



# BRISTOL BULLETIN

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**Fri 14 April 'East Coast Main Line – London King's Cross to York' an illustrated slide show presentation by Stephen Gay. NOTE THIS IS THE SECOND FRIDAY OF THE MONTH.**

**Bristol Temple Meads** On 28th February 37610 3Z20 20.53 Derby RTC-Bristol Kingsland Road (Stock: 96606 6261 9810 999606 9702)

On 3rd March 802013 05.10 Bristol TM-Paddington had issues with the wheels and was restricted to 10mph from Bedwyn-Newbury and was terminated at Newbury

On 21st 68001+68018 6M67 Bridgwater-Crewe at 14.42, 66028 6Y56 Bridgwater-Westbury at 15.46, 66540 6Y59 Westbury-Bridgwater at 16.27

On 23rd 66707+66722 6G72 09.23 Bridgwater-Westbury.

**Dr Day's Jct** On 27th February 66097 6M47 09.45 Westbury Cement Works-Acton Yard.

On 9th March 60055 6Z21 07.56 Bristol East Yard-Tytherington.

**Lawrence Hill** On 19th February 66723 6F03 Theale-Eastleigh at 10.54

On 22nd 66603 6C68 09.58 Avonmouth-Whatley.

On 22nd March 66206 6V42 Acton-Tytherington at 11.23, 70000 "Britannia" 5Z70 06.21 Crewe-Swanage.

On 23rd 70807 6C42 23.08 Westbury-Westbury via Didcot and Bristol East Depot.

**Stapleton Road** On 22nd February 66514 4L32 10.00 Wentloog-London Gateway.

On 23rd 950001 2Q08 04.03 Exeter Riverside-Reading Triangle.

On 21st March 66179 6M78 06.21 Tytherington-Quainton Railhead.

**North Somerset Jct** On 9th March 66025 6M78 06.21 Tytherington-Quainton.

On 21st 66618 6C68 09.58 Avonmouth-Whatley.

**Filton** On 22nd February 66143 6M78 06.22 Tytherington-Quainton

On 23rd 37421/37610 1Z23 06.45 Bristol Kingsland Road-Derby RTC, 220009+221122 07.25 Plymouth-Edinburgh, 220015 10.36 Bristol TM-Glasgow at 10.52 (Note: Both Cross Country services were diverted via Gloucester due to a rail defect between Bristol Parkway and Westerleigh Jct), 66516 4L36 07.39

Wentloog-Felixstowe, 60029 6Z22 10.58 Tytherington-Appleford

On 24th 60028 6Z21 07.18 Bristol East Yard-Tytherington

On 26th 66741 6G70 11.57 Penarth Curve South Jct-Westbury

On 27th 800019 08.28 Cardiff-Portsmouth Harbour at 09.09 (800019 was swapped at Bristol TM in favour of 158958). On 3rd March 66588 4L32 10.00 Wentloog-London Gateway

On 11th 66555 4O51 09:45 Wentloog-Maritime

On 19th 70811 6C23 07.00 Shrewsbury Abbey Foregate-Westbury, 66415 6A41 14.00 Abercynon-Westbury, 66532/66597 6A40 15.00 Abercynon-Westbury

On 21st 66618 6C67 03.26 Westbury Cement Works-Avonmouth, 66614 6A27 08.43 East Usk Yard-Hayes Tarmac. On 23rd 60055 6Z21 07.16 Bristol East Yard-Tytherington.

**Patchway** On 28th February 66523 4L32 Wentloog-London Gateway at 11.16, 66001 5Q99 05.02 Ripple Lane-Cardiff Canton (Stock: 756103 the first of this Transport for Wales 'sub class'.)

On 6th March 66555 4V50 04.33 Maritime-Wentloog, 66591 4L32 10.00 Wentloog-London Gateway

On 12th 756001 5Z32 London-Newport training/mileage accumulator at 11.50

On 20th 66545 4V50 04.33 Maritime-Wentloog

On 21st 66545 4V47 02.41 Tilbury-Wentloog.

