

We are a new local bus company based in Rothbury proposing to reintroduce daily scheduled services between Coquetdale and Alnwick.

Our proposals are as follows:

Route 1 Thropton - Rothbury - Alnwick Monday - Saturday / Sunday.

- Multiple journeys during the day from Thropton via Rothbury, Cragside and Edlingham to Alnwick with some potentially serving Alnmouth Station.
- Allow residents of Coquetdale to access the extended facilities Alnwick has to offer including leisure, health, jobs and evening events.
- Allow visitors to travel to Coquetdale to access attractions and businesses.

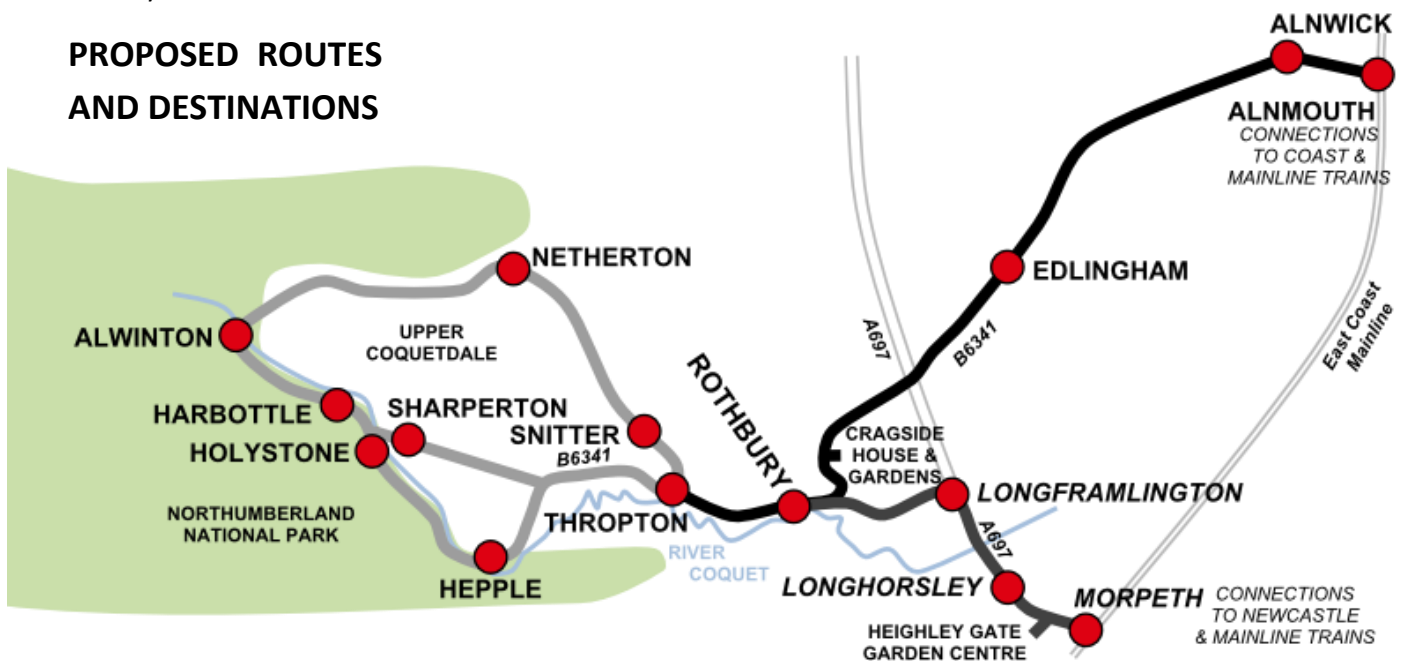
Route 2 Rothbury – Upper Coquetdale Monday - Saturday.

- Two mid-day round trips linking Upper Coquetdale to Rothbury.
- Allow residents access to local shops and connections with buses to Morpeth, Alnwick and Upper Coquetdale community transport schemes.
- Allow visitors access to the upper valley’s attractions from further afield.

Route 3 Thropton - Rothbury - Morpeth Late Friday / Saturday evening & Sunday / Bank Holiday.

- Allow residents to enjoy evening events in Morpeth and connect with the last buses arriving from Newcastle.
- Two day time services from Thropton to Morpeth via Rothbury, Longframlington and Longhorsley on Sundays and Bank Holidays for residents and visitors to travel to and from the area.

PROPOSED ROUTES AND DESTINATIONS



In order to evaluate the feasibility of operating these new services we need the feedback from as many people in the community as possible.

Pick up and return our questionnaire at the following locations:

- Rothbury - Tully’s of Rothbury Shop
- Rothbury - Shepherds Walks (TIC) Office
- Alnwick - Tourist Information Centre

- Alwinton - Rose & Thistle Public House
- Longframlington - David Carr’s Shop
- Longhorsley - Sandwiches @ Millars Shop

Alternatively you can find out more and fill in our online survey at www.spiritbuses.co.uk or email us with your feedback at admin@spiritbuses.co.uk

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