

Some progress to report at last!

Killearn has another fibre cabinet, located at the exchange, live soon and supporting the many of the postcodes in the centre of the village. Balfroon has cabinets in the centre of the village and more connections in the offing.

Blanefield/Strathblane has another cabinet Live and a further one apparently being built. Buchlyvie's cabinet is now live and most of the village is connected to it, but many premises are on long lines. Drymen has another cabinet Being Connected. Fintry are investigating a fixed-wireless solution, following a recent Broadband Discussion, to augment the proposed cabinet in the centre of the village.

Status of your individual connectivity can be checked on either of the WhereandWhen pages of the BT Openreach or Digital Scotland websites or in the tables at the end of this report.

Mobile masts are also being upgraded to 3G and 4G capability though details of which mast and when are hard to determine. The most reliable way to find out is simply to notice a new option coming up on your mobile phone! Better information has been promised but generally someone notices before we are informed officially!

NOTE: Remember the Digital Scotland "Better Broadband Scheme" provides a subsidy to establish a better connection using either satellite or wireless for those currently getting download speeds of less than 2Mbps. See the KCC website for specific links;

- **Cabinet status summary:**

- Balfroon cabinets: centre of village connected, further cabinet may be live by summer;
- Balmaha cabinets: no change from last month;
- Blanefield/Strathblane cabinets: 2nd cabinet now live and Accepting Orders with a 3rd being built;
- Buchlyvie cabinets: cabinet is now live;
- Croftamie/Drymen cabinets: now showing 2 cabinets, with 1 live, 1 Being Built and 4 due in 2017-8;
- Fintry cabinets: E1 scheduled for Sept 2017. Fixed-wireless being investigated;
- Killearn cabinets: new cabinet beside exchange Being Connected to premises in "Trees" estate and other postcodes in centre of village;
- Milton of Buchanan – see Balmaha above;

See below for the latest detail cabinet information. Note that the reliability of dates shown is uncertain, as are the specific locations, which refer to the often large areas within a single rural postcode. Previous data has been supplemented this month with samples against the postcodes below using the BT Openreach WhereandWhen website:

Latest cabinet information:

Please see June 2016 NGB report to KCC for maps of the areas below.

For more detail on Balfron, Blanefield/Strathblane, Drymen & Fintry postcodes please see further pages below.

TAKE CARE though to notice the distance shown, that is a direct distance (and not the actual cable-run distance) and if more than 1200m will not offer a better connection from fibre than currently.

Balfron (Boquhan) (440xxx) (4 cabinets) – P1 cabinet in Spinner St now live since 9 Aug 2016, plus another in Buchanan Court, P3 at G63 OLE Being Built but only live April 2017) but certainly In Scope, and 2 **not available** (P2 at G63 ORA & Exchange 6 at G63 OQU). Note that some premises at G63 OQU appear to be on the Buchlyvie exchange and are marked as In Scope rather than Exploring Solutions. Other properties along Fintry Road at G63 OLT (Ballikinrain) appear to be on the Balfron exchange and are marked as Accepting Orders rather than Exploring Solutions;

Balmaha (870xxx) – 10 cabinets all **not available** at G63 OJQ, G63 OAD, G63 OAQ, G63 OAH, G63 OAW (twice), G63 OAR (twice), G63 OJU, and G63 OAJ. All these are shown as Exploring Solutions;

Blanefield/Strathblane (770xxx) (8 cabinets) – P1 cabinet (Netherblane) live; P2 cabinet at G63 9BQ now live (Jan 2017), P3 cabinet undergoing Field Survey (location unknown, live by Apr 2017), 2 cabinets P4 & P5 (at unknown locations) Doing Design and live by Dec 2017, plus 3 **not available** from one source but conflicting info from BTOpenreach/DigitalScotland (see detail page);

Buchlyvie (850xxx) (1 cabinet) – P2 cabinet at FK8 3LP is now live and services most of the village. Other premises are still Exploring Solutions;

Croftamie (660xxx) (1 cabinet) – P2 cabinet (between village and A811 junction to Balloch) live since Dec 2015;