**Pilning** On 23rd February 66516 4L36 07.39 Wentloog-Felixstowe

On 5th March 66603 6Y45 09.00 Gaer Jct-Westbury arriving at 08.52 departing at 10.10, 66050/66302 6G97 06.55 Cogan Jct-Westbury

On 10th 66505 4L36 07.39 Wentloog-Felixstowe.

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**Bristol Parkway** On 21st February 68009+68018 6V74 02.00 Crewe-Bridgwater, 66798 6M42 09.06 Avonmouth-Penyffordd  
On 22nd 37884 5Q76 08.59 Ely Papworth-Newport Docks (Stock: 317339+317340)  
On 23rd 66419 6F29 06.10 Westbury-Theale.  
On 25th 66547 4O51 09.45 Wentloog-Maritime, 66618 6C48 11.48 Appleford-Machen, 66200 6V05 09.28 Northolt Sidings-Severnside, 66623 6B91 13.40 Theale-East Usk Yard  
On 26th 70811 6X26 08.00 Bedwyn-Hinksey Yard, 70803 6X25 12.45 Bedwyn-Hinksey Yard.  
On 27th 60028 6Z21 06.42 Appleford-Tytherington, 66106 6V71 15.07 Stoke Cliffe Vale-Exeter Riverside  
On 28th 66001 5Q99 05.02 Ripple Lane-Cardiff Canton (Stock: 756103), 37099 1Z96 09.18 Derby RTC-Cardiff Taff Vale arrived at Cheltenham at 11.39 where it was terminated and formed 1Z97 12.30 Cheltenham-Kingsland Road (Stock: 6117 6001 72631 6262 9703)  
On 1st March 60028 6Z21 Bristol East Depot-Tytherington at 08.06, 37884 5Q76 08.59 Ely Papworth Sidings-Newport Docks (Sims) (Stock: 317507+317510)  
On 3rd 43272/43290 1Z20 04.01 Paddington-Derby RTC via Swansea (Stock: 977984 975814 977993 977994 975984)  
On 4th 66019 4C12 06.14 Westbury-Tytherington  
On 8th 37800 5Q76 08.00 Ely Papworth Sidings-Newport Docks (Sims) (Stock: 317508 317343)  
On 10th 66139 6M60 02.50 Exeter Riverside-Bescot, 66618 6C48 11.50 Appleford-Machen  
On 11th 60044 6B33 11.37 Theale-Margam, 37403/20189 on the return Vintage Trains 'South Wales Explorer' 1Z40 16.25 Cwmbargoed DP-Dorridge Railtour (Stock: 5157, 5191, 5212, 5198, 9101, 99349, 99361, 99971 EAGLE, 17018) called here at platform 4 with a booked operations stop from 18.55-19.11.  
On 14th 66571 4L36 07.39 Wentloog-Felixstowe, 756001 5Z31 08.59 Newport-Swindon, 5Z32 10.49 Swindon-Newport, 5Z33 12.45 Newport-Swindon and 5Z34 14.20 Swindon-Cardiff Canton, 60028/60055 6Z22 10.58 Tytherington-Appleford, 66098 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Severnside, 66560 6Z86 11.06 West Drayton-East Usk Yard, 60010 6B33 13.49 Theale-Robeston  
On 15th 37800 5Q76 08.00 Ely-Newport Docks (Sims) (Stock: 317337+317338)  
On 17th 66560 6C58 12.10 Oxford Banbury Road-East Usk.  
On 18th 66206 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Severnside  
On 20th 66098 6M78 06.21 Tytherington-Quainton  
On 21st 60055 6Z22 11.17 Machen-Appleford, 66764 4B79 06.33 Tonbridge Yard-Avonmouth, 66001 6C03 09.33 Northolt Sidings-Severnside  
On 22nd 37800 5Q76 08.00 Ely Papworth-Newport Docks (Sims) (Stock: 317881+317347)  
On 23rd 66545 4V47 02.41 Tilbury-Wentloog  
On 24th 37254/37116 5Z55 11.07 Bristol Kingsland Road-Derby, 66194 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Severnside.

