

Three ways to Park & Ride at Scott Road Station

Pay for convenient parking

On February 1, a three-month paid parking pilot project begins to test the demand for reserved and non-reserved parking. You can pay to park in one of 100 stalls close to the station.

62 non-reserved stalls will be sold at a daily rate of \$2.00. 38 reserved stalls will be sold at \$60.00 per month. For further information or to reserve a stall, please call Alnoor Bhimji at Impark, 681-3233.

Form a Registered Car Pool and enjoy free priority parking

Registered car pool partners (at least 3 in the car) are assured of priority parking privileges in a designated area right next to the station. For information on how to register your pool, please phone 264-5294 or fax 264-5222

Park free in unreserved areas

With 2400 stalls, Scott Road has one of the largest transit Park & Ride lots in North America.

Discover the benefits of a FareCard

There's more to a FareCard than the convenience it offers during rush hours; you or any other member of your family (it's transferable) could use it for weekend and night time shopping, attending sporting events and getting home safely from parties...all at no extra charge.

FareCards are available at all branches of the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 7-Elevens, Safeways and many credit unions and convenience stores throughout the region.

Courtesy Seats

Some seats on buses, SkyTrain and SeaBus are designated "Courtesy Seats" for the use of seniors and disabled passengers.

This doesn't mean, of course, that others can't use these seats when they are not in use, just make sure that when needed they are made available to the people for whom they are intended.

ODDS & ENDS

Images and Objects is B.C.'s largest annual juried art exhibition with over 1500 artists and artisans entering 12 qualifying regional shows. 240 finalists will be selected for the visual arts component of the B.C. Festival of the Arts, Vernon, May 27-31. Finalists will also be eligible for room, board and travel subsidies and can participate in four days of professional development workshops. In Vancouver phone 683-4358, on North Shore phone 922-1110, in Burnaby/New Westminster phone 298-7322 • Vancouver Community College offers a new course for personal excellence and life enrichment, Feb 8, 15 & 22, 9:00-4:00. \$180. Phone Grace Hodgins at 874-9923 • Artwork by local artist Jollean Marsen is on display 'til March 18 at the District of North Vancouver Municipal Hall Lobby, 555 West Queens • Marpole-Oakridge Community Centre is offering a series of Friday evening programs for young women aged 11-15. Topics covered include fitness, makeup, acting, dance and self defence. Info: 327-8371 • Vagabond Players presents "Tribute" by Bernard Slade, Vagabond Playhouse, Queen's Park, New Westminster. Preview night, Feb 14, will be a benefit performance for the Variety Club. Gala opening Feb 15. Then Thurs-Sat, Feb 20-Mar 7. Tx: 521-0412 • Burnaby Art Gallery offers a panel discussion on the role of the gallery in contemporary society, Feb 6 at 7:30 pm. Adm by donation • SFU and the National Film Board present "The Irises" and the Genie award winning "The Colors of my Father: A portrait of Sam Borenstein" on Feb 6, and "Creative Process: Norman McLaren" and "Alchemists" on Feb 13. Harbour Centre campus, 7:45 pm. Adm free but seating is limited. Reservations: 291-5100 • The Vancouver Woman's Musical Club presents Marlene Sedlmaier, soprano and Ken Johnston, piano, Unitarian Church, 949 West 49th, Feb 12, 11 am. \$5 at door • Vancouver Public Library presents an author reading by Carol Shields, whose most recent novel is Republic of Love, Feb 6 at 7:30 pm, 750 Burrard • The New Westminster Library Art Gallery is showing the work of the ArtsWest Art Club - oils, watercolours, acrylics and mixed media - 'til Feb 23 • Cape Breton author Alistair McLeod will hold a writing workshop at the New Westminster Public Library, Feb 8, 10:30-12:30. Anyone wishing to submit a manuscript for discussion should take it to the Douglas College English Dept by Feb 5 • The People's Law School is a non-profit society that teaches British Columbians about the laws affecting their lives. Free classes on a wide range of subjects, from divorce to buying a new or used car, are available at locations throughout the Lower Mainland. For a schedule, drop in to the office at 150-900 Howe Street or phone 688-2565 • Marpole-Oakridge Community Centre is offering a class on Vegetarian East Indian Cooking, Feb 5, 6:30-9:30. Pre-register: 327-83771 • Kaleidoscope: Reflections of Science and Art, opens Feb 8 at Science World. The new exhibition features more than 20 interactive display stations, photomurals, walk-in units and a telediscope that turns the world into a kaleidoscope. Info: 687-7832 • Among the Business and Professional programs offered at SFU Harbour Centre this spring are 3-day workshops on maintaining and enhancing business relationships, and handling difficult negotiations. Info: 291-5100 • Pink Ink's 1992 season has opened with a newly translated, pre-glasnost, Russian play, Dear Elena Sergeevna, running Tues-Sun 'til Feb 23 at the Vancouver Little Theatre, 3102 Main. Special 2 for 1 Sat matinee at 2:30. Rsv: 876-4165 • Vancouver International Boat Show, Feb 5-9 at B.C. Place Stadium • Burnaby Writers' Society member Sue Nevill will read from her recently-published poetry collection, I Was Expecting Someone Taller, Feb 9, 1:30 at Neville Books, 7793 Royal Oak • 411 Seniors' Centre presents an Arthritis Self-Management Group which will meet Fridays, 10:00-12:00, for 6 weeks, beginning Feb 7. Cost: \$15. Info: 684-8171 or 879-7511 • Drop in free for hot chocolate and a taste of hot chili during Heritage Days at Historic Stewart Farmhouse, 13723 Crescent Road, Feb 19, 20 or 21 from 10:00-2:00 or Feb 16, 22 or 23 from 12:00-4:00 Info: 574-5744. Other events include a Heritage Days Dance for seniors, Sunrise Pavilion, Feb 17, 1:00-3:30. \$1, and a Heritage Site Mystery Bus Tour, Feb 19/22, 10:00-4:00. Cost \$21.50. 574-5744 • Slideshow on history of Burnaby by Burnaby Village Curator, Colin Stevens, Feb 5, 7:30 pm, Port Moody Station Museum, 2734 Murray St.