Drymen (660xxx) (5 cabinets) – P1 cabinet at G63 OBY Being Connected, 2 cabinets P3 & P4 at G63 OBD and G63 OHT allegedly undergoing Field Survey so In Scope or Exploring Solutions; 2 allegedly in Design (E4 & P5 locations unknown, live by Jan 2018);

Fintry (860xxx) (1 cabinet) – E1 cabinet in Design (location believed to be adjacent to the exchange, anticipated to be live by Sept 2017); away from the centre of the village other postcodes are shown as Exploring Solutions. **Note** that some premises at G63 OLL and G63 OLT appear to be on the Balfron exchange and are marked as Accepting Orders rather than Exploring Solutions;

Killearn (860xxx) (3 cabinets) – E1 and E3 have been live for some time; plus recent cabinet 1 at Exchange that may be Live by June 2017; most other postcodes are In Scope with a few Exploring Solutions;

Milton of Buchanan – see Balmaha above;

Note: the stages in “the Fibre Journey” are:

Exploring Solutions, In scope, Design, Field Survey, Build, Connect, Activate, Accepting Orders.

The timescale for “the journey” is likely to be about 12-18 months.

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Accepting Orders

<u>Post Code</u>	<u>Road</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>Fibre</u>
<u>G63 0NJ</u>	Gartness	2,304m	
<u>G63 9NQ</u>	Auchineck Estates	3,675m	
<u>G63 9NT</u>	Gartness Road	653m	
<u>G63 9NU</u>	Station Road (20-24)	522m	
<u>G63 9NX</u>	Drumore Road	562m	
<u>G63 9NY</u>	Station Rd (28-38)	522m	
<u>G63 9NZ</u>	Station Rd (21-49)	488m	
<u>G63 9QD</u>	Endrick Road	310m	
<u>G63 9QE</u>	Allan Road (2-46)	458m	
<u>G63 9QF</u>	Allan Road (1-49)	410m	
<u>G63 9QH</u>	Killearn House & Home Farm	2,030m	
<u>G63 9QJ</u>	Finnich Toll	3,042m	
<u>G63 9QL</u>	Craighat	3,058m	
<u>G63 9QW</u>	Dualt (approx)	3,454m	

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FTTC Being Connected

<u>Post Code</u>	<u>Road</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>Fibre</u>
<u>G63 9NA</u>	Health Centre, Balfron Road	484m	
<u>G63 9NH</u>	Main Street (Bank & 2)	264m	
<u>G63 9NR</u>	Greenend Lane	560m	
<u>G63 9NW</u>	Balfron Road (32-36)	613m	
<u>G63 9RH</u>	Main Street (40-62)	310m	
<u>G63 9RN</u>	Crosshead Road (1-6 then evens from 8-20)	95m	
<u>G63 9RP</u>	Buchanan Road (8-47)	225m	
<u>G63 9RR</u>	Graham Road (1-16 then evens to 26)	160m	
<u>G63 9RS</u>	Graham Road (17-25 then evens from 28-44)	259m	
<u>G63 9RT</u>	Wellgreen	256m	
<u>G63 9RU</u>	Cedar Road (1-8, then odds to 21)	339m	
<u>G63 9RW</u>	Buchanan Road (1-7, then odds to 27)	170m	
<u>G63 9RX</u>	Elder Road	220m	
<u>G63 9RY</u>	Elm Road	293m	
<u>G63 9SB</u>	Oak Place	77m	
<u>G63 9SG</u>	Birch Road (1-23)	117m	
<u>G63 9SH</u>	Alder Crescent	299m	
<u>G63 9SW</u>	Beech Drive (Abbeyfield) (approx)	154m	
<u>G63 9TA</u>	Harpers Road	381m	

