

Transit service improvements begin December 24

VANCOUVER/BURNABY/NEW WESTMINSTER

... Vanc/Bby/New West continued

- 3 Main/Downtown
- 4 Powell/UBC
- 7 Nanaimo Station/Dunbar
- 16 Arbutus/29 Avenue Station
- 19 Metrotown Station/Stanley Park

The above routes are scheduled to operate new low-floor, accessible, bike-rack equipped trolleys for all trips.

- 32 Downtown/Dunbar

Departure times revised in peak periods to provide more consistent service in conjunction with the 7 Nanaimo Station/Dunbar route.

- 50 Waterfront Station/False Creek South

Earlier start for Sunday service (7 a.m.).

- C5 Edmonds Station/Royal Oak Station

More frequent (15-minute) service weekdays, westbound 6 to 9 a.m. and eastbound 4 to 7 p.m.

- C21 Yaletown/Beach/Burrard Station
- C23 Main Street Station/Davie

Extended evening service for both routes, every 15 minutes until midnight weekdays and Saturday, 11 p.m. Sunday and holidays.

- C98 Kingswood/22nd Street Station

This new Community Shuttle route will run hourly during weekday peak periods (approximately 6 to 9 a.m. and 3 to 7 p.m.), serving Kingswood Industrial Park in east Richmond.

- C99 Port Royal/Hamilton

This new Community Shuttle route will provide hourly service to the Queensborough area, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekdays and 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday.

Vancity U-PASS

December service changes

- 4 Powell/UBC

This route is scheduled to operate new low-floor, accessible, bike-rack equipped trolleys for all trips.



The Vancity U-Pass gives UBC and SFU students unlimited access to bus, SeaBus and SkyTrain and discounts on West Coast Express. U-Pass offers service equivalent to a three-zone pass for much less.

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NORTH SHORE

- 229 Phibbs Exchange/Westlynn/Lynn Valley Centre/Lonsdale Quay

This route will operate new low-floor buses that improve wheelchair accessibility and reduce boarding times.

- 239 Park Royal/Lonsdale Quay/Phibbs Exchange/Capilano College

More frequent (10-minute) service during peak periods.

- C15 Indian River/Deep Cove/Phibbs Exchange

More frequent midday service (every 30 minutes) on Sundays/holidays

New

West Coast Express Weekend TrainBus



information, visit www.westcoastexpress.com

Beginning Jan. 5, 2008, West Coast Express will operate its popular TrainBus service between downtown Vancouver and Mission on weekends. For schedule

SURREY/DELTA/WHITE ROCK/LANGLEY

... Sry/Delta/WRock/Lang continued

- 319 Scott Road Station/Scottsdale

Buses will run at least every 15 minutes from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m., seven days a week.

- 320 Surrey Central Station/Guildford/Fleetwood/Langley Centre

More frequent service between Surrey Central and Fleetwood during many periods. Also, all trips will operate via 60 Avenue; the Highway 10 section will now be served every 30 minutes by the extended 341 route (see below).

- 321 Surrey Central Station/Newton Exchange/White Rock Centre/White Rock South

Buses will run at least every 15 minutes from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m., seven days a week between Surrey Central Station and Newton Exchange.

- 323 Surrey Central Station/Newton Exchange

More frequent weekday service: every 20 minutes northbound 5:30 to 8 a.m. and southbound 4 to 7 p.m.; every 30 minutes in both directions 7 to 9 p.m.

- 324 Surrey Central Station/Newton Exchange

More frequent weekday service: every 20 minutes northbound 6 to 8 a.m. and southbound 4 to 7 p.m.; every 30 minutes in both directions 7 to 9 p.m.

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- 325 Surrey Central Station/Newton Exchange

More frequent weekday service: Every 20 minutes northbound 7 to 8 a.m., southbound 4 to 5 p.m. and 6 to 7 p.m.; every 30 minutes in both directions during the midday hours and from 7 to 9 p.m.

- 341 Guildford/Langley Centre

This route is being extended from Cloverdale to Langley Centre, via Highway 10, with service every 30 minutes.

- C52 Seaside/White Rock Centre

Sunday/holiday service extended to 9:30 p.m.

- C75 Scottsdale/Newton Exchange

Hours of service extended to 9 p.m.

- C76 Scottsdale/Ladner Exchange

Some trips will serve Delta View Life Enrichment Centre.

- C88 Ladner Exchange/Ladner North

Service extended north of Commodore Drive to provide access to Marina Garden Estates.

TRI-CITIES

• **97 B-Line – Coquitlam Station/Lougheed Station**
Improved service (every 10 minutes) weekdays
7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

• **177 Coquitlam Station/Planet Ice/Braid Station**
The 177 will be re-routed to serve Riverview Hospital
beginning Dec. 24. As a result, the C35 Community
Shuttle will be discontinued as of Dec. 31.

• **179 Johnson/Coquitlam Station**
Additional trip leaving Coquitlam Station at
3:21 p.m. weekdays when Pinetree Secondary
School is in session.

