

Effective Friday, May 19 Detour of eastbound buses on the Lougheed Hwy at Willingdon

to allow construction of the Brentwood
SkyTrain Station

#99 B-Line buses will operate via the regular route to Lougheed, then via Rosser, Dawson and Beta, Lougheed and the regular route.

#131 Edmonds Station buses will operate via the regular route to Brentwood Exchange, then via Willingdon, Dawson and Beta, Lougheed and the regular route.

#150 Lougheed Mall (OWL services) will operate via the regular route to Brentwood Exchange, then via Willingdon, Dawson, and Beta, Lougheed and the regular route.

#151 and #152 buses will operate via the regular route to Brentwood Exchange, then via Willingdon, Dawson and Beta, Lougheed and the regular route.

Comments from customers on courtesies they would appreciate.

- Does everyone have to hover around SkyTrain doors, making it difficult to enter or exit?
- Do people have to reduce the space available by keeping their knapsacks on their backs, rather than placing them on the floor between their legs?
- I am obviously six months pregnant and travel with a young son, yet not one seated individual has offered their seat.

Artist to man looking over his shoulder: "Like it?"

Man: "No, I can't say it is."

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 TransLink 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, West Coast Express 683-RAIL, or call Talking Yellow Pages: 299-9000, #2233. **ON THE WEB:** www.translink.bc.ca

COMING EVENTS

As part of its 35th anniversary celebrations, Connaught Heights Community School presents *A Time to Remember - A Royal City Celebration*. It's a lively musical production set in the New Westminster of one hundred years ago. Massey Theatre, May 30, 31 and June 1 at 7:30 pm. And two special matinee performances for students and seniors May 31 and June 1 at 1 pm. Tx: 517-6345. ✓ The Playwrights Theatre Centre presents the 26th annual Vancouver New Play Festival which runs 'til May 14 at the Festival House Studio on Granville Island, 1398 Cartwright St. Tx for an entire evening \$12/\$10. For info and tickets call 685-6228 ✓ Ballet British Columbia pays tribute to Canada's ballet heroes, including Jean Orr, the incomparable Evelyn Hart and choreographers John Alleyne and Jean Grand-Maitre, May 25 to 27, 8 pm at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre ✓ Dancing Threads, an exhibition of original embroidery, mixed media collage, art dolls and miniature embellished quilts by textile artist Kirsten Chursinoff at historic Galbraith House, 131 8th Street, New Westminster. May 12, 6-9 pm. May 13 & 14, 10 am-6 pm ✓ The North Shore Chorus presents *A Bouquet of Favourites* - popular, classic, old, new, sacred - especially for Mother's Day. May 14, 2:30 pm, Mount Seymour United, 1200 Parkgate, North Vancouver. Tx \$10/\$8. 988-7648 ✓ Vagabond Players presents *Accommodations*. Wed-Sat, May 24-June 17, 8 pm at The Bernie Legge Theatre, 6th & McBride, New Westminster. Rsv: 521-0412 ✓ Metro Theatre presents Alan Ayckbourn's English comedy, *Living Together*, Wed-Sat, 'til June 10 at 8 pm. 2 for 1 preview on May 12. Tx 266-7191 ✓ *A Touch of Soul*, starring Sibel Thrasher, Lovie Ell, Candus Churchill & Marcus Mosely and Alexander Brown's Swing Band will appear at the Vogue Theatre on May 26 at 8 pm. Special appearance by Willie Taylor. The show will benefit A Loving Spoonful and Grace McCarthy's BC Child Foundation. Tx: 307-9197 ✓ *Miniature Train Rides*: the Model Engineers' mile-long railway in Burnaby runs weekends & holidays until Thanksgiving, 11 am to 5 pm, at 120 North Willingdon Ave, 5 blocks north of East Hastings. Birthday groups welcome. Rides \$2 each. Station phone 291-0922

May 12-15 - Kiwanis Club Week-end Plant Sale, 9 am-7 pm, 2151 Gordon Ave, West Vancouver. Hanging baskets, bedding plants.

May 13 - Mother's Day House & Garden Tour/Tea at Hycroft 1489 McRae Ave, near Granville & 16th. Tx \$10. Kids 5-12, \$5. Tea catered by The Secret Garden

May 14 - Mother's Day Strawberry Tea, Newton Seniors Centre, 13775-70th Ave, Surrey, 2-4 pm. \$6. Rsv: 501-5100

May 18 - Thrift Shop Sale, St. Stephen's, 9887 Cameron St, Bby 1-3 & 7-9 pm. Adult & children's clothing, toys, books, etc

May 25 - Thrift Shop Sale, South Burnaby United, Rumble & Gray, 10-2. Clothing, housewares, books

May 26/27 - Rummage Sale, St. Peter's C.W.L., Dontenwill Hall, 336 Agnes St, New West. 9 am to noon

May 27 - Spring Tea, Legion Br. #48, 3249 Kingsway, 12:30-3 pm \$3. Also Crafts, Baking and fun.

