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 Bring a friend to the clinic at 4750 Oak Street, Thurs., Dec. 21 from 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and Fri., Dec. 22 from 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Canadian Red Cross Christmas Blood Blitz

*To Ladner Exch. only

Lv. Tsawwassen Ferry Terminal	Monday	6:48 a.m., 7:48, 8:48, 9:48, 10:48, 11:48, 12:48 p.m., 1:48, 2:48, 3:48, 4:48, 5:48, 6:48, 7:48, 8:48, 9:48, 10:48, 11:02	Lv. Scottsdale Mall
	to Friday	6:48 a.m., 7:48, 8:48, 9:48, 10:48, 11:48, 12:48 p.m., 1:48, 2:48, 3:48, 4:48, 5:48, 6:48, 7:48, 8:02, 9:02, 9:57, 10:57, 11:02	
	Dec. 18-22	12:48 p.m., 1:48, 2:48, 3:48, 4:48, 5:48, 6:48, 7:02, 8:02, 9:02, 9:57, 10:57, 11:02	
	Dec. 25 (Xmas Day)	7:57 a.m., 9:57, 11:57, 1:57 p.m., 3:57, 5:02, 7:02, 9:02, 11:02	
	Dec. 24	7:57 a.m., 8:57, 9:57, 10:57, 11:57, 12:02 p.m., 1:02, 2:02, 3:02, 4:02, 5:02, 6:02, 7:02, 8:02, 9:02, 11:02	
	Dec. 26 (Boxing Day)	7:57, 9:57, 11:57, 1:57, 3:57, 5:57, 7:57, 9:57	
	Jan. 1 (New Year's Day)	7:57 a.m., 9:57, 11:57, 1:02 p.m., 3:02, 4:02, 5:02, 6:02, 7:02, 8:02, 9:02, 11:02	
	Saturday	7:54 a.m., 8:54, 9:54, 10:48, 11:48, 11:57, 12:48 p.m., 1:48, 2:48, 3:48, 4:48, 5:48, 6:48, 7:57, 9:57, 11:02	

in conjunction with extra BC Ferry sailings to and from Swartz Bay over the Christmas and New Year holiday periods, the following #640 trips have been scheduled.

#640 Holiday Service DECEMBER 18 -- JANUARY 1

If there's a possibility you may be having drinks

Don't take the keys

Before going out, plan a safe journey home by arranging to travel with a sober driver.

Your "Designated Driver" could be a Bus Driver, a SeaBus Captain or a Skytrain Controller

BC Transit has more than 2,000 "Designated Drivers" who move buses, SeaBuses and SkyTrain on 143 routes throughout the Vancouver Regional Transit System's 1,500 square kilometre service area.

However you travel; by Bus, SkyTrain or SeaBus, the fare is the same. During non-rush hours (between 9:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. and after 6:30 p.m. weekdays, and all day Saturday, Sunday and holidays) adults can travel one way throughout the System for only \$1.25. Buy a book of 10 FareSaver tickets and save 10 per cent.

Check the New Year's Eve transit service extensions in this issue of the Buzzer, and note that all Transit travel after 5:00 p.m. on December 31 is absolutely free.

The "Keys" campaign operates in conjunction with Counter-Attack, a program that began 12 years ago and has since seen a 50 per cent drop in alcohol-related traffic accidents.

CounterAttack focuses on deterrence. "Don't take the keys" is a complementary awareness campaign that offers transit as a viable alternative to drinking and driving - a life saving alternative.



Jump aboard the Christmas Train in Stanley Park

A ride on the Christmas Train makes a wonderful excursion for kids of all ages. Dec 15, 5-9 p.m. Dec 16-Jan 7, 2-9 p.m. Closed Christmas Day. Dec 15-18 are free days for seniors.

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 Eastbound buses travel via McConachie Way, Access Road, Miller Road, Russ Baker Way, McConachie Way on-ramp, McConachie Way and Arthur Laign Bridge.

