



BETFRED  **SUPER LEAGUE**
GRAND FINAL

SATURDAY 12 OCTOBER

OLD TRAFFORD

The 2019 Super League Grand Final returns to Old Trafford on Saturday 12 October

Metrolink

Fast, frequent and reliable services run to Old Trafford. Journeys take around 15 minutes from Manchester city centre with four stops within easy walking distance of the ground.

- Old Trafford
- Trafford Bar
- Exchange Quay
- Salford Quays

Tickets

Metrolink operates a zonal fare system with Old Trafford located in zone 2. Travel from the city centre to Old Trafford will require a zone 1+2 ticket.

Event tickets will still be available from staff at Piccadilly, Piccadilly Gardens, and Market Street before the game and at Old Trafford after the game for £4 for an adult and £2 for a child (return) beating the queue at ticket machines and getting you there quicker.

For further information and a full list of zones and ticket prices, visit the dedicated Metrolink ticket zone page: <https://tfgm.com/public-transport/tram/ticket-zones>

You must have a valid ticket before you board a tram. Please be aware that ticket checks take place across the network.

Park and Ride

You can avoid the busy match day traffic by parking at one of the following tram stops and using Metrolink. With plenty of Park and Ride car parks across the network, it's easy to park up and hop on the tram for a hassle-free journey to the ground. Car parking at the below sites is free if you travel by tram:

- East Didsbury with 302 spaces – Kingsway, Parris Wood M19 1TB
- Brooklands with 108 spaces – Marsland Road/Brooklands Road, M33 3SQ
- Navigation Road with 81 spaces – Navigation Road, WA14 1NF
- Sale Water Park with 300 spaces – Rifle Road, M33 2LX
- Ladywell with 250 spaces – Eccles New Road, Eccles, M6 8HD

Please note the Park and Ride facilities only available to Metrolink customers during the hours of service: <https://tfgm.com/public-transport/park-and-ride>

Bus

Currently, the 53, 79, 250, 255, 256, 263 and x50 services run close to Old Trafford.

You can plan your bus journey by using the TfGM [Route Explorer] (<https://my.tfgm.com/#/planner/>)

Ensure you check the latest service information with your bus operator before you travel and allow plenty of time as services may take longer than usual on a matchday.

Bus operators will always have the latest information about their services. Follow them on Twitter:

[@stagecoachGM](https://twitter.com/stagecoachGM)

[@arrivanorthwest](https://twitter.com/arrivanorthwest)

[@diamondbusnw](https://twitter.com/diamondbusnw)

[@gnwbus](https://twitter.com/gnwbus)

If you are not travelling to the game, but are planning on using public transport, you should consider the following:

- Journey times for some bus passengers vary on match days so you should consider setting off earlier to avoid the rush.
- If you are not attending the match, try to avoid the busiest times before and after the match.

Train

Manchester is well served by rail, with services running into Manchester Piccadilly, Oxford Road and Victoria. Fans can connect to onward tram services from Victoria and Piccadilly.

If you're travelling into the city centre by rail you can purchase a Metrolink add-on to your rail ticket allowing onward travel to the stadium by tram: <https://tfgm.com/tickets-and-passes/combo-train-and-tram-day-return-adult>

Be sure to plan ahead and check the latest train times on the National Rail website before you travel: <http://www.nationalrail.co.uk/>

Driving

Roads in Trafford and the surrounding areas, including the local motorway network, will be extremely busy and there may be additional road closures and diversions in place. Please check your route before you travel and allow more time for your journey.

Don't forget work to extend the Metrolink network out to Trafford Park Line is currently under way and a number of roads are affected. New match day traffic management arrangements are in place so plan your route before setting off: <https://tfgm.com/travel-updates/major-highway-changes-trafford-park>.

The key roads that are affected are Trafford Wharf Road and Village Way.

A map of the work and suggested diversion routes is available:

<https://tfgm.com/travel-updates/maps/tpltraffic>

Walking and Cycling

Old Trafford is only three miles from the city centre and so walking and cycling are good options to get to and from the match.

If you are travelling to Old Trafford by bicycle, there are free cycle racks located at the following car parks:

- N2 (Sir Alex Ferguson Stand)
- E2 (East Stand)
- W2 (West Stand)

Please note, you will need to use your own secure bike lock.

Bicycles must not be secured in any other areas across the stadium site at any time. Bicycles secured outside of authorised cycle racks will be promptly removed, which may result in damage for which the club will not be held liable.