

Accessing the Community Bus Policy and Application for Hire Forms

- * The Port Pirie Community Bus is housed at the Crystal Brook Hospital.
- * The Community Bus Application For Hire Forms must be completed by the person who is responsible for driving the vehicle to confirm the booking.
- * Forms can be accessed from the Council Offices in Port Pirie or Crystal Brook, or downloaded from the Port Pirie Regional Council website.
- * Information can be found on the website:

Step 1. Go to
www.pirie.sa.gov.au. →
Community Services &
Facilities → Transport Services

Step 2. Open up and double click
Community Bus Guidelines or the
Drivers Authorisation and Agreement
Form.

Step 3. Complete the application
forms and to the Port Pirie or Crystal
Brook Council Office

Bookings for the Community Bus
can be made by contacting the
Crystal Brook Rural Office,
Bowman Street, Crystal Brook -
phone 08 8636 2150

The bus is available for hire at
various days and times,
including Weekends and
Evenings

For more information which cannot be
answered by the Community Bus Policy or
through contacting staff - please phone
Peter Arnold; Manager, Governance &
Community on
86339733 or email,
parnold@pirie.sa.gov.au



Port Pirie Council Community Bus



Council owns a Community Bus
which is available for hire by
community groups and
organisations when not utilized for
regular bookings

Information about the Community Bus

The Community Bus is a 'Toyota Hiace Commuter'.

It is a diesel automatic and has a seating capacity for 12 people including the driver.

The vehicle has been modified with an electronic step, sliding door, seatbelts, walking frame tie rails, air-conditioning and hand rails.



Charter Hire Information

Community Groups wishing to hire the vehicle must nominate a driver who will be responsible for the vehicle.

There is a minimum fee of \$10.00 for hire of the bus. (Check Council Fees and Charges for latest minimum fee)

The Hire rate is lower for aged & disabled groups at a rate of \$0.50c per km. (Check Council Fees and Charges for latest rate)

The hire rate for "Not for Profit Organisations" is \$1.00 per km. (Check Council Fees and Charges for latest rate)

A current Drivers License needs to be sited when completing the required documentation.

The bus cannot be used for more than a 24 hour period unless authorized.

Conditions of Hire

- * All documentation needs to be completed according to the Community Bus Policy prior to hire.
- * Number of passengers should not exceed the maximum seating capacity of the bus.
- * The Hirer is responsible for familiarizing themselves with the safe operation of the vehicle prior to taking out passengers.
- * No large parcels, goods or luggage (other than hand luggage) are to be carried in the passenger seating space.
- * The hirer is responsible for returning the bus, refuelled and in a clean condition, at the nominated time.

For more information please see the Community Bus Policy on the Council Website www.pirie.sa.gov.au