



What is the North Hunts Community Car Scheme?

The North Hunts Community Car Scheme provides door to door transport for people who do not have use of a car and are unable to use conventional public transport.

Journeys are arranged through the co-ordinator and are provided by volunteers using their own cars. These drivers support the community by giving their time. Please treat them with the courtesy and respect that they deserve.

Who can use the service?

People living in the parishes of Alwalton, Chesterton, Caldecote, Connington, Denton, Elton, Farcet, Folksworth, Glatton, Haddon, Holme, Morborne, Sibson Cum Stibbington, Stilton, Water Newton, Washingley and Yaxley who unable to make essential journeys by any

other means. You do not have to be disabled to use this service.

What type of journey can you make?

Mainly essential journeys, included but not limited to: shopping trips, appointments at the surgery/hospital, opticians, dentist or picking up prescriptions. Also visiting friends and relatives in hospital. The scheme is particularly aimed at helping the elderly and disabled to get out and about.

All journeys are at the discretion of the co-ordinator and are dependent upon availability of drivers.

How much does it cost?

Passengers make a contribution of 30p per mile towards the cost of their journey. Mileage calculation begins from the drivers home. The driver also receives a subsidy per mile from Cambridge shire County Council. The combined amount aims to cover expenses incurred by the driver , such as fuel costs and some of the wear and tear on the car. Passengers pay their contribution to the driver on their day of travel, in cash. Volunteers do not charge for their time when travelling or waiting.

To arrange a journey call:

07795 542084

Call 07795 542084 to:

- Register free of charge with the scheme
- Provide information about your journey
- Learn more about the scheme and how it can help you.

If possible please telephone between 9.00am and 12 noon Monday to Friday. Outside of these hours an answer phone is available to leave messages. Please try to give 48 hours notice if you can. Emergency journeys will be considered but cannot be guaranteed.

Drivers we need YOU!

Do you like helping people?

Do you have a few hours to spare?

Do you hold a clean driving licence?

Then you could be just who we are looking for to help us provide transport for people who are unable to use conventional public transport or to make essential journeys by any other means.

You would use your own car and receive a mileage allowance for expenses incurred.

Additional insurance cover is provided.

If you can help us to provide this valuable service to local people please call us on **07795 542084**

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