Coquitlam Timetable Update

The 163 Prairie trip which used to leave Port Coquitlam Centre at 7:36 a.m. is now leaving eight minutes earlier. The bus leaves Port Coquitlam Centre at 7:28 a.m., and Victoria and Rockland at 7:40 a.m. It arrives back at Port Coquitlam Centre at 7:58. This change was made too late to be included in the new December 11 timetable.
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421 Cambie Rd/Richmond Exc. TEMPORARY REROUTE

From January 2, 1990, until approximately the end of October, 1990, the #421 service will be rerouted while an overpass is being constructed at Cambie Road and Knight Street. During this time buses operating between Bridgeport and Cambie will be routed as follows:
 From Marine and Knight via Marine, Knight Street Bridge, Bridgeport, Sweden Way, Bathgate Way, Sweden Way, Jacobs, then via Jacobs, Bathgate Way, Sweden Way, Bridgeport, Knight Street Bridge and Marine St. to terminus. During rush hours, a shuttle bus will connect with #421 trips at Bridgeport and Sweden Way, and take passengers into the industrial park on Viking Way.
 Full information will shortly be provided in a Rider Alert.

An optimist is a person who has turkey for Christmas and asks next day: "What's for lunch?"

COMING EVENTS

- Dec 20/21 - Magee's Annual Christmas Nights of Music, Magee Auditorium, 1975 West 49th. 8 p.m. \$3.
- Dec 21-23 - Christmas Silk Plant Sale hosted by the CNIB, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the CNIB Auditorium, 350 East 36th.

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Granville Island Service
 On December 25 and 26 and on January 1, Granville Island Market will be closed and the #51 bus will not operate.
 Vancouver Regional Transit Services - Bus, SkyTrain and SeaBus - will operate on a regular Sunday schedule, December 25 and 26, and January 1.
Regular Sunday service for Christmas, Boxing and New Year's days
 Take advantage of free New Year's Eve transit to get there and back safely, comfortably and without parking problems, by Bus/SeaBus/SkyTrain.

At 6:00 p.m. on New Year's Eve, the curtain goes up on downtown Vancouver and upwards of 75,000 people - moms, dads, uncles, aunts, teenagers, grandparents, friends, lovers and families will become the audience. Indoor and outdoor stages over a nine square block area will come alive with performances by hundreds of local artists. Musicians by the score will perform the classics, folk, jazz, and reggae. Dancers will strut their stuff in choreographic routines ranging from the ballet to the ethnic.
 At 11:00 p.m. everyone will gather in front of the Vancouver Art Gallery on Georgia Street to celebrate the birth of a great new decade.
 Buttons now on sale
 Buttons, which cost only \$5 and provide general admission to all indoor performances, are now on sale at:
 McDonald's Restaurants, The Real Canadian Superstore, Super Value Stores, VanCity Savings, BCVA, Pacific Centre, Metro Vancouver Volkswagen Dealers, The Vancouver Sun, Vancouver Art Gallery, and many credit unions.

A FIRST NIGHT to remember
 New Year's Eve celebration of the arts
 for just \$5



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Don't take the keys

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 New Year's Eve Transit Service Extensions

RIDE FREE
 New Year's Eve
 from 5:00 p.m.

Season's Greetings!

from all of us at BC Transit.
 We thank you for your patronage and hope you will continue to use our service

New Year's Eve Transit Service Extensions

In addition to regular evening and late night schedules, service will be extended and extra trips added to major routes throughout the Lower Mainland as listed below. For a complete list of all routes operating on New Year's Eve pick up a special pamphlet at public libraries, Travel InfoCentres or TicketMaster outlets.

- 3 Main/Downtown**
- 8 Fraser/Downtown**
- 20 Granville/Victoria**
- 22 Knight/Macdonald**

Regular 15-minute late night service from Granville & Robson will be extended until 1:10 a.m. Buses will then operate every 30 minutes until 3:40 a.m.

- 4 Powell/Blanca**
- 10 UBC/Hastings**
- 14 Hastings/Arbutus**
- 15 Cambie/Downtown**
- 16 29th Ave Stn/Downtown**
- 17 Oak/Downtown**
- 19 Metrotown Stn/Stanley Park**

Regular 20-minute late night service from Granville & Robson will be extended until 1:10 a.m. Buses will then operate every 30 minutes until 3:40 a.m.

3 Robson Shuttle

A shuttle service along Robson, from Granville & Robson, will operate every 20 minutes from 8:50 p.m. until 1:10 a.m., then every 30 minutes until 3:40 a.m.

8 Davie Shuttle

A shuttle service along Davie Street, from Granville & Robson, will operate every 20 minutes from 8:40 p.m. until 1:10 a.m., then every 30 minutes until 3:40 a.m.

