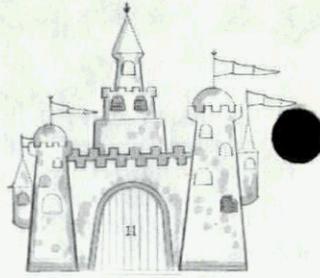


'FANTASY CASTLE' — A children's Christmas project. Fantasy Castle consists of a series of walk-through lands occupied by Burnaby Youth Volunteers. Children will explore Dreamland, Candyland and the Enchanted Forest with talking trees and animals. As they continue on their way they visit Upside-Down Land with characters like Cinderella, Snow White and the Dwarfs, Pinocchio and many others. The journey leads to the North Pole and a visit with Santa, Mrs. Claus and all the elves.



Fantasy Castle is for children 10 years of age and under and is suitable for all handicapped children. Admission is free.

December 16, 17 and 18 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.

December 19 and 20 from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at Glenwood Elementary School, 5787 S.W. Marine Drive, Burnaby.

(December 16 is handicapped and group night. No reservations required.)

'CABINETS OF CURIOSITIES', a 13,000 sq. ft. exhibition of over 1000 items from the Vancouver Museum's permanent collection — the largest civic museum collection in Canada.

Many items have never been exhibited, or have not been on display since they were moved from the old Carnegie Library Museum thirteen years ago. The Vancouver Museum, 1100 Chestnut Street. Open seven days a week.

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At Christmas, the kids would like something that will separate the men from the toys.

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Christmas Gift a Farecard

A Farecard for the month of January would make a thoughtful and useful gift. If the person you are gifting doesn't have the necessary personalized photocard, he or she can purchase one for \$2 at:

- Woodwards Store — New Westminster
- Landsdowne Shopping Centre, Richmond
- Coquitlam Centre
- Concert Box Office — 501 West Georgia Street

ODDS & ENDS

The Purcell String Quartet, SFU's Quartet in Residence, will perform noon hour concerts, Monday Dec. 14th & Friday Dec. 18th in the Theatre, Robson Square. Tickets are \$3 at the door. . . . White Rock Summer Theatre Child's Christmas in Wales" with Terence Kelly. Complimentary Christmas Punch and confections, choirs, candles, cedar boughs. Bake and stocking-stuffer sale, community carols, soprano Vicki Auerbach on guitar. Dec. 11th at 8 p.m., Dec. 12th at 2:30 and 8 p.m., Dec. 13th at 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. White Rock Legion, 15150 Russell . . . Moms and Tots drop-in. Tuesday mornings, 10 a.m. to noon at the West End Community Centre's Denman Room. Come and visit us and have questions about you and your children answered by local health and social service staff, while your children play with new toys and new friends . . . Christmas Concert by Vancouver Gallery Singers and children of the new Richmond Junior Choir. Sat., Dec. 19th at 7:30 p.m. at Richmond Presbyterian Church, No. 2 Rd. and Granville . . . West Coast Actors presents "An Old-Fashioned Christmas", a heartwarming evening of everyone's favourite Christmas stories and carols. For the whole family. One performance only — Sun., Dec. 20th at 7 p.m. in the Waterfront Theatre, Granville Island. Phone 685-6217 for reservations . . . A holiday tradition — The Vancouver Symphony Orchestra will present its annual Christmas Carol Concert with members of the Vancouver Bach Choir. Dec. 19 and 21 at 8:30 p.m., Dec. 22 at 7:30 p.m., in the Orpheum. Tickets available at all Vancouver Ticket Centre outlets . . . At the Surrey Art Gallery — "Ceramics by Fred Owen" with about sixty new pieces by the artist. Weekdays 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. — Tues. and Thurs. evenings 7:00 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. — Weekends 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m., until Dec. 27 . . . Delta seniors — Pot-Luck Dinner & Dance at the Kinsmen Rec. Centre, 5410-10th Ave., Tsawwassen, Dec. 18, 7 p.m. For information 943-0225 . . . Back by popular demand — 'The Golden Slipper', Wed., Dec. 16 to Sun., Dec. 20 at the James Cowan Theatre, 6450 Gilpin St. in Century Park, Burnaby. Call 291-6864 for reservations and information . . . Holiday happenings at the Vancouver Aquarium. See the traditional tree in the tropical gallery turned on and off by the electric eels. A Christmas Puppet Show, Dec. 19, 20 and 21 . . . Sing-along Messiah, performed by the Vancouver Bach Choir with audience and twelve soloists, Wed., Dec. 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the Orpheum. Tickets at the Vancouver Ticket Centre outlets and all Eatons stores . . . North Vancouver City Library, 121 West 14th St., Open House. Saturday, Dec. 12 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Coffee and cookies. 10:30 to 11:30 a.m., Christmas Crafts for Kids — Pre-register ages 5 to 12 to make a gift for home. 100 children limit.

COMING EVENTS

- Now to Dec. 20 — Circle Craft's Xmas Craft Market, Vanc. East Cultural Ctr., 1895 Venables St., Vanc., Noon to 10 pm. Adm. \$1, \$2 family, 50¢ s.c./stud., Children free.
- Now to Dec. 24 — Xmas Crafts Sale, Rose Garden Co-op Society, 702 E. Cordova, Vanc., Mon.-Wed., 9-5 pm, Thur.-Fri., 9-8 pm, Sat., 10-5 pm.
- Dec. 12 — Xmas Sale, Hastings Family Drop-In, Hastings Comm. Hall, 3096 E. Hastings, Vanc., 10 am-1 pm.
- Dec. 12 — Mini-Fair, St. Philips Anglican Church, 3741 W. 27th Ave., 1-3:30 pm.
- Dec. 17, 18, 19 — Flea Market & \$1 Days Sale, West End Info Ctr., 839 Bidwell St., Vanc., 9 am-6 pm.

