GREAT CENTRAL RAILWAY

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WINTER STEAM GALA • 22nd JANUARY 2026

Up
Towards Leicester

		92134	34072	3809	92134	34072	3809	92134	34072	92134
Loughborough	depart	10:00	10:45	11:30	12:15	13:00	13:45	14:30	15:15	16:05
Quorn & Woodhouse	depart	10:09	10:54	11:39	12:24	13:09	13:54	14:39	15:24	16:14
Rothley Station	depart	10:20	11:05	11:50	12:35	13:20	14:05	14:50	15:35	16:25
Leicester North	arrive	10:30	11:15	12:00	12:45	13:30	14:15	15:00	15:45	16:35

Down
Towards Loughborough

		92134	34072	3809	92134	34072	3809	92134	34072	92134
Leicester North	depart	10:45	11:30	12:15	13:00	13:45	14:30	15:15	16:00	16:50
Rothley Station	depart	10:57	11:42	12:27	13:12	13:57	14:42	15:27	16:12	17:03
Quorn & Woodhouse	depart	11:08	11:53	12:38	13:23	14:09	14:53	15:38	16:23	17:13
Loughborough	arrive	11:15	12:00	12:45	13:30	14:15	15:00	15:45	16:30	17:20

Griddle Car for hot meals, snacks and hot/cold drinks

Refreshment Car, for light snacks and hot/cold drinks

SUPPORT THE FUTURE OF THE GCR

Your generous contribution will help safeguard this vital piece of railway history for future generations to enjoy. Donations play a crucial role in ongoing developments, including the exciting Reunification project, which will reconnect two separate heritage railways to create an eighteen-mile line stretching from the north of Leicester to the south of Nottingham.

By giving, you are helping to ensure the continued growth and preservation of one of Britain's most cherished heritage railways, allowing future generations to step aboard and travel through time to the golden years of rail travel.

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MAP OF THE RAILWAY

WINTER STEAM GALA • 23rd JANUARY 2026

Up
Towards Leicester

			92134	34072	78019			78018	DMU	92134		3809		34072	DMU		6990	78019	73156 34072	DMU			68067 3809	78018	78019	DMU	34072	3809		92134	73156	34072
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Quorn & Woodhouse	depart	-	09:09	09:54	10:09	-	-	10:39	11:14 ▶	11:24	-	11:39	-	12:09	12:24	-	12:54	13:24	-	14:09	-	-	14:39	15:09	15:24	15:59	16:09	16:24	-	16:54	17:44	-
Rothley Station	depart	-	09:20	10:05	-	-	-	10:50	-	11:35	-	-	-	12:20	-	-	13:05	13:41	-	14:26	-	-	14:50	15:26	15:35	16:11	16:20	-	-	17:05	17:55	-
Leicester North	arrive	-	09:30	10:15	-	-	-	11:00	-	11:45	-	-	-	12:30	-	-	13:15	-	14:12	-	-	-	15:00	-	15:45	-	16:30	-	-	17:15	18:05	18:57

Down
Towards Loughborough

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Rothley Station	depart	09:12	09:57	-	10:32 ▶	10:42	-	11:27	-	-	11:47	12:02	12:12	-	12:47	12:57	13:42	14:00	-	14:34 ▶	14:42	-	15:27	15:51	16:12	16:22	-	16:50	17:02	17:42	18:32	-
Quorn & Woodhouse	depart	09:23	10:08	-	-	10:53	◀11:04	11:38	-	-	11:58	12:13	12:23	-	12:58	13:08	13:53	14:11	-	-	14:53	◀15:04	15:38	15:52	16:23	16:33	-	17:01	17:13	17:53	18:42	-
Loughborough	arrive	09:30	10:16	-	-	11:00	11:11	11:45	-	-	12:05	12:20	12:30	-	13:06	13:16	14:02	14:18	-	-	15:01	15:11	15:45	15:59	16:30	16:40	-	17:08	17:20	18:00	18:49	19:41

