

Ararat Line



Effective 23 August 2026

Melbourne to Ararat via Ballarat

	M-F	Mon	Fri	Monday to Friday							Saturday			
Service	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN
Service Information		OL★▼	OL★▼											
SOUTHERN CROSS dep	07.53	08.05	08.05	08.36	11.16	12.36	14.36	15.16	16.58	18.18	07.55	10.35	11.15	12.35
Footscray	08.01u	-	-	08.44u	11.24u	12.44u	14.44u	15.24u	17.06u	18.26u	08.03u	10.43u	11.23u	12.43u
Sunshine	08.06u	-	-	08.49u	11.29u	12.49u	14.49u	15.29u	17.11u	18.31u	08.08u	10.48u	11.28u	12.48u
Ardeer	08.10	-	-	08.53	11.33	12.53	14.53	15.33	-	-	08.12	10.52	11.32	12.52
Deer Park	08.13	-	-	08.56	11.36	12.56	14.56	15.36	17.16	18.36	08.15	10.55	11.35	12.55
Caroline Springs	08.17	-	-	09.00	11.40	13.00	15.00	15.40	-	-	08.19	10.59	11.39	12.59
Rockbank	08.22	-	-	09.05	11.45	13.05	15.05	15.45	17.24	-	08.25	11.05	11.45	13.05
Cobblebank	08.26	-	-	09.09	11.49	13.09	15.09	15.49	-	-	08.29	11.09	11.49	13.09
Melton	08.30	-	-	09.13	11.53	13.13	15.13	15.53	-	18.48	08.32	11.12	11.52	13.12
Bacchus Marsh	08.38	-	-	09.21	12.01	13.21	15.21	16.01	17.36	18.56	08.40	11.20	12.00	13.20
Ballan	08.57	-	-	09.40	12.20	13.40	15.40	16.20	17.54	19.16	08.59	11.39	12.19	13.39
North Shore	-	09.35u	09.15u	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
BALLARAT arr	09.21	-	-	10.01	12.41	14.01	16.01	16.41	18.14	19.36	09.21	12.01	12.41	14.01
Change Service				COACH		COACH		COACH					COACH	COACH
Service Information				♿		OY♿		♿						
BALLARAT dep	09.24	-	-	10.21	12.44	14.10	16.04	17.00	18.17	19.39	09.24	12.04	12.51	14.11
Ballarat Hospital (2)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.05	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wendouree	09.31	-	-	-	12.51	-	16.11	-	18.24	19.46	09.34	12.14	-	-
Cardigan Village	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.23	-	-	-	-	-	-
Burrumbeet	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	17.27	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trawalla	-	-	-	10.51	-	14.40	-	17.42	-	-	-	-	13.21	14.42
Beaufort	09.54	-	-	10.59	13.14	14.48	16.34	17.51	18.47	20.09	09.56	12.36	13.31	14.50
Buangor	-	-	-	11.15	-	15.04	-	18.06	-	-	-	-	13.46	15.06
ARARAT arr	10.22	11.33	11.13	11.37	13.42	15.23	17.02	18.30	19.15	20.37	10.24	13.04	14.06	15.28