COMING EVENTS

Feb 1 - Second Hand Rose Sale, Edmonds Centre, 7282 Kingsway, Bby. 10:30-2:00
Next-to-new rummage, clothing, etc.

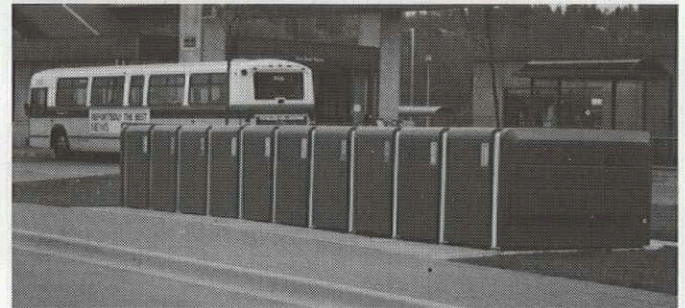
Feb 13 - Thrift Shop Sale, South Burnaby United, Rumble & Gray, 10:30-2:30

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The Buzzer



Bicycle lockers at Scott Road Station

Bike & Ride

As part of the ongoing integration of bicycles and transit, 20 lockers have been installed at Scott Road SkyTrain Station, 10 at Ladner Exchange and 10 at Sexsmith Loop. If the lockers prove to be popular between now and December 31, 1992, the project could become permanent and more widespread.

Between now and April 1, the lockers can be leased for \$5.00 per month. Beginning April 1, they will be available on a \$15.00 three-month lease. There is also a one-time, refundable \$20.00 deposit for the key.

For more information call the Bicycling Association of B.C., administrator of the program for BC Transit. Phone 737-3034.

Transit Information is easily available to help you use the integrated Bus, SeaBus, SkyTrain system

TIMETABLES

for buses, SkyTrain and SeaBus are available free of charge at public libraries, city and municipal halls, community centres, information centres, chambers of commerce and the BC Transit Lost Property Office at Stadium Station.

TRANSIT GUIDES

offer a map and listing of all Vancouver Regional Transit System routes in addition to fares, fare zones, prepaid fares, service frequencies, and a listing of many local area attractions. They're available at 7-Eleven, SkyTrain smokershops and most FareDealers for a small charge.

YELLOW PAGES

Check the community information pages at the front of the directory for a route map, a list of bus routes and destinations and information on fares.

INFOTUBES

offer detailed schedule information at individual bus stops. They can be found at bus loops, SkyTrain stations and outlying exchanges.

BY TELEPHONE 261-5100.