May 27 - Thrift Shop Yard Sale, St. Stephen's 9887 Cameron St, Bby. (Opposite Lougheed Mall) 10-2. Weather permitting, items will be displayed outdoors. The shop will also be open.

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When the
Lions Gate Bridge
is closed:

Additional
BUS & SEABUS
SERVICES

beginning
May 12

GrA!Pass

Monday, May 22 Victoria Day service

SkyTrain, SeaBus and Bus services will operate on Sunday schedules.

From King George Station, the first and last SkyTrains will leave at 7:08 am and 11:38 pm.

From Waterfront Station, the first and last SkyTrains will leave at 7:50 am and 12:15 am.

From Lonsdale Quay, the first and last SeaBuses will leave at 8:02 am and 11:02 pm.

From Vancouver, the first and last SeaBuses will leave at 8:16 am and 11:16 pm.



**Free and safe travel for
Grade 12 students**

The RoadSense Team and TV12 urge you to make your graduation celebrations safe as well as memorable. When used in conjunction with a valid GoCard (student I.D.) GradPass is good for free unlimited travel by Bus, SkyTrain and SeaBus on any two days, May 15 to June 30. Pick up a GradPass at the school principal's office and sign the back. Then just prior to boarding a transit vehicle for the first free ride on each of the two days you choose, scratch the month and date. GradPass is not transferable: only the person who signs it is eligible to use it.

Efficiency expert: a person smart enough to tell you how to run your business. but too smart to start his/her own.

Additional Bus and SeaBus services when the Lions Gate Bridge is closed

The Lions Gate Bridge will be closed periodically for reconstruction of the roadbed during the next several months, **beginning Friday, May 12.**

This will include several full and partial weekend closures and numerous weeknight closures. The following additional services and reroutes are designed to facilitate customer travel:

#230 Lonsdale

The 30-minute service on Lonsdale will be augmented. This more frequent #230 service, in addition to #229 service, will provide customers with 15-minute service between Lonsdale Quay and 23rd Street.

#239 Park Royal/Lonsdale

When the Lions Gate Bridge is closed on Saturdays, customers wishing to travel to downtown Vancouver from Park Royal may take the #239 to Lonsdale and connect with SeaBus, or when SeaBus is not running, connect with a **shuttle bus** to downtown Vancouver via the Second Narrows Bridge.

#240 15th Street/Park Royal

Westbound service will be rerouted to Park Royal Shopping Centre.

Shuttle buses will operate to Lonsdale Quay and SeaBus, or when SeaBus is not running, with shuttles operating to downtown Vancouver.

#240 Waterfront Station Shuttle

This additional service will operate when SeaBus is running, providing customers with timed local service along Georgia Street, between Chilco Loop and Waterfront Station, to and from SeaBus.

#242 Lonsdale Quay/Upper Lonsdale/ Park Royal

This additional service will provide **#242 OWL** (Late Night) service from Upper Lonsdale, via Lonsdale Quay to Park Royal Shopping Centre. It is scheduled to make timed connections at Lonsdale Quay with the **#242 Downtown Vancouver shuttle**, operating to downtown Vancouver via the Second Narrows Bridge.

Customers will be able to travel between North Vancouver and Downtown Vancouver when SeaBus is not operating.

#242 Vancouver/ Lonsdale Quay Shuttle

When SeaBus is not running, this shuttle will operate along Georgia Street, connecting Chilco Loop and Lonsdale Quay, via the Second Narrows Bridge. This will provide downtown Vancouver to North Shore travel.

#246 Lonsdale Quay/Highland/Park Royal

When the Lions Gate Bridge is closed on **Saturday**, all westbound #246 Park Royal buses that normally operate to downtown Vancouver during the daytime will go to Park Royal Shopping Centre instead.

From there, customers may transfer to **shuttle buses** to Lonsdale Quay and SeaBus, or when SeaBus is not operating, to **shuttle buses** running to downtown Vancouver via the Second Narrows Bridge.

SeaBus

During Lions Gate Bridge closures, SeaBus will operate as follows:

MONDAY TO FRIDAY

When 8 pm bridge closures occur, SeaBus will operate on a 30-minute frequency until the last sailings leave Lonsdale Quay at 12:32 am and Waterfront at 12:46 am.

SATURDAY

During bridge closures, SeaBus will operate with a 30-minute frequency from the first sailings (leaving Lonsdale Quay at 6:02 am and Waterfront at 6:16 am). Sailings will be every 15 minutes from 10:02 am until 6:02 pm, and every 30 minutes until the last sailings from Lonsdale Quay at 12:32 am, and Waterfront at 12:46 am.

SUNDAY

Service will be increased as follows during the midday period when the bridge is closed:

From every 30 minutes to every 15 minutes, 11:02 am until 6:32 pm from Lonsdale Quay, and 11:16 am until 6:46 pm from Waterfront.

All other sailings during the day will be every 30 minutes.