



THE ANNUAL SIKH PARADE RETURNS ON SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7th ALONG WITH THE FREE PARKING SHUTTLE

After a one-year pandemic hiatus, the annual Sikh Temple Gurdwara Parade is back on Sunday, November 7th and Yuba-Sutter Transit will again be operating a special off-site parking lot shuttle service. This service is being operated as an extension of our regular fixed route service, but the parade sponsor has pre-purchased round-trip tickets so the service will be available free of charge.

As many as 22 buses will be used to operate the shuttle service between River Valley High School at 801 El Margarita Road and the intersection of Hooper Road and True Road just west of the Temple. Buses will operate every few minutes in both directions throughout the day with the first bus leaving the high school at 8:00 a.m. and the last bus leaving from Hooper and True at 6:00 p.m.

At the high school, passengers will board in the visitor parking lot on Spirit Way mid-way between Harter Parkway and El Margarita Road just south of Colusa Highway. All-weather parking is available in both the west and east high school lots on Spirit Way. Overflow parking will also be available nearby on El Margarita Road southwest of the high school.

Ride the bus to the temple this year and avoid the worst of the parking and traffic hassles that are normal for this world-class event! Watch for changeable message signs on Highways 99 and 20 directing you to the parking and pick-up locations at the high school where attendants will be ready to assist.

Call (530) 742-2877 for more information.

DEBIT & CREDIT CARDS ACCEPTED

Debit and most major credit cards are accepted by Yuba-Sutter Transit for all financial transactions that occur at the counter in the Administrative Office. Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.



LOCAL & RURAL ROUTES FARE FREE ALL THANKSGIVING WEEK NOVEMBER 22ND – NOVEMBER 27TH

To show our thankfulness for our passengers, no fares will be charged on any of Yuba-Sutter Transit's local and rural routes during the week-long Thanksgiving holiday period from Monday, November 22nd through Saturday, November 27th. To replace the lost revenue, this holiday event will be funded through a state grant to promote transit ridership.

During this fare holiday, no special tickets or passes are needed as all local and rural route passengers will simply board the bus and ride fare free. All other passenger policies will still apply, and fares will continue to be collected on the Dial-A-Ride and Sacramento services.

For more information, email info@yuba-suttertransit.com or call (530) 634-6880.



NOVEMBER HOLIDAY SERVICE & OFFICE SCHEDULE

November is a busy holiday month so please take note of the following service and office schedule.

- Yuba-Sutter Transit will be closed, and no service will be operated on Thanksgiving Day, **Thursday, November 25th**.
- Sacramento routes will not be operated on **Thursday, November 11th** in observance of Veteran's Day or on the day after Thanksgiving, **Friday, November 26th**, but all other services will operate as scheduled on those days.
- The Yuba-Sutter Transit Administrative Office will be closed on **November 11th, 25th and 26th**.

Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.

ANNUAL LOCAL UNMET TRANSIT NEEDS HEARING TO BE HELD ON-LINE TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9TH

A series of public hearings are held each year by the Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG) to determine if there are unmet transit needs that are reasonable to meet in the region. SACOG is the regional transportation planning agency for Sacramento, Sutter, Yuba, and Yolo Counties. The input that is received from these hearings is used to make decisions regarding the allocation of funding for public transportation purposes in each local jurisdiction.

This year's hearing for all of Yuba and Sutter Counties will be held at 2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, November 9th. Due to the continuing COVID-19 pandemic, this hearing will again be held on-line whether by internet, telephone, or both. For this purpose, please use the following link, telephone number, and meeting ID.

To join by computer or smart phone: www.zoom.us or the Zoom app

To join by telephone: Call (888) 475-4499 or (877) 853-5275 (toll-free)

Meeting ID: 885-6540-2891

You do not have to attend the hearing to comment, but written or verbal comments must be submitted by November 22, 2021, to be considered. All comments received will be recorded and evaluated to determine if there are any unmet transit needs in Yuba or Sutter Counties that are reasonable to meet for the fiscal year that will begin July 1, 2022.

Comments can be sent by mail to SACOG, 1415 L Street, Suite 300, Sacramento, California 95814; by phone/text to (916) 340-6275; by TDD to (916) 321-9550; by FAX to (916) 321-9551; by e-mail to transitneeds@sacog.org; or, through an on-line comment form at www.sacog.org/unmet.

SACRAMENTO AIRPORT BUS SERVICE IS BETTER THAN EVER

A common question we get when making a community presentation is, "Does Yuba-Sutter Transit serve the Sacramento airport?" While we do not serve the airport, you can get there on a public transit bus – actually, two transit buses – and this option was greatly expanded recently just in time for the holiday travel season.

Scheduled bus service is now available every half hour from early morning to late night seven days a week between downtown Sacramento and the Sacramento International Airport (SMF) on Route 142 operated by the Sacramento Regional Transit District (SacRT). Combining Route 142 with Yuba-Sutter Transit's weekday-only schedules between Marysville/Yuba City and downtown Sacramento results in a low-cost alternative to long-term parking; using an on-demand service; or hassling friends and family for a ride.

This airport service option is now available in the Trip Planner on our website at www.yubasuttertransit.com/trip-planning-tool where you can also find our current Sacramento schedules. Route 142 schedule and stop information is available at www.sacrt.com/apps/express-airport-bus-service. Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.



SENIOR RESOURCE FAIR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH

The Annual Senior Resource Fair will be held from 9:00 a.m. to Noon on Thursday, November 4th in the Yuba City Senior Center at 777 Ainsley Avenue in Yuba City. This free event will feature over 50 vendors representing housing, nutrition, legal services, financial services, health care and transportation for seniors along with flu shots, document shredding and much more. We'll see you there!

Call the Senior Center at (530) 822-4608 for more information on this and the many other activities and programs that are being offered throughout the year.



CONNECT CARD SALES OUTLETS

Connect Cards can be loaded on-line or at any of the following local sales outlets or on the Connect Card website. Check with each location for current business hours as they may change without notice. **The Sutter County Library remains closed to the public for a remodel.**

- **Yuba County Library – Marysville – (530) 749-7380**
Tuesday – Friday, 12:00 – 6:00 pm, but call for appointment
[Cash, Credit or Debit – Fee Applied for Credit/Debit]
- **Yuba College Bookstore – Linda – (530) 741-6998**
Weekdays, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm, but call for holiday hours
[Cash, Check, Credit or Debit]
- **Yuba-Sutter Transit Administrative Office – Marysville**
[Cash, Check, Credit or Debit]
- **Connect Card Website – www.ConnectTransitCard.com**
[Credit or Debit / Auto-Load]

New full fare Connect Cards are available from any sales outlet, but new and replacement discount photo ID Connect Cards are only available during normal weekday business hours at the Yuba-Sutter Transit office in Marysville. Cards can hold up to \$360 in cash value and/or passes for up to three months. Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.

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