



The Open Top Bus Site

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Fleet Lists - Isle of Wight, England

This is our list of current open top buses in Isle of Wight, England

NEWPORT - Go South Coast Ltd. (Southern Vectis - ancillary fleet) [Go-Ahead Group]

A174 VFM formerly used as a tree lopper; Y747 TGH under conversion 2017 to replace it.

Fleet List

FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
	A174 VFM	Leyland Olympian / ECW	O--/--F	red/black/white with yellow front - (tree lopper)	Wilts & Dorset, 4/07
	Y747 TGH	Volvo B7TL / Plaxton President	O--/--D (under conversion)	Island Coaster (orange & brown with dinosaur images)	converted from conventional bus, -/17

NEWPORT - Go South Coast Ltd. (Southern Vectis) [Go-Ahead Group]

Buses garaged at Newport; used on Island Breezer services around the island: 1111 scheduled for the 'Shanklin Steamer', 1991/2 for the 'Needles Breezer'.

Fleet List

FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
	CDL 899	Bristol K / ECW	O30/26R	Southern Vectis (cream & green) named "The Old Girl"	New, 7/39, as a conventional bus. Converted to open top, ?/59
	GSK 962	Volvo B7TL / Plaxton President	PO47/28F	THE NEEDLES BREEZER (orange/blue/turquoise/green)	new as conventional bus, 10/02
	HF09 FVU	Scania N230UD / Optare Visionaire	PO51/29F	ISLANDBREEZERS (turquoise / green / orange with white flash)	New as part open top, 6/09; transferred from Purbeck Breezer, 11/16)
	HF09 FVV	Scania N230UD / Optare Visionaire	PO51/29F	ISLANDBREEZERS (turquoise / green / orange with white flash)	New as part open top, 6/09; transferred from Purbeck Breezer, 9/16)
	HF09 FVW	Scania N230UD / Optare Visionaire	PO51/29F	ISLANDBREEZERS (turquoise / green / orange with white flash)	New as part open top, 6/09; transferred from Purbeck Breezer, 9/16)
	R737 XRV	Volvo Olympian / Northern Counties 'Palatine I'	PO44/29F	island breezers (2 blues/orange 'sunshine')	Solent Blue Line (737), Eastleigh, ???
	VDL 744	Scania CN270UD / Scania OmniCity	PO45/28F	ISLANDBREEZERS (green / turquoise / blue / white)	converted following fire damage (2015) [allocated to Shanklin Steamer service]
	WDL 691	Volvo B7TL / Plaxton President	PO47/28F	THE NEEDLES BREEZER (orange/blue/turquoise/green)	new as conventional bus, 10/02

Previous Registration Numbers

GSK 962 was previously HW52 EPL

R737 XRV was previously XDL 872, R737 XRV

VDL 744 was previously HW58 ASX

WDL 691 was previously HW52 EPK

NEWPORT - Holmes & Barnard (Private)

Bus privately owned.

Fleet List

FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
-	GTA 51N	Bristol VRT / ECW	O43/32F	WESTBROOK TRAVEL (yellow & cream with maroon band)	Newbus, Nettlestone, Isle of Wight, 9/03

RYDE - DOUBLEDECKER DINER LTD.

Bus used as a mobile catering unit.

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FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
-	C814 BYY	Leyland Olympian / ECW	OPO31/--D	The DOUBLE DECKER DINER (red with white roof)	Holden (private), Sandown, IoW, 3/15

RYDE - The Isle of Wight Bus & Coach Museum

Buses owned by and displayed at The Isle of Wight Bus & Coach Museum.

Fleet List

FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
K125	BUD	Volvo B10B / Northern Counties Paladin	OPO48F	the Shanklin steamer (orange & cream) named "King's Quay"	Go South Coast Ltd. [Southern Vectis] 95625), 12/14
K743	ODL	Leyland Olympian / Northern Counties 'Palatine I'	PO45/29F	island breezers (2 blues/orange 'sunshine')	donated by Go South Coast Ltd. (4643), 10/16
YWG	109	Bristol K / ECW (1954)	O32/28R	SOUTHERN VECTIS (cream & green)	Beyer, Hoofdorp, Netherlands, 6/09 (repatriated & donated by David Daniels)

Previous Registration Numbers

K125 BUD was previously K8 KLL

YWG 109 was previously 26-81-HB, FLJ 538

RYDE - The Isle of Wight Bus & Coach Museum (vehicle on loan)

Buses owned by private individuals but displayed at The Isle of Wight Bus & Coach Museum.

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FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
DDL	50	Bristol K / ECW	O30/26R	Southern Vectis (cream & green)	Southern Vectis (001), Isle of Wight, 10/79
-	NG 1109	Reo Pullman / Taylor	OO23D	The Pride, Wellow (dark brown & cream)	? , ???

UNKNOWN - H. Cundall, D. Forrester, G. Slater & I. Wadmore (P)

Bus privately owned.

Fleet List

FLEET NO	REG NO	CHASSIS / BODY	LAYOUT	LIVERY	PREVIOUS KNOWN OWNER
R741	XRV	Volvo Olympian / Northern Counties 'Palatine I'	PO44/29F	island breezers (2 blues/orange 'sunshine')	Go South Coast Ltd. (4641), 11/16

Previous Registration Numbers

R741 XRV was previously VDL 744, R741 XRV