

Canada's 120th birthday. FareCard or DayPass all day to take in the celebration of Single zone fares apply systemwide on holidays, so use your 8:33 a.m. - 11:03 p.m., and Waterfront 8:47 a.m. - 11:17 p.m. front 8:50 a.m. - 12:15 a.m. Seabus leaves Lonsdale Quay leaves New Westminster 8:20 a.m. - 11:45 p.m., and Water- Vancouver Regional Transit services will operate on a Sunday schedule for Canada Day, Wednesday July 1st. SkyTrain

Sunday Service for Canada Day	
At all other times on Saturdays and Sundays, it provides 30-minute service.	
Seabus provides 15-minute service.	
Saturdays between 10:03 a.m. and 6:17 p.m.,	
Service frequency	
Lonsdale Quay	6:33 a.m. First sailing
Vancouver	6:47 a.m. First sailing
Vancouver	8:33 a.m. Last sailing
Lonsdale Quay	11:03 p.m. Last sailing

Schedule of first and last sailings.

Since the first day Seabus operations commenced, June 17th, 1977, the system has been exceptionally successful. It has fulfilled its mandate to provide an attractive, efficient alternative to rush-hour bridge traffic.

It has become increasingly popular with casual transit riders and visitors. In fact, during the Expo months, the number of passengers more than doubled.

It has carried 33 million passengers with a record of on-time service that is, to say the least, impressive — 99.99%. All this from a system that was and is radically new, conceived, designed and built in British Columbia.

Something well worth celebrating.

Join us for a free trip at any time during the service day on Saturday or Sunday, June 20th or 21st.

Free rides to celebrate 10 years of Seabus service SATURDAY AND SUNDAY JUNE 20th AND 21st

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SEABUS 10TH BIRTHDAY PARTY

A better way to pay



New dollar coin will be introduced July 1st.

Circulation of some 100 million of the new, eleven-sided, gold-coloured dollar coins will begin July 1st. Transit systems across Canada have been waiting for this day for many years, since the new coins can be handled more efficiently than dollar bills. They won't block fare-boxes and counting will be faster and less expensive. The saving to BC Transit is expected to be several hundred thousand dollars a year.

From the passengers' point of view it's also a winner. One coin replaces four quarters in purse or pocket, and, of course, the possibility of rejection by an automatic vending machine, as occasionally happens with dollar bills, is eliminated.

SkyTrain and SeaBus automatic vending machines

BC Transit planned well in advance for the new coins and the machines are equipped to accept them right from day one.

Transit officials will host a 10th Birthday Party for Seabus, June 20th in North Vancouver. You're invited to join the fun. An official party will travel to the party at Lonsdale Quay by Seabus, accompanied by an honour guard of harbour boats. The other Seabus will leave North Vancouver at the same time and the two will meet in the centre of the harbour, where they will be saluted by the Vancouver Fire Boat and the 9 o'clock Gun.

The Birthday Party, complete with speeches, clowns, balloons, birthday cards, band music and, of course, cake, will begin at 2:00 p.m.

The 33-millionth Seabus passenger, identified earlier in the week, will be an honoured guest and will be presented with a monthly pass.

The winner of the elementary school birthday card contest, Elaine Jung, a Grade 6 student at Montroyal Elementary School, will be made Honourary Captain for the day. We suggest you get to the site of the party well before the official party and watch the on-water celebrations from that point.

Don't forget that you're invited to travel free by Seabus, before and after the party, and at any other time June 20th and 21st.

Join the party

North Vancouver
Lonsdale Quay Market
CN IMAX® Theatre
Granville Square
Harbour Centre
Sinclair Centre
The Landing
The Promenade Shops
The Station

They will take part in the festivities with week-long displays and activities.

Enjoy activities and attractions on both sides of the harbour

The following merchants, located close to the Seabus terminals, are participating in a special Seabus Birthday Event.

BURNABY TRANSIT CENTRE OPEN HOUSE

Staff will be offering tours of this new state-of-the-art maintenance and operating centre, Saturday, June 27th from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. 3750 Kitchener Street, Burnaby.