Killlearn Status 13 March 2017

Status unclear - check of individual premises required

<u>Post Code</u>	<u>Road</u>	<u>Distance</u>	<u>Fibre</u>
G63 0LF	Carbeth Home Farm (approx)	1,911m	Exploring Solutions, In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 0NH	Gartacharn Farm, Gartness (approx)	3,344m	Exploring Solutions, In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 9LA	Dumgoyne (PO & Beech Tree Inn)	2,273m	Exploring Solutions or In Scope
G63 9LB	Distillery Cottages	3,011m	In Scope
G63 9LD	Dumgoyne Cottage, Kinnaird Cottage, A81	2,298m	In Scope
G63 9LE	Baptiston (approx), Glasgow Road	1,427m	In Scope
G63 9LF	Main Street (White Court to 92)	604m	In Scope
G63 9LG	Drumbeg Loan	878m	Exploring Solutions or In Scope
G63 9LH	Lettreburn, Drumbeg Loan	1,483m	In Scope
G63 9LJ	Blaneswell & Carston	2,396m	In Scope
G63 9LL	Braefoot, Gillieston, Ledlewan, North Cottage, A81	2,901m	In Scope
G63 9LQ	Killlearn Mill	1,525m	In Scope
G63 9LT	Lampson Road	445m	In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 9NB	Kirkhouse Road	436m	In Scope
G63 9ND	Main Street (66-84)	362m	In Scope
G63 9NE	Main Street (59-69)	490m	In Scope
G63 9NF	The Square	222m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9NG	The Square	179m	FTTC Being Connected or Accepting Orders
G63 9NJ	Balfron Road (Village Hall, 2-28)	425m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9NL	Balfron Road (1-5)	406m	In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 9NN	Balfron Road (11-17)	530m	FTTC Being Connected or Accepting Orders
G63 9NP	Greenend Road	641m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9NS	Station Rd (2-18)	505m	FTTC Being Connected or Accepting Orders
G63 9PA	Napier Road (1-18)	565m	In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 9PB	Napier Road (7-19)	487m	In Scope
G63 9PD	Lampson Road (1-28)	650m	In Scope
G63 9PE	Cameron Cottage, Rosebank Cottage along Station Road	1,313m	In Scope
G63 9PF	Lampson Lane	639m	In Scope
G63 9PL	The Square (1-4)	225m	In Scope
G63 9PS	Atkinson's Garage (approx), A81	1,408m	In Scope
G63 9PT	Laignpark Farm & Oakwood	1,176m	In Scope
G63 9PX	1 & 5 Ibert Road	369m	In Scope
G63 9PY	Ibert Road	753m	In Scope
G63 9PZ	Hérons Court & Kings Mile	1,348m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9QA	Drumtitan Road	662m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9QB	Carbeth House (approx)	1,858m	FTTC Being Connected or Accepting Orders
G63 9QG	Blane Smithy	1,488m	In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 9QN	Auchineck House (approx), A809	4,045m	Exploring Solutions or Accepting Orders
G63 9QQ	Croy Cunningham	1,569m	In Scope or Accepting Orders
G63 9QS	Lampson Loan	623m	In Scope
G63 9QT	New Endrick Road (13-46)	381m	In Scope
G63 9QY	Croy Cunningham Steadings	1,585m	In Scope
G63 9RE	Branziert Road North (1-29)	759m	In Scope
G63 9RF	Branziert Road North (2-48)	803m	Exploring Solutions or In Scope
G63 9RG	Branziert Road	746m	In Scope

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G63 9RJ	Main Street (1-33 odds)	297m	In Scope
G63 9RL	Main Street (35-57c)	374m	In Scope
G63 9RQ	Main Street (8-32)	257m	In Scope
G63 9RZ	Rowan Crescent (1 to 21, then odds to 33)	107m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9SA	Maple Crescent (no 18 or 20)	167m	FTTC Being Connected or Accepting Orders
G63 9SD	Beech Drive (1-16)	325m	FTTC Being Connected or Accepting Orders
G63 9SF	The Oaks	360m	Exploring Solutions or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9SJ	Chestnut Avenue	279m	In Scope or FTTC Being Connected
G63 9SL	Old School Court, Main Street	329m	In Scope
G63 9SQ	Birch Road (2-34)	53m	Exploring Solutions or FTTC Being Connected