• **C26 Belcarra/Port Moody Station**
More frequent (30-minute) service between
Anmore and Port Moody Station, weekdays until
about 6 p.m.

• **C29 Parkway Boulevard/Coquitlam Station**
More frequent (30-minute) service, weekdays
9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

• **C30 Lafarge Park/Coquitlam Station**
More frequent (30-minute) service, weekdays
9:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

• **C38 Port Coquitlam Station/Prairie/River
Springs/Coquitlam Station**
C38 Coquitlam Station Express/River Springs Express.
More frequent (15-minute) service during peak
periods between Port Coquitlam Station and
Coquitlam Station. The Express direct service

between River Springs and Coquitlam Station is
being discontinued due to low demand; customers
can use the regular C38 service or the 189 route.

• **C40 Meridian/Port Coquitlam Station**
New midday service, every 30 minutes Monday to
Friday.

• **C47 Alouette/Haney Place**
Trip featured in Coquitlam timetable booklet shown
as leaving Port Haney Station at 7:10 a.m., arriving
at Haney Place at 7:17 a.m., will now just terminate
at Port Haney Station at 7:10 a.m.

RICHMOND & AIRPORT

• **C98 Kingswood/22nd Street Station**
This new route will run hourly during weekday
peak periods (approximately 6 to 9 a.m. and
3 to 7 p.m.), serving Kingswood Industrial Park in
east Richmond.

MAPLE RIDGE/PITT MEADOWS

• **C43 Haney Place/South Haney/Maple Meadows
Station/Meadowtown**
C44 Haney Place/Maple Meadows Station/Meadow-
town. Hourly service extended weekday evenings
until 11 p.m.

• **C45 Cottonwood/Haney Place**
Additional weekday trip leaving Haney Place at
8:27 a.m. and Jackson at 104 Avenue at 8:49 a.m.

Updated Christmas week transit service advisory

TransLink will provide a modified schedule during
Christmas Week, including regular weekday service
on Coast Mountain Buses. Service for the week
beginning Mon., Dec. 24 is as follows:

Mon., Dec. 24

- **Coast Mountain Bus:** Regular weekday schedule.
- **SkyTrain:** Increased frequency during midday,
anticipating early office closings.
- **West Coast Express:** Usual morning schedule into
Waterfront Station; then trains will leave Waterfront
at 1, 3, 4:20, 5:30 and 6:20 p.m., with TrainBuses at
1:20, 7 and 8 p.m.

Tues., Dec. 25

- **Coast Mountain Bus:** Sunday service, with reduced
frequency in some areas, according to past ridership
trends.
- **SkyTrain:** Sunday starting and finishing times
- **SeaBus:** Sunday schedule
- **West Coast Express:** No service

Wed., Dec 26

- **Coast Mountain Bus:** Sunday service; routes that
serve malls and other shopping areas will have
additional runs.
- **SkyTrain:** Saturday start and finish times (first train
leaves King George at 6:08 a.m., last train leaves
Waterfront at 1:16 a.m.) and some additional capacity
during the day to accommodate shoppers.
- **SeaBus:** Full Saturday service.
- **West Coast Express:** No train or TrainBus.

Thurs., Dec. 27 to Fri. Dec. 28

- **Coast Mountain Bus:** Regular weekday schedule.
- **SkyTrain:** Weekday service with slight
reduction in morning and afternoon rush hour
frequency; increased frequency during midday to
accommodate shoppers and holiday travel.
- **SeaBus and West Coast Express:** Normal service.

New Year's Eve, Mon. Dec. 31

- **SkyTrain:** Extends service from downtown Vancouver
an additional hour, with the last train leaving
Waterfront Station at 2:20 a.m.
- **West Coast Express:** Regular morning schedule;
afternoon departures from Waterfront at
1, 3, 4:20, 5:30 and 6:20 p.m., with TrainBuses at
1:20, 7 and 8 p.m.
- **SeaBus:** Will operate at 15 minute frequency
until the 1 a.m. sailing from Lonsdale Quay
(12:45 a.m. from Waterfront), then every
30 minutes until 2:16 a.m. from Waterfront.

Regular weekday fares will apply on all days except
Christmas Day and Boxing Day. Once again this
year, all New Year's Eve transit service will be free
from 5 p.m. until close of service.

Please note: This is a general overview of the
Christmas Week service. If you require information
regarding specific routes or areas you should
check closer to the date, either online at
www.translink.bc.ca or by calling Customer
Information, at 604-953-3333.

BUZZER

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Transit service improvements

Improved Community Shuttle services
throughout the region, plus significant bus
improvements in the South of Fraser area,
highlight Dec. 2007 transit service changes.
Please note that bus changes will take effect
Dec. 24, while Community Shuttle changes
take place Dec. 31.

Look inside for details.

For each service area, conventional bus routes
are listed first, followed by Community
Shuttle (C) routes.