WINTER STEAM GALA • 24th JANUARY 2026

Up
Towards Leicester

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Leicester North	arrive	-	09:30	10:15	-	-	-	11:00	-	11:45	-	-	-	12:30	-	-	13:15	-	14:12	-	-	-	15:00	-	15:45	-	16:30	-	-	17:15

Down
Towards Loughborough

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Rothley Station	depart	09:12	09:57	-	10:32 ▶	10:42	-	11:27	-	-	11:47	12:02	12:12	-	12:47	12:57	13:42	14:00	-	14:34 ▶	14:42	-	15:27	15:51	16:12	16:22	-	16:50	17:02	17:42
Quorn & Woodhouse	depart	09:23	10:08	-	-	10:53	◀11:04	11:38	-	-	11:58	12:13	12:23	-	12:58	13:08	13:53	14:11	-	-	14:53	◀15:04	15:38	15:52	16:23	16:33	-	17:01	17:13	17:53
Loughborough	arrive	09:30	10:16	-	-	11:00	11:11	11:45	-	-	12:05	12:20	12:30	-	13:06	13:16	14:02	14:18	-	-	15:01	15:11	15:45	15:59	16:30	16:40	-	17:08	17:20	18:00

ℹ 10:00, 11:05, 11:30, 12:15 and 1615 trains from Loughborough to Rothley trains on the **Up** timetable, run to Rothley but only call in at the station in the **Down** direction

Griddle Car for hot meals, snacks and hot/cold drinks

Refreshment Car, for light snacks and hot/cold drinks

Train to go into loop to allowing another to pass down the line

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WINTER STEAM GALA • 25th JANUARY 2026

Up
Towards Leicester

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Loughborough	depart	09:00	09:45	10:00	-	-	10:30	11:05	11:15	-	11:30	-	12:00	12:15	-	12:45	13:15	13:45	14:00	-	-	14:30	-	15:15	15:50	16:00	-	16:45
Quorn & Woodhouse	depart	09:09	09:54	10:09	-	-	10:39	11:14 ▶	11:24	-	11:39	-	12:09	12:24	-	12:54	13:24	-	14:09	-	-	14:39	-	15:24	15:59	16:09	-	16:54
Rothley Station	depart	09:20	10:05	-	-	-	10:50	-	11:35	-	-	-	12:20	-	-	13:05	13:41	-	14:26	-	-	14:50	-	15:35	16:11	16:20	-	17:05
Leicester North	arrive	09:30	10:15	-	-	-	11:00	-	11:45	-	-	-	12:30	-	-	13:15	-	14:12	-	-	-	15:00	-	15:45	-	16:30	-	17:15

Down
Towards Loughborough

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Leicester North	depart	09:45	-	-	10:30	-	11:15	-	-	-	-	12:00	-		12:45	13:30	-	-	-	14:30	-	15:15	-	16:00	-	16:50	-	17:30
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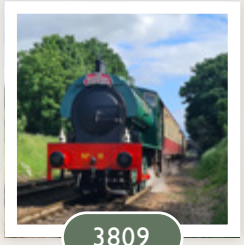

3809

Type
SADDLE TANK

Configuration
0-6-0

Year of Manufacture
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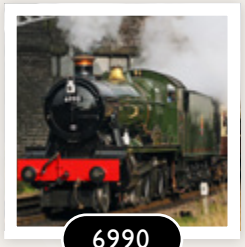
GCR Home Fleet
GUEST ENGINE



6990

Type
BR(W) MODIFIED HALL

Configuration
4-6-0

Year of Manufacture
1948

GCR Home Fleet
SINCE 1986

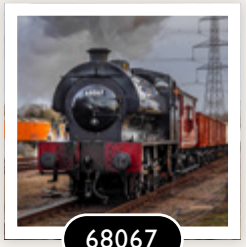
34072

Type
BATTLE OF BRITAIN

Configuration
4-6-2

Year of Manufacture
1948

GCR Home Fleet
GUEST ENGINE



68067

Type
SADDLE TANK

Configuration
0-6-0

Year of Manufacture
1943

GCR Home Fleet
SINCE 2007

73156

Type
BR STANDARD 5MT

Configuration
4-6-0

Year of Manufacture
1956

GCR Home Fleet
SINCE 2018

78018

Type
BR STANDARD 2

Configuration
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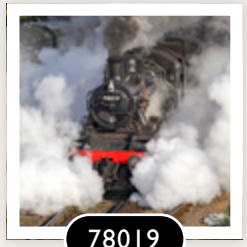
Year of Manufacture
1953

