

# Bassetlaw Community Minibuses



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The Bassetlaw Community Minibuses are wheelchair friendly minibuses which are available to local community groups who need flexible, affordable and accessible solutions to their transport needs.

## Who Can Use The Minibuses

The minibuses are operated by **Bassetlaw Action Centre** under a Section 19 Minibus Permit which makes it available to not for profit community groups. Groups eligible to use the minibus would be those concerned with:

- Health and Social Welfare
- Religious Activities
- Environmental
- Educational
- Sports

## The Minibuses

The minibuses are fully wheelchair accessible with an under floor lift ensuring ease of access. Its features include:

- Seating capacity for up to 16 passengers
- Up to 6 fixed wheelchairs
- Flexible seating plan
- Hydraulic tail lift
- Handrail and steps



To check the availability of the minibuses or request a quote, please call the **Bassetlaw Action Centre** on 01777 709650

## Benefits Of The Community Minibus

The minibuses have the facilities to enable wheelchair users to board and alight using a passenger lift and specialist equipment to secure both the user and their wheelchair.

Using our minibuses ensures that your journey is more affordable, safe and legal as well as being provided in properly serviced and well maintained vehicles.

The minibuses are maintained according to a strict maintenance regime and has regular safety checks to ensure road-worthiness.

## Membership

Any not for profit community group or club wanting to make use of the service offered by the Bassetlaw Community Minibuses are required to have daily or annual membership through the **Bassetlaw Action Centre**.

A no obligation quote will be given for required journeys; please call 01777 709650 or email us via [transport@actioncentre.org.uk](mailto:transport@actioncentre.org.uk) for a membership form and a quotation.

**Bassetlaw Action Centre** is a registered charity and therefore operates on a not for profit basis.

## Who Drives The Minibus?

The minibuses is driven by **Bassetlaw Action Centre** registered and trained volunteer drivers. They have all been trained under the Community Transport Association's MiDAS training scheme.

This covers:

- Defensive driving
- Minibuses and the law
- Emergency procedures
- Comprehensive training in the safe use of passenger lifts
- Disability awareness
- Wheelchair handling
- Securing passengers in wheelchairs on the minibus

## Volunteering Opportunities

If you enjoy driving and meeting people, then driving our community minibuses could be a great way to get out and about in your spare time. We are always looking to add to our bank of volunteer drivers at **Bassetlaw Action Centre**, please contact us for more information.



## Have You Ever Thought About Volunteering?

If you enjoy meeting people and helping the local community you are the ideal person to volunteer on any one of our schemes. Any amount of time that you are able to give to a scheme is welcome.

We pay 45p per mile, for every mile that you drive on behalf of a scheme. If you are interested in volunteering for us, please contact **Bassetlaw Action Centre** for more information.

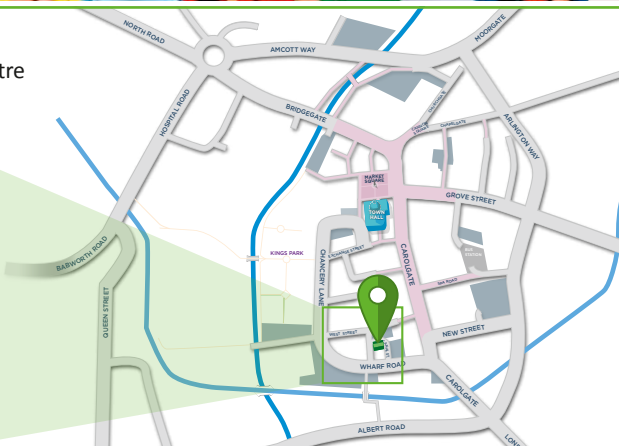


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