**Stoke Gifford (Freightliner)** On 23rd February 66603 6C81 09.55 Stoke Gifford-Avonmouth.

**Westerleigh** On 3rd March 60028 6Z22 10.58 Tytherington-Appleford.

**Yate** On 14th March 78011 6M40 Westbury-Stud Farm.

**Hullavington** On 6th March 60028 6Z26 11.02 Tytherington-West Drayton.

#### **Avonmouth (Hallen Marsh Junction Area)**

On 28th February 66561 6C81 09.55 Stoke Gifford-Avonmouth.

Due to overnight work in the Llanwern West Junction area, the 6M23 19.45 Margam-Dee Marsh steel service has departed the steel works eastbound and made several recent appearances on Port of Bristol track in the Holesmouth Junction area for the loco run, the train then retracing its route back into South Wales again via the Severn Tunnel. On 23rd March, 66749 was reported departing Hallen Marsh junction at 01.26 and into the Port area whilst during the following day the same loco arrived in the docks area at 01.30 and departed 01.54 having run round the steel train, 66798 then appearing after on this date at 02.11 with 6V41 17.07 loaded cement tanks from Penyffordd. Also, on 23rd, 66001 was still in the Bulk Handling Terminal with the previous (22nd) days loaded 6C03 Northolt refuse containers which had initially been diverted due to a rock fall close to Chipping Sodbury Tunnel and then held in Bath Goods loop for three hours. This working was able to complete its journey during the following afternoon as 1458 onwards to Severnside Sita, which departed (via the usual booked Hallen Marsh reverse move) around 60 early.

**Bristol East Depot** On 23rd February 60029 6Z21 07.18 Bristol East Depot-Tytherington.

**Keynsham** On 22nd February 66596 4L50 Wentloog-Tilbury.

**Brentry** On 21st February 66544 6C68 Avonmouth-Whatley at 10.00, 66618 6C81 Stoke Gifford-Avonmouth at 10.00 then worked 6A83 Avonmouth-West Drayton at 14.04  
On 22nd 66798 09.20 Avonmouth-Penyffordd  
On 23rd 66778 4B77 Colnbrook-Avonmouth at 14.40, then worked 6C77 Avonmouth-Pengam at 19.36, 66603 6A83 Avonmouth-West Drayton at 15.12, 66005 6A03 Severnside-Brentford at 20.49  
On 27th 66623 Avonmouth-Theale at 11.24, 66098 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Severnside  
On 28th 66561 6C68 Avonmouth-Whatley at 14.24  
On 1st March 66798 6M42 09.20 Avonmouth-Penyffordd, 66097 6C03 Northolt-Severnside at 14.07, 66734 6V83 Clitheroe-Avonmouth at 15.08.  
On 3rd 66798 6M42 09.20 Avonmouth-Penyffordd at 08.37 and again on 8th at 09.17  
On 4th 66097 6C03 09.28 Northolt Sidings-Severnside at 14.00 and again on 9th at 14.12  
On 7th 66179 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Severnside at 14.12, 66592 6A83 Avonmouth-West Drayton at 15.10  
On 16th 66504 6A83 Avonmouth-West Drayton at 14.47  
On 20th 66725 6V83 Clitheroe-Avonmouth at 15.47 and again on 22nd at 16.16  
On 23rd 66618 6A83 Avonmouth-West Drayton at 13.26, 66795 4B77 Colnbrook-Avonmouth at 14.59  
On 24th 66749 6M23 Margam-Avonmouth-Dee Marsh at 00.59, 66798 6V41 Penyffordd-Avonmouth.

**Portbury Branch** On 23rd March 37254 received right hand side bodywork and front-end damage including a bent lamp bracket and buffer having struck a large fallen tree on the Bristol side of Sandstone (No.3) tunnel the train having earlier passed Temple Meads at 06.54. With checks undertaken, the monthly return 'high speed' 1Z23 06.45 Kingsland Road-Derby RTC (Stock: 5971, 5995, 72631, 6263) was terminated here with 37116 on the other end of the train able to return the working to Kingsland Road arriving here by 09.00.

