

New weekend and holiday Lost Lagoon service, May 16 to September 13

56 Lost Lagoon Loop

On a trial basis BC Transit will provide service around Lost Lagoon on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays to improve access to the Park for customers in the West End and other locations.

From 9:00 am to 6:00 pm, **May 16 to June 28 and on September 13**, a bus will leave Stanley Park Loop every 30 minutes and travel via *Chilco, Georgia, Denman, Davie, Beach, Stanley Park Drive, North Lagoon Drive, Causeway, Georgia Street, Chilco* and back to Stanley Park Loop.

From July 1 to September 7 the service will be extended to terminate at Upper Zoo Loop. From the terminus buses will travel via *Pipeline Road, under Causeway, Causeway, Georgia, Chilco, Stanley Park Loop, Chilco, Georgia, Denman, Davie, Beach, Stanley Park Drive, North Lagoon Drive, under Causeway, Pipeline Road* and access roads to Upper Zoo Loop.



FOR INFORMATION ON HOW TO GET THERE BY TRANSIT

TIMETABLES are available free of charge at public libraries, city and municipal halls, community centres, and the BC Transit Lost Property Office at Stadium Station. **TRANSIT ROUTE MAP AND GUIDES** offer a map, a listing of all routes, and fare information. They're available at Safeways, 7-Elevens, SkyTrain station convenience shops and most FareDealers for a small charge. **THE YELLOW PAGES** show a route map, a list of bus routes and fare information. **INFORMATION BY TELEPHONE:** 521-0400. West Vancouver 985-7777, or call Talking Yellow Pages: 299-9000, #2233

COMING EVENTS

Early Music Vancouver presents *Les Nations*: works by Francois Couperin and other baroque composers, May 23 at 8 pm, Hodson Manor, 1254 West 7th Ave. Tx \$8/6 at the door. Info: 732-1610 ✓ The Wonderful World of Sumo: paintings in pastel and oil by Lynn Matsuoka, SFU at Harbour Centre 'til May 15 ✓ For women entrepreneurs: former news anchor Joanna Pirois offers a basic introduction to working with the news media, May 14, 4-6 pm, SFU at Harbour Centre. Fee \$75. Info: 291-5233 ✓ Silver Screenings, a new morning series featuring nostalgic classic films, begins May 13 at the Orpheum Theatre. Complimentary tea served 9 am, music played on the Wurlitzer organ. *The Student Prince* with Mario Lanza will begin at 10 am. Tx at T.M. ✓ Free travel slide shows on Syria and Jordan by Debbie Smith, May 6 at 2:30 and May 13 at 7:30. New Westminster Library, 716 6th Ave. Wheelchair accessible ✓ The Chor Leoni Man's Choir presents the world renowned *University of Michigan Men's Glee Club* in Concert, May 6, 8 pm, Metropolitan Tabernacle, 189 West 11th. Adm \$10 at the door. ✓ A Celebration of Women Composers presents *Quintessence*, a chamber concert featuring the piano quintet by Amy Beach, music by 17th and 18th Century composers and by Vancouver composer Jocelyn Morlock. May 8, 8 pm, Ryerson United, 45th & Yew. Tx \$15/10 at the door. ✓ Surrey Little Theatre presents the comedy *Eat Your Heart Out*, Thurs-Sat, May 7-30 and Festival Benefit Nights June 5 & 6, 8 pm. Tx \$10/8. 576-8451 ✓ Vancouver Opera season ends with *The Barber of Seville*, featuring Canadian coloratura soprano Tracy Dahl, May 2, 5, 7, 9 and 14 at 8 pm. May 11 at 7:30, Queen Elizabeth Theatre. Tx at TM outlets or phone 280-3311 ✓ *Children's Puppet Show*. The Kinsmen Rehabilitation Foundation brings a fabulous cast of characters, focusing on puppets that portray kids with disabilities, to the Central Library, May 15 at 10:30 am. All ages welcome ✓ *Fair in the Square*, a youth resource fair, in the Promenade at Central Library Square, May 9, noon-4 pm. Non-profit organizations run by or for youth can call 331-4041 to register for a table. ✓ Gala fundraising event for the South Granville Seniors, May 12, 13, 14, 7:30 pm at the Pacific Theatre, 1420 West 12th, will feature costumed lip-synch performances of musical celebrities. Tx \$10 at the Seniors Centre. ✓ Til May 25, Richmond Art Gallery presents a selection of artwork by Richmond students, Grades 1 to 12 ✓ Fraser Valley Gilbert & Sullivan Society presents *HMS Pinafore*, Wed-Sat, May 13 to 30 (matinees May 17 & 24) at the Surrey Arts Centre. Tx \$20/18. 501-5566.

May 2 - Garage Sale, St. Andrew's United, 10th & St. George's, N. Vancouver, 10-2. Info: 985-0408

May 2 - Thrift Sale, Knox United, 5600 Balaclava at 41st, 10-2.