	Saturday continued				Sunday								
Service	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN
SOUTHERN CROSS dep	13.15	15.15	18.35	21.15	07.55	10.35	11.15	11.55	13.15	15.15	18.35	19.15	21.15
Footscray	13.24u	15.23u	18.43u	21.23u	08.03u	10.43u	11.23u	12.03u	13.24u	15.23u	18.43u	19.23u	21.23u
Sunshine	13.29u	15.28u	18.48u	21.28u	08.08u	10.48u	11.28u	12.08u	13.29u	15.28u	18.48u	19.28u	21.28u
Ardeer	13.33	15.32	18.52	21.32	08.12	10.52	11.32	12.12	13.33	15.32	18.52	19.32	21.32
Deer Park	13.36	15.35	18.55	21.35	08.15	10.55	11.35	12.15	13.36	15.35	18.55	19.35	21.35
Caroline Springs	13.39	15.39	18.59	21.39	08.19	10.59	11.39	12.19	13.39	15.39	18.59	19.39	21.39
Rockbank	13.45	15.45	19.05	21.45	08.25	11.05	11.45	12.25	13.45	15.45	19.05	19.45	21.45
Cobblebank	13.49	15.49	19.09	21.49	08.29	11.09	11.49	12.29	13.49	15.49	19.09	19.49	21.49
Melton	13.52	15.52	19.12	21.52	08.32	11.12	11.52	12.32	13.52	15.52	19.12	19.52	21.52
Bacchus Marsh	14.00	16.00	19.20	22.00	08.40	11.20	12.00	12.40	14.00	16.00	19.20	20.00	22.00
Ballan	14.19	16.19	19.39	22.19	08.59	11.39	12.19	12.59	14.19	16.19	19.39	20.19	22.19
BALLARAT arr	14.41	16.41	20.01	22.41	09.21	12.01	12.41	13.21	14.41	16.41	20.01	20.43	22.41
Change Service		COACH					COACH	COACH		COACH		COACH	
Service Information		♿					OY♿	♿		♿		♿	
BALLARAT dep	14.44	16.51	20.04	22.44	09.24	12.04	12.51	13.40	14.44	16.51	20.04	20.53	22.44
Wendouree	14.54	-	20.14	22.51	09.34	12.14	-	-	14.54	-	20.14	-	22.51
Trawalla	-	17.24	-	-	-	-	13.21	14.10	-	17.24	-	21.23	-
Beaufort	15.16	17.31	20.36	23.14	09.56	12.36	13.31	14.18	15.16	17.31	20.36	21.31	23.14
Buangor	-	17.46	-	-	-	-	13.46	14.34	-	17.46	-	21.47	-
ARARAT arr	15.44	18.06	21.04	23.42	10.24	13.04	14.06	14.53	15.44	18.06	21.04	22.08	23.42

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Coach stop locations

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Service Information				♿	OY♿			OL★♿	DL♿				♿	♿	
ARARAT	dep	06.13	07.11	07.22	10.31	11.48	14.28	14.55	15.12	17.17	06.59	08.18	08.32	09.46	10.57
Buangor		–	–	07.42	10.50	–	–	–	15.29	–	–	–	08.51	10.04	–
Beaufort		06.39	07.37	07.58	11.09	12.14	14.54	–	15.42	17.43	07.24	08.43	09.09	10.21	11.23
Trawalla		–	–	08.05	11.17	–	–	–	15.49	–	–	–	09.16	10.28	–
Burrumbeet		–	–	08.19	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cardigan Village		–	–	08.23	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
WENDOUREE	arr	07.03	08.01	–	–	12.38	15.18	–	–	18.07	07.48	09.06	–	–	11.46
WENDOUREE	dep	07.18	08.01	–	–	12.38	15.18	–	–	18.07	07.48	09.18	–	–	11.48
Ballarat Hospital (1)		–	–	08.46	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
BALLARAT	arr	07.22	08.07	08.55	11.50	12.42	15.22	–	16.35	18.11	07.52	09.22	09.49	11.09	11.52
Change Service			TRAIN	TRAIN	TRAIN				TRAIN				TRAIN	TRAIN	
BALLARAT	dep	07.24	08.19	09.24	12.04	12.44	15.24	–	16.48	18.14	08.04	09.24	10.04	11.24	12.04
North Shore		–	–	–	–	–	–	17.40d	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ballan		07.42	08.37	09.42	12.22	13.02	15.42	–	17.12	18.35	08.22	09.42	10.22	11.42	12.22
Bacchus Marsh		08.00	09.00	09.59	12.39	13.19	15.59	–	17.38	19.00	08.41	10.01	10.41	12.01	12.41
Melton		–	09.09	10.10	12.50	13.30	16.10	–	17.47	19.09	08.49	10.09	10.49	12.09	12.49
Cobblebank		–	09.13	10.14	12.54	13.34	16.14	–	17.50	19.12	08.53	10.13	10.53	12.13	12.53
Rockbank		08.13	09.17	10.17	12.57	13.37	16.17	–	17.54	19.16	08.57	10.17	10.57	12.17	12.57
Caroline Springs		–	09.22	10.23	13.03	13.43	16.23	–	18.00	19.21	09.02	10.22	11.02	12.22	13.02
Deer Park		08.22	09.27	10.27	13.07	13.47	16.27	–	18.05	19.26	09.07	10.27	11.07	12.27	13.07
Ardeer		–	09.30	10.30	13.10	13.50	16.30	–	18.08	19.29	09.10	10.30	11.10	12.30	13.10
Sunshine		08.30d	09.36d	10.35d	13.16d	13.55d	16.35d	–	18.12d	19.34d	09.17d	10.37d	11.16d	12.36d	13.16d
Footscray		08.36d	09.42d	10.41d	13.22d	14.01d	16.41d	–	18.18d	19.40d	09.23d	10.43d	11.22d	12.42d	13.22d
SOUTHERN CROSS	arr	08.46	09.52	10.51	13.32	14.11	16.51	18.50	18.28	19.50	09.33	10.53	11.33	12.52	13.32