Aldergrove 856-7070. West Vancouver 985-7777

More than 25,000 calls are handled each week by BC Transit operators. Passengers are encouraged to use timetables for scheduled information, leaving operators free to assist people with route planning. For faster response, call mid-day or evening when operators are less busy.

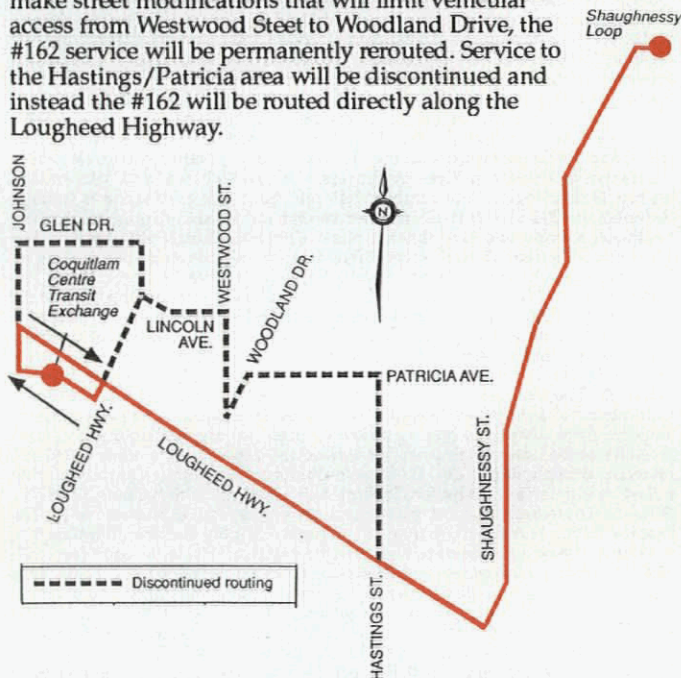
"The only way to keep your health is to eat what you don't want, drink what you don't like and do what you'd rather not." Mark Twain

Help stop theft from your car by closing the windows, locking the doors and putting valuables out of sight in the trunk.

Route revision, effective February 3

162 River Springs/Coquitlam Centre

As a result of the City of Port Coquitlam's decision to make street modifications that will limit vehicular access from Westwood Street to Woodland Drive, the #162 service will be permanently rerouted. Service to the Hastings/Patricia area will be discontinued and instead the #162 will be routed directly along the Lougheed Highway.



"It's too bad the only people who know how to run the country are busy driving cabs and cutting hair" George Burns

Volunteers

The New Westminster Police Department is looking for people willing to provide assistance through three volunteer branches:

Crime Watch provides community patrols in conjunction with regular police; the **Community Police Office** is open six days a week to handle routine matters which do not always require direct contact with a police officer; the **Victim Assistance Program** provides support, referral and information to victims of crime, and offers free home security checks to residents of New Westminster.

If you have some free time each month, are of good character, and at least 19 years old, please call 525-5411, local 266.

Billboard Art coming to Broadway and Nanaimo stations

From February 13 to March 11, three works in the Billboard Art Series can be seen at the Broadway SkyTrain Station and two at the Nanaimo Station.

Altogether, fifteen works will be displayed in rotation at eight Skytrain stations until June 24. They exhibit and promote both contemporary and traditional visual art that reflects the concerns, aspirations and traditions of culturally diverse artists.

The Series was coordinated by the Active Artifacts Cultural Association and is hosted by BC Transdtit with the support of the City of Vancouver.

155,000 rode free at New Year's

Between 5:00 pm, December 31 and 8:00 am, January 1 the Vancouver Regional Transit System's buses, SeaBuses and SkyTrain carried approximately 155,000 New Year's revellers.

Timetable Revisions

154 Lougheed Mall/22nd Street Station

145 Lougheed Mall/SFU

Because of late schedule changes, several trips on the #154 and #145 routes are no longer lift equipped as indicated in the timetables, dated December 16, 1991. Please call Transit Information, 261-5100, to confirm lift equipped trips.

Always ask for a receipt when buying a multi-zone bus fare

Even if you don't plan to transfer to another bus, SkyTrain or SeaBus, it's essential that you ask for a transfer (fare receipt) when paying cash or a FareSaver ticket for a multi-zone, rush hour fare.

When you remain on the same bus for the entire trip, the transfer (fare receipt) provides proof of payment when a fare check is conducted at a zone boundary. Without this proof of payment you can be asked to pay an additional amount.