- ### COMING EVENTS
- June 19 — Thrift Shop sale, Collingwood United Church, 41st & Joyce, 10:00 a.m.-11:00 p.m.
 - June 20 — Strawberry Shortcake Tea and Bazaar, St. Matthew's Church Hall, 3019 East 23rd Ave. 1:00 p.m.
 - June 20 — Yard Sale with bake table, Deer Lake Chapter IODE, 5360 Sperling Ave., Burnaby. 10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m.
 - June 27 — Strawberry Tea & Sale, St. Mark's Church, 2nd Ave. & Larch, 1:00-3:00 p.m. \$3.

- ### ODDS & ENDS
- Mediaeval games, tournaments, archery display pavilions, crafts, etc. 11:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m., June 21 at Deer Lake Park. Staged Mediaeval performance in the James Cowan Theatre. Info: 298-7322 □ Scott Plear: Recent Work, 'til June 28 at Burnaby Art Gallery □ North Vancouver City Library presents a summerful of fun for all elementary school students. Take a Trek Through Time starting June 20 at 1:30 p.m. □ A conference sponsored by Mature Women's Network: "Getting Our Act Together", June 20 from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at 411 Dunsmuir St. \$15 includes lunch. Info: 681-3986 □ Tours of UBC Botanical Gardens with David Tarrant, June 28 at 10:30 a.m., 1:00 p.m. or 3:30 p.m. Tea served at 1:00 p.m. 228-4201 □ The GVRD's newest recreational attraction, White Pine Beach, in Belcarra Regional Park, is now open. □ Vancouver Community College, department of music, in cooperation with Coastal Jazz & Blues Society New Orchestra Workshop, presents du Maurier International jazz Festival Workshops, June 29th through July 3rd, noon to 2:00 p.m. at King Edward Campus Auditorium, 1155 East Broadway. \$75 for 5 days. 875-8220 □ Ink and Watercolours by Sherry L. Mitchell, 'til June 29 at the Gateway Theatre, 6500 Gilbert Road, Richmond □ Paintings by Barbara Pratzina and Percival Ritchie, Stone Sculpture by Eldon Oja, June 26-July 6, Richmond Art Gallery, 7671 Minoru Gate □ Colour on Clay by Nga-Hwa Yeo and Mixed Media Works by Catherine Shapiro, 'til June 27 at the Community Arts Council of Vancouver, 837 Davie St. 683-4358 □ Surrey YM-YWCA swimming lessons for children aged 4-10. Sessions begin July 6 and every 2 weeks 'til Aug. 28. 581-0014 □ Firehall Theatre presents "In the Boom Boom Room", Wed. through Sat., June 19-July 11 at 8:00 p.m. Tickets: 689-0926 □ A Canadian Hostelling membership is a passport to hostels throughout the world. Write to 225 West Broadway, Vancouver, B.C. V6R 2B4 □ Killarney Community Centre, 6260 Killarney St., "Summer Fun" day camps begin June 29th and conclude August 17th. Info: 434-9167 □ Ostop Society of B.C. free public lecture, June 24 at 7:00 p.m., TB Christmas Seal Auditorium, 806 West 10th Ave. Info: 731-4997 □ An exhibition of prints by Capilano College graduate artists, 'til July 5th at the Arts Council of New Westminster Art Institute, Queens Park □ Registration for West End Community Centre programs begins June 25th, 5:00-9:00 p.m. 870 Denman, 689-0571 □ Summer retreat for older adults at Camp Capilano on the North Shore, July 3rd. Call Dee at the West End Community Centre, 689-0571 □ Madhouse Theatre Cooperative presents Greater Tuna, at the Waterfront Theatre, Granville Island, 'til July 11. Res: 685-6217 □ Works by Coquitlam group Suite E, 'til July 4th at New Westminster Library Art Gallery □ 9th Annual World Championship Handcar Races, as part of Golden Spike Days in Port Moody, June 4th and 5th. Info: 939-5592.

Detailed bus, Seabus and SkyTrain timetables are available at a number of convenient outlets, including public libraries, city and municipal halls, information centres, community centres, chambers of commerce, the BC Transit Lost Property Office at 611 West Hastings and the Vancouver Travel InfoCentre at 562 Burrard.

