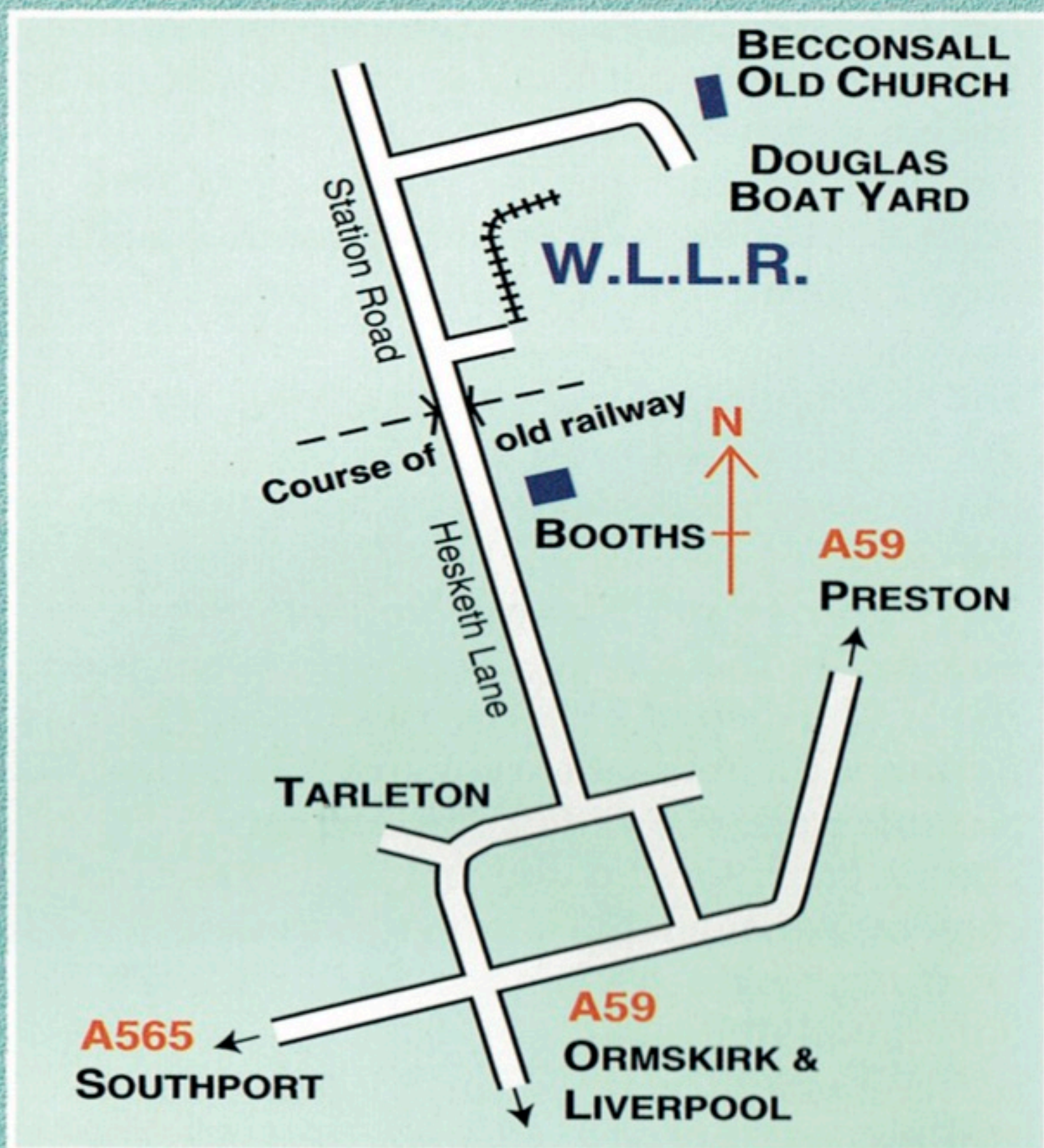


HOW TO FIND US



Free Car Parking is available on site.

SATNAV Reference PR4 6SP

Hesketh Bank is served by Stagecoach Bus Service 2 between Southport & Preston. On Sundays and Bank holidays buses run hourly.

For more information about the West Lancashire Light Railway
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ABOUT US

The West Lancashire Light Railway was started in 1967, when six enthusiasts were determined to conserve some of the mainly industrial equipment that was fast disappearing during the last few decades. The Railway serves as a working museum for a variety of historic locomotives and other railway equipment from industrial sites in Britain and overseas

The Railway is now home to eight steam locomotives (four of which are in working order) and a remarkable collection of petrol, diesel and battery powered locomotives

The line is short but benefits from pleasant semi-rural surroundings, overlooking the claypit of a former brickworks. Tickets, refreshments and souvenirs are available from the ticket office, and picnic tables are provided on site.

The Railway is operated by volunteers who give their time freely to restore, maintain and operate these relics of a bygone era.



WHEN DO WE OPERATE

The Railway is open and steam locomotives operate every Sunday and Bank Holiday from Easter to the end of October.

TRAIN TIMES

First train: 11.30
then every 20 minutes
Last train 4.30

In addition there are a number of special events held throughout the year, when additional locomotives and other attractions may be present. Steam hauled Santa Specials run on December weekends prior to Christmas.

We can accommodate special groups and birthday parties, and we also offer 'Drive an Engine' days.

You can download a copy of the relevant leaflet from our website www.westlancs.org
Or in writing to: Hon Secretary,
West Lancashire Light Railway Trust
Station Road, Hesketh Bank, PR4 6SP

The Railway is a non-profit venture supported and operated by 'The West Lancashire Light Railway Trust' (a registered charity) and is run entirely by volunteers. New members are always welcome.

2016 SPECIAL EVENTS

Great Easter Egg Hunt - Sunday, 27th March
Ride the train, spot the Easter eggs and enter the competition.

Friendly Engines Day - Sunday, April 10th
At least two engines in steam (with friendly faces). Ideal day for families with young children

Teddy Bears' Outing - Sunday, May 22nd
There's bound to be plenty of surprises down in the woods today! - Bring a bear and travel half fare!

Strawberries and Steam - Sunday, 19th June
Fun for all the family! - Enjoy a steam train ride and a dish of Strawberries.

Summer Steam Gala Weekend
Saturday 6th & Sunday, 7th August
Plenty of action on the tracks - bring your camera. All available engines in steam

Working Engines - Sunday, 2nd October
All available engines in steam, plus diesel-hauled freight trains, intensive service.

Halloween Specials - Sunday, 30th October
Come along for a scary ride - no need to book!
Special trains 5.30pm, 6.00pm and 6.30pm

Children in Need Special
Sunday, 6th November

Two engines in steam - FREE train rides!
Please contribute to the BBC Children in Need appeal

Santa Specials
11th, 17th, 18th & 24th December

Children meet Santa and receive a present
Adults get a free mince pie! Hot dogs and hot drinks available
Advance booking is strongly recommended to ensure seats on your preferred train

Note: Special Fares apply on Event Days