**St. Phillips Marsh Depot** South Western Trains 159011 was an unusual visitor to the wheel lathe returning as 5098 16.30 to Salisbury on 12th March passing Keynsham at 16.20. The unit was believed to have arrived in Bristol on 9th March, these sets being once a regular sight in Bristol for a number of years offering a connection to Salisbury (alongside GWR) and at one time Waterloo, until mid-December 2021.

**Bath Spa** On 22nd February 66200 4C90 15.30 Didcot Yard-Tytherington  
On 23rd 66055 6Z98 09.45 Westbury-Acton Yard  
221127 09.27 Plymouth-Edinburgh diverting via Swindon at 11.48 (Service diverted due to rail defect between Bristol Parkway and Westerleigh)  
On 27th 43208+43285 0Z43 08.20 Laira-Laira via Westbury & Bristol Parkway  
On 3rd March 66533 6A27 08.43 East Usk Yard-Hayes Tarmac (Note: 66515 worked the train from East Usk Yard and was then removed at Stoke Gifford Yard)  
On 10th 66555 4L32 10.00 Wentloog-London Gateway  
On 20th 66597/66532 6A45 03.54 Westbury-Abercynon, 66556/66523 6A46 07.11 Westbury-Abercynon.

**Bathampton Jct** On 27th February 70811 6M40 11.34 Westbury-Stud Farm  
On 8th March 57305+57605 (DIT) 5R50 10.38 Plymouth-Reading Traincare Depot (Stock: 10534 10532 10590 10616 10219 12100 17174).

**Chippenham** On 23rd February 66097 6M78 06.22 Tytherington-Quinton, 59101 6C48 12.26 Appleford-Whatley. On 25th 66172 6A12 10.45 Tytherington-Didcot Yard.  
On 2nd March 66544 7V53 04.15 Bow Depot-Merehead, 66597 7B12 11.23 Merehead-Wootton Bassett  
On 3rd 70848 6M40 11.42 Westbury-Stud Farm  
On 4th 66019 6A12 10.45 Tytherington-Didcot Yard  
On 10th 66848 6M40 11.42 Westbury-Stud Farm  
On 21st 66849 6M50 08.01 Westbury-Bescot.

**Bradford Jct** On 23rd February 66784 6F13 20.50 Bedwyn-Hinksey Yard.  
On 28th 59101 6M20 09.59 Whatley-St Pancras Churchyard Sidings  
On 2nd March 66506 6A60 08.32 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road  
On 3rd 66848+66192 6C47 05.10 Abercynon-Westbury  
On 9th 66846/66849 6C42 05.20 Crosskeys-Westbury  
On 10th 59103 7V53 03.49 Bow Depot-Merehead  
On 20th 66516 6Y56 15.17 Westbury-Bridgwater  
On 21st 66504 6A60 08.34 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road.