22 Knight/Macdonald

Regular 15-minute late evening service from Burrard & Robson will be extended until 1:10 a.m. Buses will then operate every 30 minutes until 3:40 a.m.

Macdonald - Dunbar Owl Shuttle

With the extension of #7 and #22 services, the Owl Shuttle will not operate.

26 Joyce Stn/29th Ave Stn

Additional trips will leave Joyce Station at 12:51 and 1:21 a.m., and 29th /Avenue Station at 12:48 and 1:18 a.m.

27 Kootenay Loop/Joyce Stn

Additional trips will leave Joyce Station at 12:43 and 1:13 a.m., and Kootenay Loop at 12:33, 1:03 and 1:33 a.m.

29 29th Ave Stn/Elliott

An additional trip will leave 29th Avenue Station at 12:48 a.m.

SKYTRAIN

SkyTrain service will be extended

The last Westbound SkyTrain will leave Columbia Station at 2:43 a.m.

The last Eastbound SkyTrain will leave Waterfront Station (Downtown) at 3:15 a.m.

106 New Westminster Stn/Metrotown Stn

Buses leaving New Westminster Station at 12:50, 1:50 and 2:50 a.m. will be routed into Edmonds Station, which they will leave at 1:10, 2:10 and 3:10 a.m. for Metrotown Station.

Buses leaving Metrotown Station at 12:53, 1:53 and 2:53 a.m. will be routed into Edmonds Station, which they will leave at 1:05, 2:05 and 3:05 a.m. for New Westminster Station.

112 New Westminster Stn/Metrotown Stn

Buses leaving New Westminster Station at 1:25 and 2:25 a.m. will be routed into Edmonds Station, which they will leave at 1:38 and 2:38 a.m. for Metrotown Station.

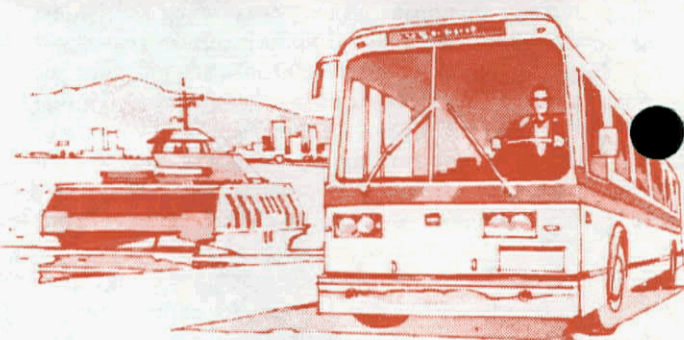
Buses leaving Metrotown Station at 1:25, 2:25 and 3:25 a.m. will be routed into Edmonds Station, which they will leave at 1:37, 2:37 and 3:37 a.m. for New Westminster Station.

120 New Westminster Stn/Vancouver

Additional trips will leave Burrard Station at 12:30, 1:00 and 1:30 a.m., and New Westminster Station at 11:35 p.m., 12:05 and 12:32 a.m.

130 Metrotown Stn/Kootenay Loop

Additional trips will leave Metrotown Station at 1:03 and 1:33 a.m. for Brentwood Mall.



147 Lougheed Mall/New Westminster Stn

With additional service, buses will leave Lougheed Mall for New Westminster Station every 15 minutes from 5:31 p.m. until 1:00 a.m., and then every 30 minutes until 3:20 a.m.

Buses will also leave New Westminster Station every 15 minutes from 5:38 p.m. until 1:20 a.m., and then every 30 minutes until 3:50 a.m.

151 Port Coquitlam Centre

Additional trips will leave Hornby & Helmcken at 1:17, 2:17 and 3:17 a.m.

152 Port Coquitlam Centre

Additional trips will leave Hornby & Helmcken at 12:47, 1:47 and 2:47 a.m.

160 Port Coquitlam Centre

Additional trips will leave Hornby & Nelson at 12:05, 1:05, 2:05 and 3:05 a.m.

RIDE FREE
New Year's Eve
from 5:00 p.m.

On December 31, the entire Vancouver Regional Transit System is yours to ride free, from 5:00 p.m. to the last bus, train or ferry.

Last year, over 100,000 people enjoyed this safe, free service to and from their New Year's Eve destinations. This year, plan your New Year's celebrations with a transit connection in mind.