May 2 - Vancouver African Violet Club Show & Sale, VanDusen Gds, Oak & 37th, 1-4. Adm \$2

May 2 - Tea/Bazaar, St. Johns, 1401 Comox, 1:30-3:30

May 9 - Vancouver College Mayfair

with entertainment, food fair, games, crafts, baking, flea mkt, raffles, etc, Cartier & 38th. 10-4

May 13 - Spring Tea, R.C.L. Br. 16 L.A., 727 East 49th, 1-3. \$3. Baking, raffles, bingo, etc

May 14 - Thrift Shop Sale, S. Burnaby United, Rumble & Gray, 10-2. Clothing, housewares, etc.

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COMING THIS SUMMER

358 Seaside



A new route connecting uptown White Rock with the beach

Scheduled to commence June 29

In response to a request from the White Rock community, BC Transit plans to introduce the #358 Seaside.

A new service to operate daily between Semiahmoo Mall and White Rock Beach, connecting the Mall, the waterfront and the Marine Drive business area.



Begins May 16 Weekend & holiday service to White Pine Beach

Saturday, Sunday and holiday service to White Pine Beach begins May 16 and will continue until September 7. The service will operate as an extension of some 148 IOCO trips.

Saturday trips will leave New Westminster Station at 9:51 and 11:51 am, 1:51, 3:50 and 5:21 pm.

Leave White Pine Beach at 11:00 am, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00 and 6:32 pm*.

Sunday and holiday trips will leave New Westminster Station at 9:35 and 11:35 am, 1:35, 3:35, and 5:35 pm. Leave White Pine Beach at 10:44 am, 12:44, 2:44, 4:44 and 6:44 pm.

Weekday service begins June 22

From June 22 to September 6 the #148 will also operate weekdays to and from White Pine Beach.

*6:32 trip operates to Ioco Road at Barnet Highway only.

Can our timetables be improved? You tell us!

We want to provide you with the information you need to help you use transit in the most comfortable, efficient way possible. We think our timetables do a pretty good job but if there's anything we can do to make them easier to read or understand, we're interested.

Please write to: *Timetables, BC Transit Marketing Dept, 13401- 108th Ave, Surrey, BC V3T 5T4* or fax 540-3455

CityFest '98, the Lower Mainland's free, annual, non-profit, performing arts festival, expects to showcase about 1,000 performers from 30 different Lower Mainland cultural groups, May 15, 16 & 17 at the King Edward Campus of Vancouver Community College, 1155 East Broadway. Info: 526-2804. CityFest '98 also hosts a marketplace of community displays, artisans, crafts and ethnic foods.

Wheelchair and Scooter passengers



SkyTrain and #640 bus service to Tsawwassen Ferry Terminal

Please remember that the #640 operates to and from only one SkyTrain station: Scott Road, and the elevator at Scott Road is on the east side of the station and isn't accessible to conventional buses.

Wheelchair passengers wishing to board the #640 should therefore detrain at Surrey Central Station, take the #330 to Scott Road Station and transfer to the #640. #640 passengers wishing to board SkyTrain can transfer to the #330 at Scott Road and board SkyTrain at Surrey Central Station.

Alternatively, passengers may phone Surrey handyDART at 591-8234 before starting their trip and request shuttle service between the west and east sides of Scott Road Station. Surrey handyDART office hours are 8 am to noon and 1 to 4 pm, Monday to Friday; 9 am to 5 pm, Saturday, Sunday and holidays.

Service to Horseshoe Bay



West Vancouver "Blue Buses" provide a #250 bus from downtown Vancouver (Homer & Georgia), via Marine Drive every 15 minutes during rush hours and every 30 minutes in non-peak hours. In addition, the #257 Express operates from downtown Vancouver, via the Upper Level Highway, every 30 minutes or better during rush hours and every two hours at other times, including weekends and holidays.

Reroute, effective May 4

#357 Crescent Beach/White Rock

In response to a decision made by the White Rock community, BC Transit will remove the portion of the #357 route along Johnston, Thrift and Best. BC Transit apologizes for any inconvenience to customers resulting from this change.

Recreation Facilities Management Program

This two-year program at Langara College focuses on courses relating to Design, Management and the Operation of Recreational Facilities. Graduates are employed in a wide variety of career settings. Recruitment for the September term is now underway. Information: Vince Kreiser at 323-5276 or visit them at their web site: www.langara.bc.ca/hprec

Sunday SkyTrain service adjusted for track maintenance

Dates currently scheduled are:

May 3 and 10

On these dates, trains will run every 12 to 15 minutes, instead of the usual 4 to 5, and may be held for a few minutes at stations near the work area. Please allow an extra 10 to 12 minutes for your trip. At some stations, trains will be operating in both directions from a single platform. Please watch the illuminated destination signs for information, listen closely to announcements and follow directions from our staff.

On May 3, service will be affected throughout the day. On May 10 to 5:00 pm.

Joy of motherhood. What a mother enjoys when all the kids are in bed.

Public Open House to discuss the possible rerouting of the #131 via Imperial Street

We would like your input on the proposal to reroute the #131 via Imperial, between Salisbury and Canada Way.

This would improve service coverage in the Imperial Street area and remove transit service from Walker, Stanley and Sperling Streets. We'll have an information display, comment sheets and other interesting material.

You are invited to discuss the proposed diversion with BC Transit staff. Representatives from the City of Burnaby also plan to attend.

OPEN HOUSE:

**Morley Elementary School
7355 Morley Street**

(between Imperial and Burris)

Wednesday, May 6, 6:30 to 9:00 pm