**Swindon** On 21st February 66506 7V53 Bow-Merehead at 08.40, 66182 6M78 Tytherington-Quainton Road at 09.52, 66537 4L36 Wentloog-Felixstowe at 10.08, 59203 6A60 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road at 11.08, 66144 6Z98 Westbury-Cricklewood at 11.51, 59202 6Z16 10.18 Whatley-Appleford, 66847 6M40 Westbury-Stud Farm at 12.31, 66005 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Sevenside, 66603 6C48 Appleford-Whatley at 13.29, 66560 6Z86 West Drayton-East Usk at 14.56, 66532 7C60 Brentford-Merehead at 15.11, 60015 6B33 Theale-Robeston at 15.24, 59205 6C77 Wembley-Merehead at 15.41, 66605 6V18 Allington-Whatley at 16.08, 66618 6A83 Avonmouth-West Drayton at 16.13,  
On 23rd 66778 6B77 10.45 Colnbrook-Avonmouth  
On 24th 66788 6Z70 20.43 Liverpool EMR-Swindon EMR  
On 26th 66512 6Y85 07.30 Warminster-Eastleigh, 66846 6C05 08.00 Warminster-Eastleigh at 11.02, 66301 6G13 15.00 Warminster-Eastleigh Yard  
On 27th 66539 6A60 08.32 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road  
On 2nd March 60062 6V15 20.21 Boston Sleaford Sidings-Swindon Stores, 66143 6M78 06.22 Tytherington-Quainton, 66846 6M40 Westbury-Stud Farm at 13.15, 66040 6C03 09.33 Northolt-Sevenside 59205 7A77 11.05 Merehead-Theale, 66560 6C58 Oxford Banbury Road-East Usk at 13.48, 66542 4L32 Wentloog-London Gateway at 14.07, 66610+59103 6L21 Whatley-Dagenham at 14.31, 66572 6Z86 West Drayton-East Usk at 14.51, 59201 6C48 Appleford-Whatley at 15.17, 60015 6B33 Theale-Robeston at 15.21, 66623 6B11 Hayes-East Usk at 15.50, 66019 4C90 Acton-Tytherington at 16.21, 60062 6M53 Swindon-Toton at 16.49, 59101 6C76 Wembley-Whatley at 16.59, 66605 6V18 Allington-Whatley at 17.12, 66504+59204 6V64 Wembley-Merehead at 17.36  
On 3rd March 66788 6V70 23.48 Liverpool EMR-Swindon EMR at 06.34.  
On 4th March 66623 6B91 09.15 Theale-East Usk Yard, 66555 4O51 09.45 Wentloog-Maritime  
On 10th 66097 6C03 09.33 Northolt Sidings-Sevenside, 66560 6C58 12.10 Oxford Banbury Road-East Usk Yard, 66592 7B12 11.23 Merehead-Wootton Bassett, 66725 6V35 07.46 Clitheroe-Avonmouth  
On 20th 66207 6B51 04.48 Llanwern-Swindon Stores, 60055 6Z25 04.04 West Drayton-Tytherington, 66713 6Z70 03.00 Small Heath Yard-Swindon EMR, 66035 6V71 15.07 Stoke Cliffe Vale-Exeter Riverside.

**Trowbridge** On 5th March 66100/66143 6W02 08.20 Uffington-Westbury  
On 20th 66850 6F22 11.03 Westbury-Bridgwater.

**Hawkeridge Jct** On 27th February 66097 6M47 09.45 Westbury Cement Works-Acton Yard  
On 9th March 66025 6M78 06.21 Tytherington-Quainton.

**Westbury** On 22nd February 70805 6M50 Westbury-Bescot at 08.22, 66618 7C29 Westbury-Exeter at 08.27, 66532 7V53 Bow-Merehead at 08.35, 59206 6C29 Willesden-Merehead at 09.43, 66790 6F21 Westbury-Bedwyn at 10.13, 59203 6A60 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road at 10.17, 66301 6F22 Eastleigh-Theale at 10.40, 66848 6O41 Westbury-Eastleigh at 11.22, 66572 6F24 10.29 Eastleigh Yard-Theale, 59101 6C48 Appleford-Wheatley at 14.16, 66508 6F23 Westbury-Bedwyn at 14.58, 66603+66610 6L21 Whatley-Dagenham at 15.24, 59104 7C77 Wembley-Merehead at 15.36,  
On 23rd 66618 6C27 06.05 Westbury-Exeter Riverside, 66302 6F14 05.30 Bedwyn-Westbury, 66524 6F28 05.41 Westbury-Theale,  
On 24th 66848 6F30 11.30 Westbury-Theale, 66618 6C28 15.57 Exeter Riverside-Whatley  
On 27th 66549 6C73 12.18 Westbury-Fairwater Yard  
On 28th 66618 6C27 05.40 Whatley-Exeter Riverside, 70803 6M50 08.01 Westbury-Bescot, 66592+66537 6Y87 16.35 Yeovil Pen Mill-Westbury  
On 1st March 66618 6C27 Whatley-Exeter at 07.44, 70803 6M50 08.01 Westbury-Bescot 66192+70811 6C08 08.15 Yeovil Pen Mill-Westbury, 66561 6A60 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road at 09.18, 66040 6M47 Westbury-Acton at 09.47, 66610 6A19 Whatley-West Drayton at 10.23, 66302 6O41 Westbury-Eastleigh at 10.53, 70811 6M40 Westbury-Stud Farm at 11.29, 59004 6A17 Merehead-Colnbrook at 12.06, 59103+59005 6L21 Whatley-Dagenham at 13.24, 66592/66537 6Y97 20.53 Westbury Down Yard-Ivybridge at 20.53  
On 5th 70804 6C03 08.23 Warminster-Westbury, 66080/66192 6W01 10.40 Westbury-Frome North Jct, 66537/66592 6Y97 08.05 Ivybridge-Westbury  
On 20th 66013 6C12 14.20 Tytherington-Westbury  
On 21st 66846 6F22 02.26 Bridgwater-Westbury, 66850 6W50 10.00 Bridgwater-Westbury  
On 23rd 66556+66597 6Y62 06.46 Bridgwater-Westbury.