		Saturday cont.			Sunday									
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Service Information							♿		♿		♿		OL★♿	♿
ARARAT	dep	13.37	13.52	16.17	06.59	08.18	09.52	10.57	11.17	13.37	14.32	16.17	15.19	17.54
Buangor		–	14.11	–	–	–	10.11	–	11.36	–	14.51	–	–	18.11
Beaufort		14.03	14.29	16.43	07.24	08.43	10.29	11.23	11.55	14.03	15.09	16.43	–	18.26
Trawalla		–	14.36	–	–	–	10.36	–	12.03	–	15.16	–	–	18.33
WENDOUREE	arr	14.26	–	17.06	07.48	09.06	–	11.46	–	14.26	–	17.06	–	–
WENDOUREE	dep	14.28	–	17.08	07.48	09.18	–	11.48	–	14.28	–	17.08	–	–
BALLARAT	arr	14.32	15.09	17.12	07.52	09.22	11.09	11.51	12.36	14.32	15.49	17.12	–	19.09
Change Service			TRAIN				TRAIN		TRAIN		TRAIN			TRAIN
BALLARAT	dep	14.44	15.24	17.24	08.04	09.24	11.24	12.04	12.44	14.44	16.04	17.24	–	19.24
North Shore		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	17.23d	–
Ballan		15.02	15.42	17.42	08.22	09.42	11.42	12.22	13.02	15.02	16.22	17.42	–	19.42
Bacchus Marsh		15.21	16.01	18.01	08.41	10.01	12.01	12.41	13.21	15.21	16.41	18.01	–	20.01
Melton		15.29	16.09	18.09	08.49	10.09	12.09	12.49	13.29	15.29	16.49	18.09	–	20.09
Cobblebank		15.33	16.13	18.13	08.53	10.13	12.13	12.53	13.33	15.33	16.53	18.13	–	20.13
Rockbank		15.37	16.17	18.17	08.57	10.17	12.17	12.57	13.37	15.37	16.57	18.17	–	20.17
Caroline Springs		15.42	16.22	18.22	09.02	10.22	12.22	13.02	13.42	15.42	17.02	18.22	–	20.22
Deer Park		15.47	16.27	18.29	09.07	10.27	12.27	13.07	13.47	15.47	17.07	18.29	–	20.27
Ardeer		15.50	16.30	18.32	09.10	10.30	12.30	13.10	13.50	15.50	17.10	18.32	–	20.30
Sunshine		15.56d	16.36d	18.36d	09.17d	10.37d	12.36d	13.16d	13.56d	15.56d	17.16d	18.36d	–	20.36d
Footscray		16.02d	16.42d	18.42d	09.23d	10.43d	12.42d	13.22d	14.02d	16.02d	17.22d	18.42d	–	20.42d
SOUTHERN CROSS	arr	16.12	16.52	18.54	09.33	10.53	12.52	13.32	14.12	16.12	17.32	18.54	18.50	20.52

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