For detailed schedule information

TIME PERIOD	FREQUENCY
Monday to Friday	Every 5 minutes
First train to 7:00 AM	Every 3 - 3 1/2 minutes
7:00 AM to 9:00 AM	Every 3 - 3 1/2 minutes
9:00 AM to 3:30 PM	Every 5 minutes
3:30 PM to 6:30 PM	Every 3 - 3 1/2 minutes
6:30 PM to last train	Every 5 minutes
Saturday	Every 7 1/2 minutes
First train to 8:30 AM	Every 5 minutes
8:30 AM to last train	Every 5 minutes
Sunday	Every 5 minutes
All day	Every 5 minutes

SkyTrain frequency of service

STATION	MONDAY TO FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
First Train	6:20 AM	6:20 AM	6:20 AM
Last Train	12:45 AM	12:45 AM	12:45 AM
WESTBOUND	6:20 AM	6:20 AM	6:20 AM
Ar. New Westminster	6:20 AM	6:20 AM	6:20 AM
Ar. Waterfront	6:47 AM	6:47 AM	6:47 AM
EASTBOUND	6:47 AM	6:47 AM	6:47 AM
Ar. Waterfront	6:47 AM	6:47 AM	6:47 AM
Ar. New Westminster	6:20 AM	6:20 AM	6:20 AM
Lv. Waterfront	6:50 AM	6:50 AM	6:50 AM
Lv. New Westminster	6:17 AM	6:17 AM	6:17 AM

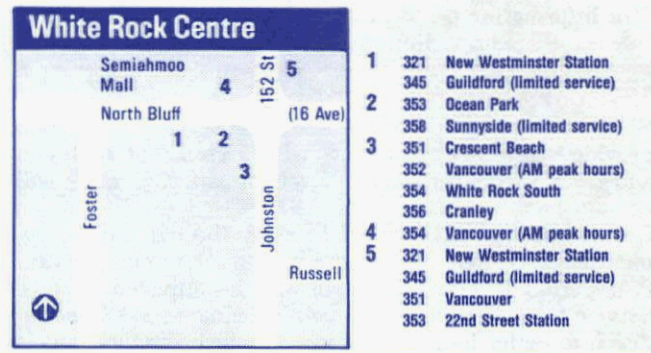
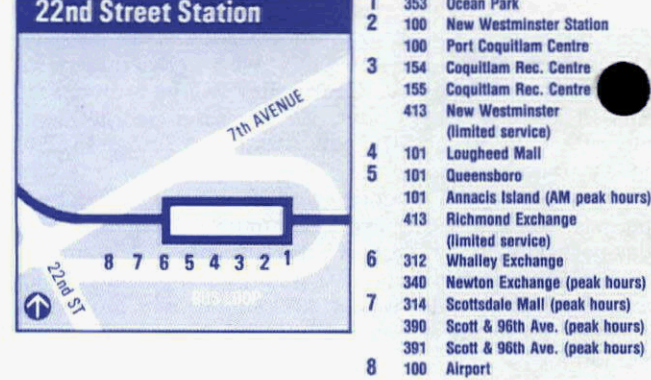
Intermediate Station times are approximate

SkyTrain schedule of first and last trains

Whether you travel by bus, SkyTrain or Seabus, or any combination of the three modes, the fare is the same. You begin your journey by bus, for instance, you have at least 90 minutes from the time your transfer is issued to transfer to SkyTrain, Seabus, or any bus or series of buses that will take you to your destination. The only reservation is that you may not retrace your route on the same transfer. Similarly, your SkyTrain or Seabus ticket, or validated FareSaver ticket, will be accepted as a transfer when you board a bus within 90 minutes of the time the ticket has been stamped.

An integrated fare system

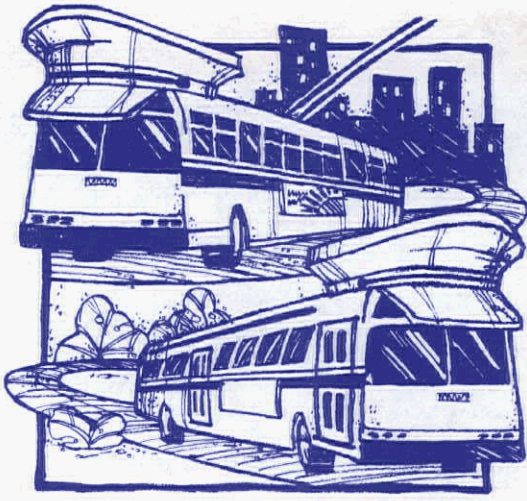
Making efficient bus/SkyTrain connections



BC Transit wins top safety awards

For the first time ever, BC Transit has won two first-place national safety awards, awarded annually by the Canadian Urban Transit Association. BC Transit has earned both the top award for improvement in employee safety and the top award in passenger safety for 1986, in competition with all other major Canadian transit systems. Since 1976, the Lower Mainland system has received 16 national and international awards for traffic-, passenger-, and employee safety.