**Frome** On 10th March 66597+59205 6A09 07.12 Merehead-Acton Yard.

**Warminster** On 25th February 66589 6Y84 12.22 Warminster-Eastleigh Yard, 66849 6C04 14.22 Warminster-Eastleigh Yard  
On 27th 66568 4O36 05.33 Portbury-Maritime  
On 4th March 66547 6Y84 13.10 Warminster-Westbury, 66846 6C02 15.10 Warminster-Westbury, 66766 6G11 18.17 Warminster-Westbury.

**Fairwood Jct** On 23rd February 66504 6M20 10.38 Whatley-St Pancras Churchyard Sidings  
On 2nd March 59104 7V98 04.56 Eastleigh Aggregates-Merehead, 66549 6C84 08.40 Fairwater Yard-Westbury. On 3rd 66605 6C27 05.40 Whatley-Exeter Riverside, 66610 6Z16 10.18 Whatley-Appleford, 59104 7B12 11.23 Merehead-Wootton Bassett.  
On 5th 66192/66001 6W01 19.00 Frome North Jct-Westbury.  
On 9th 66539 6A60 08.32 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road, 59203 7B12 11.23 Merehead-Wootton Bassett  
On 10th 59204 7V97 02.58 Eastleigh Aggregates-Merehead, 59202 7V53 03.49 Bow Depot-Merehead, 59104 6M20 10.38 Whatley-St Pancras Churchyard Sidings, 59202+66539 7A17 10.24 Merehead-Colnbrook. On 12th 66702/66302 Westbury-Merehead at 10.44  
On 20th 59101 6A60 08.34 Whatley-Oxford Banbury Road, 66504 6Z68 11.40 Westbury-Whatley.

**Pyle Hill** On 4th March 165131 became de-railed in the area early this afternoon, still there as of 19.47.

**Worle** On 27th February 66419 4E18 09.47 Fairwater Yard-Doncaster Wood Yard.  
On 20th March 66849+70811 6F20 05.23 Westbury-Bridgwater.

**Weston-super-Mare** On 20th February 66549/66623 6X04 Fairwater-Theale at 16.55  
On 28th 68004+68001 6M67 Bridgwater-Crewe at 13.46.  
On 2nd March 66415/66549 6Y04 Theale Loop-Fairwater at 07.17  
On 22nd 66707/66722 Westbury-Bridgwater at 18.46.

**Bridgwater** On 24th February 68008+68019 6V74 02.00 Crewe-Bridgwater  
On 10th March 68009+68003 6V74 02.00 Crewe CLS-Bridgwater  
On 20th 66849/70811 6F20 Westbury-Bridgwater at 07.01, 66846 6F21 06.45 Westbury-Bridgwater, 66028 6W50 11.44 Hinksey Yard-Bridgwater.

**Castle Cary** On 27th February 66549 6C84 08.40 Fairwater Yard-Westbury.  
On 2nd March 66549 6C73 12.18 Westbury-Fairwater Yard.

