- Cancellations within three hours of departure time of service **no refund nor ticket re-issue will be given.**
- Once a ticket has been transferred the ticket then becomes non-transferable and non-refundable. Within 12 hours of **departure time of service** a 50% transfer fee will be incurred.
- Within 3 hours of **"departure time of service"**, tickets then become non-transferable and non-refundable.

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## CENTRAL PICK UPS MAIN CITY AND DROP OFF POINTS

- Christchurch** ..... Canterbury Museum, Rolleston Avenue  
**Cromwell**..... Lode Lane (behind Z Energy Service Station)  
**Blenheim**..... Blenheim Railway Station, State Highway 1  
**Dunedin** ..... Dunedin Railway Station, Cnr Anzac and Stuart St  
**Greymouth** ..... Greymouth Railway Station Cnr Mackay St and Mawhera Quay  
**Hokitika** ..... **iSITE** Centre, 36 Weld St  
**Invercargill**..... **iSITE** Centre, Gala St (Museum)  
**Kaikoura** ..... **iSITE** Centre, Westend, opposite Why Not Cafe, outside Fishtank Lodge (86 West End)  
**Motueka**..... **iSITE** Centre, 20 Wallace St  
**Nelson** ..... **iSITE** Carpark, Millers Acre Carpark  
**Picton** ..... **iSITE** Centre, The Foreshore or Interislander Ferry Terminal  
**Oamaru**..... La Gonda tearooms  
**Queenstown** ..... The Station, corner of Camp and Shotover St  
**Wanaka**..... **iSITE** Centre, Log Cabin Lake front car park  
**Timaru** ..... **iSITE** Centre, 2 George St  
**Lake Tekapo**..... Outside 4 Square/White Garage

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