



## SPECIAL PARKING SHUTTLE FOR THE 2016 SIKH PARADE ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 6<sup>th</sup>

Yuba-Sutter Transit will again be operating a special parking lot shuttle service for the 2016 Sikh Temple Gurdwara Parade on Sunday, November 6<sup>th</sup>. This service is being operated as an extension of our regular fixed route service though the parade sponsor has pre-purchased 6,750 round trip tickets that will be available free of charge at the morning boarding location.

As many as 25 buses will be used to operate the parking lot shuttle service between River Valley High School at 801 El Margarita Road and the intersection of Hooper Road and True Road just west of the temple. Buses will operate every few minutes in both directions throughout the day from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. The first bus will depart from the high school at 8:00 a.m. and the last bus will depart from the Hooper and True stop at 6:00 p.m.

At the high school, passengers will board in the visitor parking lot on Spirit Way mid-way between Harter Parkway and El Margarita Road just south of Colusa Highway. All-weather parking is available in both the west and east high school lots on Spirit Way. Overflow parking will also be available nearby on El Margarita Road southwest of the high school. The pre-purchased round-trip tickets will be provided to each passenger while supplies last after which Yuba-Sutter Transit's regular local fixed route fares will apply.

So ride the bus to the temple this year and avoid the worst of the parking and traffic hassles that are normal for this world-class event! Watch for changeable message signs on Highway 20 directing you to the parking and pick-up locations at the high school where attendants will be standing by to assist.

Call (530) 742-2877 for more information.

## EXPIRING DISCOUNT PHOTO ID CARDS EXTENDED ONE YEAR TO DECEMBER 31, 2017

Do you have a discount photo identification (ID) card with an expiration date of December 31, 2016? If so, please note that your card will continue to be accepted by Yuba-Sutter Transit through December 2017. A letter with this same information was recently mailed to the last known address of those who were issued these 2016 cards.

This one time extension is due to the expected conversion to the new Connect Card electronic fare card system early next year. When the Connect Card system is fully implemented, all discount ID card holders will be invited to exchange their current cards for a new discount Connect Card photo ID card. For now, all 2016 cards will continue to be accepted as usual by Yuba-Sutter Transit through 2017.

Discount photo ID cards are issued for \$5 to seniors (age 64 and over) and qualified persons with disabilities as proof of eligibility for Dial-A-Ride service and any applicable discount fares. They are available only at the Yuba-Sutter Transit Administrative Office at 2100 B Street in Marysville. Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.



## NOVEMBER HOLIDAY SERVICE & OFFICE SCHEDULE

- Yuba-Sutter Transit will be closed and service will not be operated Thanksgiving Day, **Thursday, November 24<sup>th</sup>**.
- Sacramento routes will not be operated on **Friday, November 11<sup>th</sup>** in observance of Veteran's Day or on the day after Thanksgiving, **Friday, November 25<sup>th</sup>**, but all other services will operate as scheduled on those days.
- The Administrative Office will be closed on **November 11<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>** so please plan accordingly for the purchase of passes and tickets.



## NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING CANCELLATIONS

The regular November meeting of the Yuba-Sutter Transit Board of Directors has been canceled due to a schedule conflict and a special meeting that was set for Thursday, November 10<sup>th</sup> has also been canceled for lack of agenda items. The next meeting is now scheduled for December 15<sup>th</sup>.

Unless otherwise noticed, regular monthly Board meetings are held at 4:00 p.m. on the third Thursday of each month in the Board of Supervisors Chambers of the Yuba County Government Center at 815 Eighth Street in Marysville.

Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.



## SERVICE NOTES

**DARK & DREARY WEATHER** – Less daylight hours and foggy conditions are common this time of year so it may be difficult for commuter and even local buses to remain on schedule at times. If such delays are likely to cause a problem for you, please consider riding an earlier schedule.

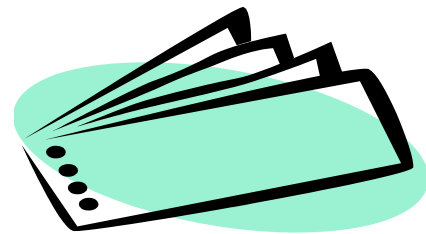
**NO SMOKING WITHIN 20' OF ANY YUBA-SUTTER TRANSIT BUS, BUS STOP, BUS STOP BENCH OR BUS STOP SHELTER** – Winter weather also tends to push people closer together so please note that smoking of any kind is now prohibited within 20' of any Yuba-Sutter Transit bus, bus stop or bus stop shelter.

**SEAT ETIQUETTE** – Speaking of winter weather, please do not put your wet belongings (or feet) on vacant seats for whatever reason. The next person who sits in that seat (and it might be you) does not want a wet surprise.

**ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE HOURS** – The customer service counter in the Yuba-Sutter Transit Administrative Office at 2100 B Street in Marysville is open weekdays from 8:00 a.m. to noon and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. It is closed for lunch except by special appointment so please plan your visit accordingly to avoid any unnecessary inconvenience.

**SACRAMENTO COMMUTER E-MAIL LIST** – We have a database of about 500 e-mail addresses for service and program updates on our Sacramento Commuter and Midday Express services. If you ride this service and have not received an e-mail from us in a while, then you are probably not on our list. Send your name and preferred address to Keith Martin ([keith\\_martin@sbcglobal.net](mailto:keith_martin@sbcglobal.net)) to be included and then add this same name and address to your address book.

**LOST & FOUND** – We are not responsible for what you leave behind when you leave the bus, but check with us before you give up on your umbrella, cell phone, sunglasses, etc. Found items are removed from buses at the end of each service day. Non-perishable items are kept for at least 30 days after which time they are subject to donation to a non-profit organization of our choice. So if you think you lost something on the bus, call our Administration Office at (530) 634-6880.



## BUS PASSES & TICKET BOOKS

Monthly passes, discount ticket books and Sacramento punch cards are available throughout the month during normal business hours and by mail in the Yuba-Sutter Transit office at 2100 B Street in Marysville.

- **Yuba-Sutter Transit Office – Marysville**  
Ticket Books / Monthly Fixed Route Passes / Sacramento Commuter Passes & Punch Cards / Single Ride Tickets for All Services [**Cash, Check, Credit or Debit**]

Fare products are also available in limited quantities at the following locations. Monthly passes are available in these outlets from the 24<sup>th</sup> of the month until the 7<sup>th</sup> of the following month. Ticket books and punch cards are available all month while supplies last.

- **Bel Air Market Customer Service Center – Yuba City**  
Ticket Books / Monthly Fixed Route Passes / Sacramento Commuter Passes & Punch Cards [**Cash or Check Only**]
- **Yuba College Bookstore – Linda**  
Ticket Books / Monthly Fixed Route Passes / Sacramento Commuter Passes & Punch Cards [**Cash, Check, Credit or Debit**]

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