**Taunton** On 20th February 59004 7C27 05.20 Westbury-Exeter Riverside at 06.27 returning with 7C28 to Whatley at 17.04, 66517 4E18 09.47 Fairwater Yard-Doncaster Wood Yard, 66106 6V71 15.07 Cliffe Vale-Exeter Riverside Yard  
On 24th 66618 6C27 06.13 Westbury Yard-Exeter Riverside  
On 27th 66605 6Z28 10.00 Exeter Riverside-Whatley  
On 6th March 66505 6E18 09.47 Fairwater Yard-Doncaster Wood Yard, 66139 6V71 15.07 Stoke Cliffe Vale-Exeter Riverside  
On 7th 66505 4V18 13.22 Doncaster Wood Yard-Fairwater Yard  
On 10th 59101 6C28 08.03 Exeter Riverside-Whatley  
On 19th 66416/66585 6X04 06.45 Heyford-Fairwater Yard.

**Fairwater Yard** On 25th 66415/66549 6X04 21.23 Fairwater Yard-Hemerdon  
On 26th 66549/66415 6X04 08.05 Ivybridge-Fairwater Yard.  
On 27th 66415 6C75 10.25 Fairwater Yard-Bishops Lydeard  
On 4th March 66415+66549 6X04 21.18 Fairwater Yard-Hemerdon via Laira Jct  
On 5th 66415/66549 6X04 08.05 Totnes-Fairwater Yard  
On 6th 66415 6C84 08.40 Fairwater Yard-Westbury, 66549 6C75 10.25 Fairwater Yard-Bishops Lydeard,  
On 9th 66549 6C84 08.40 Fairwater Yard-Westbury  
On 12th 66549/66415 6Y04 08.05 Totnes-Fairwater Yard.

**Bristol Area Railtours and Visiting Excursions** (Provided in good faith, but not guaranteed accurate!)

Date	Tour	Destination	Haulage	Pick-up	Fare	Operator
Sat 1 Apr	Golden Arrow	Canterbury	47, <b>Steam</b>	TM 06.13	Full	Saphos
Fri 21 Aug	Cambrian Coast Ex	Pwllheli	67, 97/3X2	TM 06.00	£185 1st	Pathfinder
Sat 29 Apr	Cornish Explorer	Penzance	37X2	TM 08.50	£129	Pathfinder
Sun 30 Apr	Royal Duchy	Par	60103, 47/57	TM ??.??	FULL	RYTC

Sat 1 Apr	Lord of the Isles	Paignton-TM 07.41-Preston-Newcastle-Inverness	HST	LSL
Mon 3 Apr	Lord of the Isles	Inverness-Newcastle-Preston-TM 22.13-Paignton	HST	LSL
Wed 5 Apr	British Pullman	Victoria-Salisbury-Bath 13.05	67	Belmond
Tue 11 Apr	ECS	Swanage-Bath 11.58-Hereford-Crewe	<b>70000</b>	LSL
Wed 12 Apr	English Riviera	Hull-Doncaster-Derby-TM-Paignton	HST	LSL
Sat 15 Apr	GB XV	Padd-Westbury-Plymouth-Taunton-TM	<b>35018</b>	RYTC
Sat 15 Apr	G W Envoy	Rugby-West London-Bath-TM	<b>Steam</b>	Saphos
Sun 16 Apr	GB XV	TM-Hereford-Chester-Holyhead	<b>45596</b>	RYTC
Wed 19 Apr	British Pullman	Victoria-Salisbury-Bath 13.05	67	Belmond
Wed 10 May	British Pullman	Victoria-Salisbury-Bath 13.05	67	Belmond

**Dates for your Diary**

**Sat 15/Sun 16 Apr Swindon & Cricklade Railway Diesel Gala. Locomotives booked to work: 03022, 03152, D3261, 73003, 97651, 4220031 Fowler DH Shunter. First train departs 10.00.**

**Sun 23 April Whatley Quarry Open Day, 10.30am – 3.00pm Giant Quarry machinery displays, vintage vehicle exhibition, minibus tours of the quarry, showing the plant, rail and excavation areas. The two new fuel-efficient CAT 777G dumper trucks will be on display. (No train rides).**

**Fri 5 May 'The Great Train Robbery' All the events of 8<sup>th</sup> August 1963 are recounted by Ian Boskett.**