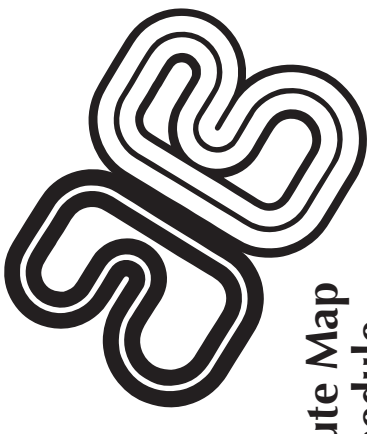


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Routes 8 & 21 Express

Pittsfield Great Barrington Sheffield - Ashley Falls

Effective: April 13, 2015



**Route Map
Schedule**
General Information
For BRTA information call
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FARE FACTS

FULL FARE ADULT		FULL FARE PASS	
Cash	Charlie Card	1 Day	7 Day 30 Day
Local	\$1.75 \$1.40	NONE	\$13.00 \$52
System Wide	\$4.50 \$3.60	\$10	\$35 \$140
REDUCED FARE ADULT		REDUCED FARE PASS	
Cash	Charlie Card	1 Day	7 Day 30 Day
Local	\$0.85 \$0.70	NONE	\$10 \$39
System Wide	\$2.25 \$1.80	\$10	\$26 \$105
SPECIAL FARE PASS			
Student K-12	\$26	30 Day System Wide Pass	
College	\$250	SWide Pass (Aug 1-Dec 31, Jan 1-May 31)	

\$2.20 upcharge to transfer from Local to System Wide

Charlie Cards: Full fare Charlie Cards can be obtained from the bus driver or at the Intermodal Center, 1 Columbus Ave, Pittsfield. Reduced fare cards can be obtained from the Intermodal Center.

FREE Transportation to:

- PCA'S: Personal care attendants accompanying BRTA-certified disabled persons with a BRTA-issued TAP CARD.
- BIRTHDAYS: Free fares on your birthday (proof required).
- CHILDREN: Children 5 years or younger, when accompanied by an adult (limit 2 per adult).

*Reduced fare: Available to the elderly (60+), persons with valid Medicare card, students K-12 and disabled persons with valid Massachusetts Access Pass. Prepare to show your access card every time you board.

BRTA BUS DRIVERS CANNOT MAKE CHANGE.

Transfers: Transfers are **NOT** issued with the payment of a cash fare. Transfers are automatically loaded onto a Charlie Card. Transfers are valid for 60 minutes to continue travel in one direction on a different route.

Fare Zones: Local fare consists of the town you board in plus the adjoining town (Dalton/Hinsdale is one town) System Wide fare consists of 3 or more towns.

ACCESSIBILITY

All buses are wheelchair accessible and are equipped with kneelers. We may not be able to accommodate you if your wheelchair/scooter is longer than 48" or wider than 32" or if your total weight with wheelchair exceeds 600 pounds. The information on this schedule will be produced in an accessible format upon request.

BIKES ON BUSES!

BRTA buses now have bicycle racks on the front bumper. For no additional fare, a bus passenger can bring his/her bike and place it in the bike rack. The bike racks hold two standard two-wheeled bicycles. The bike racks are simple to use: just pull down the rack to load the bike into the rack closest to the bus. Bikes may not be locked into the rack. Use of the bike racks is at the passenger's risk.

LOST AND FOUND

If you leave an item on the bus, please call the BRTA as soon as possible. Tell us what route you were on, the direction you were going and the time and location of your departure from the bus.

DOS AND DON'TS

Do be courteous of other passengers. Please NO smoking or playing of radios on the bus. Large items, for example bicycles, are not allowed in the bus. Place large packages under your seat. Strollers or walking aids must be folded and cannot be left in the aisles. No pets allowed, except those in pet carriers or animals assisting the disabled. Eating on the bus is not allowed. Non-alcoholic beverages may be consumed so long as they are contained in a spill-proof cup or bottle. Drinks must be disposed of properly, and not left on seats or floors.

HOLIDAYS

No service on the following days: New Years Day, Martin Luther King Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas.

Note: Full weekday service will be operated on Presidents Day and Patriots Day.



All BRTA buses are accessible to the disabled

ROUTE 8 & 21 EXPRESS

Pittsfield
Great Barrington
Sheffield - Ashley Falls



OUTBOUND TO GREAT BARRINGTON

	A.M. Rt 21-EXP	A.M. Rt 21-EXP			P.M. Rt 21-EXP	P.M. Rt 21-EXP
Intermodal Center	6:10	7:10	---	---	4:30	5:30
Lenox	6:27	7:27	---	---	4:47	5:47
Stockbridge (Main St)	6:35	7:35	---	---	4:55	5:55
Rite Aid Great Barrington	6:46	7:46	---	---	5:06	6:06
Fairgrounds Plaza, (Big Y)	6:50	7:50	---	---	5:10	6:10

INBOUND TO PITTSFIELD

Fairgrounds Plaza, (Big Y)	6:55	7:55	---	---	5:15	6:55
Rite Aid Great Barrington	6:59	7:59	---	---	5:19	6:59
Stockbridge (Main St)	7:10	8:10	---	---	5:30	7:10
Lenox (Walker St @ Rt 7)	7:18	8:18	---	---	5:38	7:18
Intermodal Center	7:35	8:35	---	---	5:55	7:35
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INBOUND TO GREAT BARRINGTON AND PITTSFIELD

		Rt-8				Rt-8
Ashley Falls Post Office	---	7:25	---	---	---	---
Dewey Court Sheffield	---	7:35	---	---	---	---
Sheffield Village Center	---	7:40	---	---	---	---
Sheffield Senior Center	---	7:45	---	---	---	---
Fairgrounds Plaza (Big Y)		7:53		---		
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OUTBOUND TO SHEFFIELD AND ASHLEY FALLS

Fairgrounds Plaza (Big Y)						6:15
Sheffield Senior Center		---		---		6:23
Sheffield Village Center		---		---		6:28
Dewey Court Sheffield		---		---		6:37
Ashley Falls Post Office		---		---		6:43