210 Upper Lynn Valley

Additional trips will leave Burrard Station at 1:20 and 1:50 a.m.

228 Lynn Valley/Lonsdale Quay

Additional service has been scheduled between Grand Blvd & 15th and Lonsdale Quay. Buses will leave Grand Blvd & 15th St every 30 minutes from 5:47 until 11:30 p.m.. Buses will leave Lonsdale Quay every 30 minutes from 6:02 until 11:47 p.m. Then, from 12:02 until 2:32 a.m. buses will leave Lonsdale Quay for Lynn Valley Road & Dempsey every 30 minutes.

230 Upper Lonsdale/Lonsdale Quay

Additional service has been scheduled between Lonsdale & 23rd St and Lonsdale Quay. Buses will operate every 15 minutes from 6:00 p.m. until 12:07 a.m., then every 30 minutes until 2:07 a.m. From Lonsdale Quay, service to 21st St will be provided every 15 minutes until 2:17 a.m.

239 Lonsdale Quay/Park Royal

Additional trips from Park Royal to Lonsdale Quay will provide 15-minute evening service, from 5:38 until 11:58 p.m. Additional trips from Lonsdale Quay to Park Royal will provide 15-minute service from 6:02 until 11:17 p.m., then 30-minute service until 12:47 a.m.

Additional trips will leave Lonsdale Quay for Phibbs Exchange at 1:32 and 2:02 a.m., returning at 1:47 and 2:17 a.m.

240 Vancouver

Additional capacity will be provided on early evening trips leaving Marine & Benicke from 5:57 until 7:57 p.m.

312 Whalley Exc/22nd St.Stn.

Additional trips will leave 22nd Street Station at 12:22, 1:22 and 2:22 a.m., and Whalley Exchange at 12:17 and 1:17 a.m.

319 Scottsdale Mall/New Westminster Stn

Additional trips will leave New Westminster Station at 12:41, 1:20, 1:50, 2:20, 2:50, 3:20 and 3:50 a.m., and Scottsdale Mall at 1:20, 1:50, 2:20, 2:50 and 3:20 a.m.

320 Langley Centre

Additional trips will leave New Westminster Station at 11:55 p.m., 12:55, 1:20, 2:20 and 3:20 a.m.

321 White Rock Centre

Additional trips will leave New Westminster Station for Newton Exchange at 11:40 p.m., 12:40 and 3:50 a.m., and for White Rock at 12:10, 1:10, 1:50 and 2:50 a.m.

351 Crescent Beach

Additional trips will leave Burrard Station at 1:04, 2:04 and 3:04 a.m.

401 One Road

Additional trips will leave Burrard Station at 1:25, 2:25 and 3:25 a.m.

403 Three Road

Additional trips will leave Burrard Station at 1:45, 2:45 and 3:45 a.m.

406 Railway

Additional trips will leave Burrard Station at 2:05 and 3:05 a.m.

501 Langley South

Additional trips will leave New Westminster Station at 12:38 and 1:38 a.m.

501 South Delta

Additional trips will leave New Westminster Station at 1:41, 2:41 and 3:41 a.m.



242 Upper Lonsdale

Additional trips will leave Vancouver Bus Depot at 2:30, 3:00 and 3:30 a.m., and Lonsdale Quay at 3:02, 3:32 and 4:02 a.m.

246 Highland

Additional trips will leave Lonsdale Quay for Marine & Garden every 30 minutes from 12:32 until 2:32 a.m.

250 Dundarave - Horseshoe Bay

Additional trips will leave downtown Vancouver for Dundarave at 8:35, 9:35, 10:35, 11:25 p.m., 12:40, 1:40 and 2:10 a.m. Buses leaving at 12:10 and 1:10 a.m. will operate to Horseshoe Bay

SEABUS

SeaBus service will be extended and extra sailings will be added to provide more frequent service

From Waterfront Station (Downtown)

Every 30 minutes from 8:47 a.m. to 6:17 p.m.

Every 15 minutes from 6:17 p.m. to 2:17 a.m.

Every 30 minutes from 2:17 to 3:17 a.m.

From Lonsdale Quay (North Shore)

Every 30 minutes from 8:33 a.m. to 6:03 p.m.

Every 15 minutes from 6:03 p.m. to 2:03 a.m.

Every 30 minutes from 2:03 to 3:03 a.m.