GCR Home Fleet
SINCE 2016



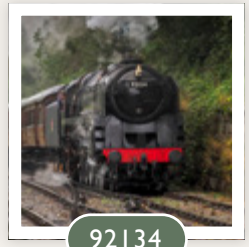
78019

Type
BR STANDARD 2

Configuration
2-6-0

Year of Manufacture
1953

GCR Home Fleet
SINCE 2004



92134

Type
BR STANDARD 9F

Configuration
2-10-0

Year of Manufacture
1957

GCR Home Fleet
GUEST ENGINE

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YOUR SAFETY FIRST

STAY SAFE DURING YOUR VISIT

To open the carriage door from the platform, grab the carriage handle and turn it so it is vertical, then pull the door towards you.

To close the door once you are on board pull the door towards you by holding the interior window ledge. Make sure your fingers are not in the way and that no one else is trying to get on behind you.

To open a carriage door on arrival at a station platform, pull the window down. Put your arm out and turn the exterior handle to the vertical position again. You may have to push against the door. **DO NOT** open the door if the train is moving or is not at a platform.

When you arrive at the station platform take note of the gap between the train and platform. Some stations may have a drop which requires a step to be used. Ask staff for assistance if you require it or are unsure. Steps are provided throughout the train. If you cannot see one, ask staff to get you one.

PLEASE REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING

If you require assistance to get on or off the train, please ask

Please be extra careful with children or if you have limited mobility

Adults should alight first to assist children getting off

Be aware of rough underfoot conditions in some areas on the railway

DO NOT attempt to board or alight from a moving train

DO NOT put any body parts **(including your head)** out of a window or door when the train is moving

WHERE TO EAT

REFRESHMENTS ON THE LINE

LOUGHBOROUGH CENTRAL

Our lovingly restored 1950s railway Refreshment Room is a wonderful location to take a break and watch the trains come and go. It is open when trains are running. It serves hot and cold snacks, refreshments and is licenced. It is situated on the platform. In addition, at the end of the platform is a small picnic area where you can watch the trains pass.

QUORN & WOODHOUSE

The NAAFI (The Navy, Army, and Air Force Institute) is a small tea room and snack bar situated on Platform 2. It is presented in an atmospheric 1940s condition. It is open on most operating days. The Butler Henderson Café is adjacent to the station and car park and boasts an outside terrace embankment overlooking the lovingly restored station and allows for great views of the locomotives passing by. There's also the station yard's much loved Tin Shed Bar that's open on special events, offering an excellent range of cask ales and ciders; also, tea, coffee, soft drinks and light refreshments to keep you going throughout the day.

ROTHLEY STATION

On the platform, the station Tea Room is a wonderful small gas lit tea room, serving light refreshments on days when trains are running. If you fancy something more substantial, then try Ellis Tea Room adjacent to Rothley station. This is our traditional setting Tea Room, set in Edwardian surroundings and has a beautiful outside seating area from which to watch our famed trains, whilst enjoying Afternoon Tea during the warmer months.

LEICESTER NORTH

The Tail Lamp Tea Room at Leicester North station is open on most weekends. Located in the station building, you can purchase tea and coffee, snacks and cakes while waiting for your next train towards Loughborough.

ON OUR TRAINS

Try something different and unique by travelling on our 1960 Restaurant Buffet Car. Simply find a seat and order your food. Full Breakfasts are served along with other hot and cold food and drinks. We've also recently introduced our Refreshment Car offering hot and cold drinks and snacks on selected trains.