

## Community Links A Travel Lifeline

This service is for all residents, wherever they may live in the district, who are stuck for transport to get to local destinations on weekdays between about 9.15am and 2.30pm. The scheme is for those who:

- Have a genuine need for local transport and
- Cannot access public transport because of mobility problems or other issues or
- Live in an isolated location with no other form of transport available to them

The Community Links service can be used for a wide variety of travel needs, such as visiting friends, attending social groups, leisure activities, lifelong learning and, of course, shopping.

Stratford-on-Avon District Council is under a duty to protect the public funds it administers, and to this end may use the information you have provided on this form for the prevention and detection of fraud. It may also share this information with other bodies responsible for auditing or administering public funds for these purposes.  
For further information, see <http://www.stratford.gov.uk/datamatching>

*The Community Links service makes about 1000 passenger journeys per month.*

*"It's an excellent service and the drivers are very helpful"*

*"The service has allowed me to be more independent"*

*"There are no buses where I live so it really is a lifesaver for me"*

*"Freedom, Freedom, Freedom. Life is good with Links"*

If you find the text in this publication difficult to read we can supply it in a format better suited to your needs.



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# Community Links

**a door-to-door service for all residents stuck for transport**



**A travel lifeline**

**☎ 01789 264491**

**email:**

**[community.links@stratford-dc.gov.uk](mailto:community.links@stratford-dc.gov.uk)**

## Community Links Travel Information

<p><b>West of Stratford</b>                  Bidford                  Alcester                  Studley                  Henley                  Tanworth-in-Arden  <b>+ surrounding villages</b>  <b>+ Stratford Town area</b></p>	<p><b>Operates on:</b>                  Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday</p>
<p><b>East of Stratford</b>                  Southam                  Kineton                  Harbury                  Wellesbourne  <b>+ surrounding villages</b>  <b>+ Stratford Town area</b></p>	<p><b>Operates on:</b>                  Monday, Thursday, Friday                  and also                  Tuesday for Southam Market</p>
<p><b>South of Stratford</b>                  Shipston                  Tysoe                  Long Compton                  Quinton  <b>+ surrounding villages</b>  <b>+ Stratford Town area</b></p>	<p><b>Operates on:</b>                  Monday, Wednesday, Thursday</p>

### What do you have to pay?

Customers will be charged a flat rate of :

**£1.30 for a single journey**

**£2.60 for a return journey**

**Please note** that if you are a carer and are travelling with the person you care for, then you can travel **free of charge**.

Community Links vehicles have disability access.

### Registering for the Service

People who need this service have to register with us by completing and returning the form opposite. There is no registration charge and when you register we will send you further details.

**Please note:** so that we can attempt to meet all requests for transport within the district, we ask that you try to give us **three working days notice**.

Title: (Mr, Mrs, Miss, Other) .....

Forename: .....

Surname: .....

Address: .....

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Postcode: .....

Telephone No: .....

Year of Birth .....

**1. Will you need assistance getting in and out of the vehicle?**

Yes  No

**2. Are you a wheelchair user?**

Yes  No

Comments: .....

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I confirm that I am stuck for transport

Signed: .....

### Please post this form to:

Community Links  
 Voluntary Action Stratford-on-Avon District  
 Suite 3, Arden Court, Arden Street  
 STRATFORD-UPON-AVON CV37 6NT