Transit Service Changes effective June 29th



System Tune-Ups

Minor service adjustments are being implemented as part of the ongoing process to match service levels with passenger demand.

3 Main/Robson

8 Fraser/Davie

On Sundays and holidays, departure times will be changed to increase running times on certain sections of the routes.

9 Boundary/Alma

With many passengers transferring to SkyTrain at Broadway Station, demand for bus service east of the Station has decreased. Every second trolley eastbound on Broadway, between 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, will therefore short-turn at Broadway Station instead of Renfrew Loop (Renfrew & Broadway).

Alternate #9 trips will continue to operate to/from Boundary Loop (Broadway & Boundary).

10 Hastings Express/UBC

Peak-period service levels, Monday through Friday, will be adjusted slightly to reflect current ridership.

14 Hastings/18 Arbutus

Peak-period service levels, Monday through Friday, between downtown Vancouver and Kootenay Loop, will be adjusted slightly.

Mid-day Saturday service, noon to 3:00 p.m., will be adjusted to provide a bus every 15 minutes, instead of every 12 minutes.

16 - 29th Ave Station/Downtown

Peak-period service levels, Monday through Friday, between downtown Vancouver and Kootenay Loop, will be adjusted slightly.

Mid-day Saturday service, noon to 3:00 p.m., will be adjusted to provide a bus every 15 minutes, instead of every 12 minutes.

19 Metrotown Station/Stanley Park

Peak-period service levels, Monday through Friday, will be adjusted slightly to reflect current passenger demand.

On Sundays and holidays, every second eastbound bus will terminate downtown. This will result in a 10-minute service between Stanley Park and downtown, and a 20-minute service between downtown and Metrotown Station.

20 Granville/21 Victoria

Mid-day service, Monday through Saturday, will be reduced slightly to reflect current demand. Buses will now operate every 8.5 minutes instead of the present 7.5 minute service.

133 Lougheed Mall/Kootenay Loop

The bus that presently leaves Lougheed Mall at 6:10 a.m., Monday through Friday, will leave 10 minutes earlier, at 6:00 a.m. and arrive at Kootenay Loop at 6:52 a.m. This adjustment will provide more evenly spaced service along East Hastings Street during the early morning peak period.

140 Burnaby Hts/Kootenay Loop

The #140 route will be changed to operate in both directions along Eton Street, between Boundary and Gilmore. As a result, eastbound service along Oxford Street will be discontinued.

145 Lougheed Mall/SFU

To improve connections at Lougheed Mall, evening buses will leave SFU two minutes earlier.

151 Port Coquitlam Centre/Vancouver

The #151 route will be changed in the vicinity of Coquitlam Centre. Buses will operate via Westwood, Lincoln, Pine Tree Way and Lougheed, in both directions.

310 Scottsdale Mall/Vancouver

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The departure times of some trips will be adjusted to better reflect current running times.

312 Whalley Exchange/22nd St. Station

Departure times along the route will be adjusted to improve connections at Scott & 96 Ave and at Whalley Exchange.

316 Whalley Exchange/Scottsdale Mall

Departure times along the route will be adjusted to improve connections at Scott & 96 Ave and at Whalley Exchange.

319 Scottsdale Mall/New Westminster Stn.

During the P.M. peak period, departure times from New Westminster Station will be delayed by up to two minutes.

320 Langley/New Westminster Station

Langley Bus Depot will be the new terminus for the #320 route. Buses will operate in Langley via New McLellan, 203 St., 53 Ave., 204 St., Douglas Cres., 206 St., and Logan Ave.

Connections to Fraser Valley and Greyhound services can be made at the Depot.

329 Park-Ride/New Westminster Station

During the P.M. peak period, departure times from New Westminster Station will be up to two minutes later.

390 Scott & 96 Ave/22nd St. Station

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A.M. peak-period departure times from Scott & 96 and P.M. peak-period departure times from 22nd St. Station have been adjusted slightly to reflect current running times.