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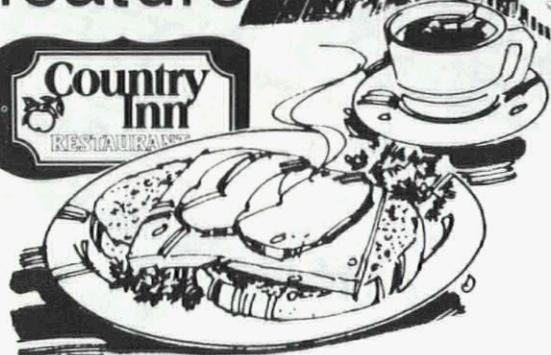


January Farecards on Sale December 21

As a convenience in the busy holiday season, Farecards for January transit travel will be available a few days earlier than usual. Beginning December 21 they may be renewed at the usual locations:

- All branches of the Royal Bank
- All Lower Mainland Woodward Stores
- Concert Box Office, 501 West Georgia Street
- Vancouver Ticket Centre outlets
- A.M.S. Office at U.B.C.
- All Eaton's stores
- B.C. Teachers Credit Union
- South Burnaby Credit Union
- Burnaby Credit Union
- Mount Pleasant Credit Union
- OCVU Buspass, 633 Homer Street

Sears farecard food feature



Fried egg on a toasted
English muffin
with ham and cheese
and beverage

189*

Present your valid farecard and you'll receive this delicious, nutritious food feature at a very special price! Offer valid Monday through Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. until December 31, 1981.

*One food special per farecard, per visit

Harbour Centre • Burnaby • Richmond
Surrey • Capilano Mall

Sears

your money's worth...and more

Service Adjustments

Effective December 18

9 BROADWAY EXTENSION

Increased service evenings and all day Sundays and holidays. Buses will run every 15 minutes instead of every 30 minutes.

27 RUPERT

Rerouted into Champlain Heights.

Southbound: The bus will follow the regular route to Kerr and 58th Ave., then will proceed via Kerr, Rosemont, Butler, Maquinna Drive, Champlain Cres., Marquette Cres. to Champlain.

Northbound: The bus will leave the terminus on Marquette Cres. at Champlain Cres. and proceed via Marquette Cres, Champlain Cres., Maquinna Drive, Butler, Rosemont to Kerr and the regular route.

54 STRIDE-55 TWELFTH ST.-96 SIXTH ST.

Minor adjustments to the daytime and evening rush-hour service.

RICHMOND-VANCOUVER

Additional trips Monday to Friday.

A.M. to Vancouver

407 leaving Chatham & 2nd Ave. at 5:55
401 leaving Chatham & 2nd Ave. at 6:05
401 leaving Chatham & 2nd Ave. at 6:26

P.M. to Richmond

407 leaving Burrard & Pender at 3:35
407 leaving Burrard & Pender at 5:45
403 leaving Burrard & Pender at 5:55

310 HJORTH

Rerouted through Cloverdale.

Eastbound: The bus will follow the regular route to 176th St. 57th Ave., then will proceed via 57th Ave., 177 B St., Hwy #10 and the regular route to Langley.

Westbound: From Langley the bus will follow the regular route to Hwy. #10 and 177 B St., then will proceed via 177 B St., 57th Ave., 176th St. and the regular route.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Two volunteers required to make and serve tea to a small group of residents at Main St. and 36th Ave., Wednesday or Thursday afternoons. Call Lois Craig, CNIB 321-2311.

Timetables

With the exception of the PNE PARK & RIDE, all timetables will be reprinted with an effective date of December 18. The current BEACH/FREW and BEACH/FALSE CREEK timetables, which show an expiry date of April 1982, will also be revised and reprinted.

Timetables are available at the following locations: Public Libraries, City and Municipal Halls, Community Centres, MTOC Lost Property Office, Visitor's Bureau and Shopping Centre Information booths.



Anyone who thinks Christmas doesn't last all year doesn't have a charge account.

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Don't Drive Yourself Crazy, Shop by Bus

Farecard, of course, offers the ultimate in flexibility and value, but for those who don't have one, the ninety-minute transfer can be a real boon.

Once you have paid for your fare and asked for a transfer, you have at least ninety minutes to transfer to any other bus, or series of buses, in the system.

Think of the possibilities. You can shop and ride . . . shop and ride . . . shop and ride . . . until the transfer expires. It sure beats fighting traffic and parking.

Just remember to ask for a transfer when you pay your fare. The driver cannot give you one at any other time.

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Man to neighbour: "I took the car to the repair shop for four shocks — and ended up with five."

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FLAG STOPS

It is necessary to wave or 'flag' the bus in any portion of the following routes which do not have regular stop signs.

326 ARCHIBALD between Newton and the Fraser Hwy. **336 ANNEDALE** between the King George Hwy. and Guildford, except for designated stops at 176th (Cloverdale) and on Harvey Dr. at Port Kells. **338 CLAYTON** except for designated stops at Cloverdale (176th St.), Clayton (72nd Ave.) and Port Kells. **343 SULLIVAN** except for one designated stop on 148th St. north of Hwy. #10. **148 IOCO** between Ioco and Anmore.