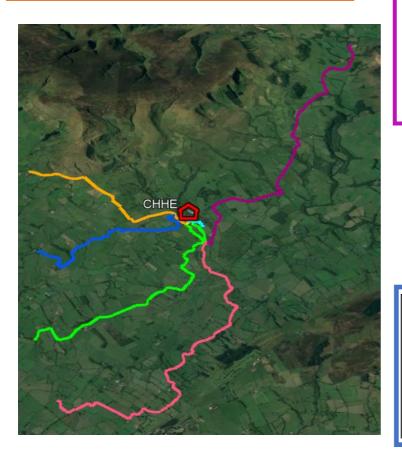


Route One - it's here!

Route 1 – The orange route below leading right to Chipping Village Hall from Bleasdale, branching out to the properties around is going live in February! The fibre is blown! If you have been sat on the fence – now is the time to let your local Champion know that you want 1000Mbps to your home. Maybe you're tied into a contract with another provider at the moment – the fibre will still be taken to your home and be there ready for you to take up the option when released. Don't delay – be part of this wonderful project now!



Bowland with Leagram

What's next for Bowland with Leagram? We are Route 5 which is the dark pink route that will run from the Village towards Whitewell and Dunsop Bridge it will spur out to reach everyone. The fibre is taken to each property, so no telephone cables are required. See the FAQs overleaf. If you have not been approached already, one of our Community volunteers will be calling to show you the proposed routes and to ask for your advice, your interest in getting a connection, and if relevant, your agreement for way leaves. We need to know what you would want. Tracking everyone down is time consuming, so please contact your Route 5 Champion, Carol Griffin carolgriffin64@hotmail.com 01995 61125 to either register your interest in receiving the service or give the benefit of your local knowledge.

To follow all of our progress please visit chippingchain.org

To find out more about B4RN please visit
b4rn.org.uk/faqs/

Please contact the Route Champions:-

Route 1 – Paul longridgepostoffice@gmail.com

Route 2 – Liz erseed@gmail.com

Route 3 – Peter chambers925@btinternet.com

Route 4 – Steve steve.seed@virgin.net

Route 5 – Carol carolgriffin64@hotmail.com

B4RN FAQs

Are you frustrated with slow						
Broadband speeds?	B4RN will provide 1,000 Mbps – Fibre to the house					
Is there a connection fee?	There is a one-off £150 connection charge. This charge covers the cost of the installation in the property and includes the cost of a router, which will be provided at the point when internet service provision is taken.					
What is the monthly charge?	£30 per month (£25 plus VAT)					
What is the contract term?	No long term contract – B4RN connection is on a monthly basis					
I'm currently tied into a Contract – will I miss out?	You can have B4RN installed and start taking service immediately, or you can delay taking service until you're ready, or when your current phone/broadband contract expires.					
Frustrated with reliability?	New fibre cables all the way to your house eliminate the reliability issues caused by the British weather and old copper lines					
What about my landline?	The line is not required for the broadband, therefore no line fees.					
How do I make phone calls?	 There are a number of options: Use your mobile - if you have an unreliable signal, lots of mobile providers are introducin wi-fi calling features Adopt a landline only deal with a phone provider (From April 2018, BT are reducing the price of its monthly line rental only deal by 37%) You can sign up to a third party 'Voice over Internet Protocol service'. If you contact you new provider before your current line is disconnected they can arrange for you to keep you existing landline number. 					
How can I get involved?	 Volunteer Be a part of our supported project, offering your knowledge and/or a few spare hours Customer Simply join as a customer and enjoy reliable, limitless, hyper-fast broadband for £30 per month Investor Make a tax advantageous investment as B4RN shares qualify for EIS relief - reducing your tax bill for the year by 30% of the amount invested. (Invest £1,500 or more, and waive your £150 connection fee) Also B4RN is currently accepting a limited number of 5 year loans from the community, paying 4% interest. Contact B4RN directly for details. 					
Who can I contact for more information?	 Email any of the route champions overleaf or Phone: Paul Hunt 07789 980735 Carol Griffin 01995 61125 or 07875 301060 					

EXAMPLES OF WHAT DIFFERENT BROADBAND SPEEDS CAN ACHIEVE:

Length and type of media	Approximate size	Download speed					
		Broadband				Fiber	
		1Mbps	5Mbps	10Mbps	20Mbps	100Mbps	1000Mbps (Gigabit)
4-minute song	4 MB	30s	5s	3s	1.5s	0.3s	0.03s
5-minute video	30 MB	3m	40s	26s	13s	2.5s	0.2s
9-hour audiobook	110 MB	10m	2m	1.5m	46s	9.2s	0.9s
45-minute TV show	200 MB	20m	5m	3m	1.5m	16s	1.7s
45-minute HDTV show	600 MB	1h	15m	8.5m	4m	50s	5s
2-hour movie	1.0-1.5 GB	2h	24m	21.5m	10.5m	1.5m	8s
2-hour HD movie	3.0-4.5 GB	6h	72m	60m	32m	4.5m	25s