Service level adjustments for the summer months

3 Main/Robson

8 Fraser/Davie

15 Cambie/Downtown

17 Oak/Downtown

22 Knight/Macdonald

160 South Port Coquitlam/Vancouver

241 Upper Lonsdale/Vancouver

401 One Road/Vancouver

406 Railway/Vancouver

407 Gilbert/Vancouver

On the routes listed above, peak-period service levels, Monday through Friday, will be adjusted slightly for the summer months to reflect reduced demand. Regular service levels will be reinstated in September 1987.

151 Port Coquitlam/Vancouver

152 Port Coquitlam/Vancouver

A.M. peak-period service levels will be adjusted slightly for the summer months only.

154 Coquitlam Rec Ctr/Vancouver

155 Coquitlam Rec Ctr/Vancouver

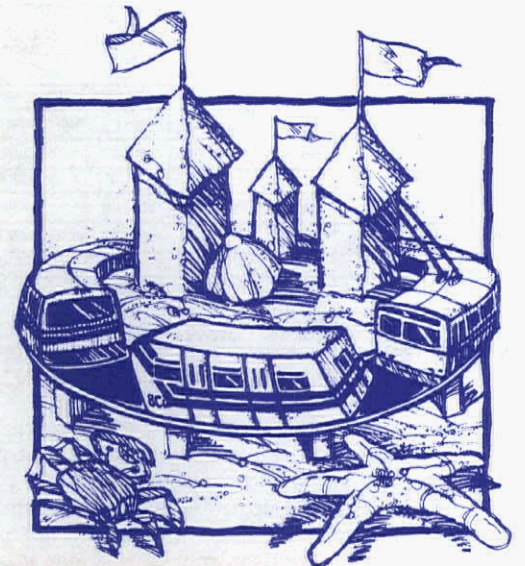
With fewer commuters using #154 and #155 buses in the summer months, P.M. peak-period trips leaving Vancouver for Lougheed Mall and the Coquitlam Rec Centre will be changed slightly.

214 Blueridge/Vancouver

For the summer months only, the 7:32 a.m. trip from Blueridge to Vancouver, Monday through Friday, will travel only as far as Phibbs Exchange, arriving at 7:45 a.m. Passengers can continue on to Vancouver on a #210 or #211 bus.

602 Tsawwassen Hts/Vancouver

Because of reduced commuter ridership, buses will operate every 20 minutes, instead of every 15 minutes, for the summer months only.



New White Rock Bus/SkyTrain Connection

A new SkyTrain connection — 353 Ocean Park/22nd St Station — will offer White Rock passengers a whole new choice of connections to New Westminster, Burnaby, East Vancouver, and, of course, downtown Vancouver via SkyTrain.

#351, #352 and #354 buses will continue to travel to Vancouver via the Massey Tunnel with slight timing adjustments.

353 Ocean Park/22nd St. Station

#353 buses will operate over the existing route between Ocean Park (128th St. and 16th Ave.) and White Rock Centre. From White Rock Centre they will be rerouted via Russell, George, North Bluff, 152 St., King George Hwy., Hwy. 99, Hwy. 91, and the new Alex Fraser Bridge to 22nd St. SkyTrain Station.

The new service will operate every 20 minutes during peak periods, weekdays, and every 60 minutes during the mid-day period, Monday through Saturday. After 7:27 p.m. and all day Sunday and holidays, White Rock passengers to/from SkyTrain should use the #321 service which operates between Johnston & North Bluff and New Westminster Station.

For information on SkyTrain schedules, frequency and connections see pages 4 and 5.

351 North Bluff/Vancouver

With the introduction of the new #353 service, which will provide White Rock residents with a choice of routes to and from Vancouver, service levels on the #351 route will be adjusted.

During the mid-day period, Monday through Friday, 60-minute service will replace the present 30-minute service. Peak-period service levels will also be adjusted slightly. Service from Vancouver will be redesignated 351 Crescent Beach to better indicate the area in which the terminus is located.

352 Crescent Road/Vancouver

The service from Vancouver will be redesignated 352 White Rock Centre to better indicate the location of the terminus. No change will be made to the route or to service levels.

354 White Rock South/White Rock Centre

During the mid-day period, buses will leave White Rock Centre one minute earlier.

The last bus of the service day will leave White Rock Centre one hour earlier because of low ridership levels: 12:39 a.m., Monday through Saturday, and 11:33 p.m., Sunday and holidays.

356 Cranley/White Rock Centre

The section of the route within South Surrey will be revised. Buses will operate via 160th St., King George Hwy., 16th Ave., Kent and the regular route. Schedule times will not change.