



NEW FARES & FARE POLICIES TO BECOME EFFECTIVE ON MONDAY, JULY 1ST

Recently adopted systemwide fare increases and fare policy changes will become effective on Monday, July 1, 2019. All of the changes described below are also included in the new Ride Guide and individual service brochures that are now posted at www.yubasuttertransit.com. New service brochures can also be requested from your driver.

For the first time since 1993, the basic cash fare on the local fixed route service will increase from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per trip and the discount cash fare for eligible seniors, youth and persons with disabilities will increase from \$0.50 to \$0.75 per trip. To reduce the impact of these increases on our cash fare passengers, the daily cap rate, which is available only with a Connect Card, will remain the same at \$3.00 and \$1.50 respectively so you can ride fare free for the rest of the day after just two taps. Cash fare passengers on our local fixed route service could also benefit from moving to a monthly pass since there will be no change in the cost of our basic or discount monthly passes.

The cost of a monthly Sacramento Commuter pass will increase from \$128 to \$135 while the basic cash fare will increase from \$4.00 to \$4.50 per trip. The discount cash fare, which is only available on the Sacramento Midday schedules will increase from \$2.00 to \$2.25 per trip. If you receive your Sacramento monthly pass through the Connect Card auto-load feature, please note that you will need to reset your account for the new price after your June purchase or the auto-load feature will not otherwise load your July pass.

Dial-A-Ride fares will increase from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per trip for all eligible passengers. The basic fare for the weekday evening Dial-A-Ride service will increase from \$3.00 to \$4.00 per trip and the discount fare will increase from \$1.50 to \$2.00 per trip. Monthly passes are not accepted and the daily cap does not apply to the Dial-A-Ride service.

The basic cash fare on all three rural routes will increase from \$2.00 to \$3.00 per trip and the discount cash fare will increase from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per trip. To reduce the impact of these increases, basic local fixed route monthly passes will now be accepted on any rural route along with all discount monthly passes, but the daily cap will still not apply to our rural routes.

With no increase in the local monthly pass or daily cap rates and the ability to use all local monthly passes (basic and discount) on rural routes, most passengers will either see no fare increase or be able to significantly mitigate any increase by changing their fare media from cash to pass or from currency to cash value on a Connect Card. In addition, even with these changes, our cash fares will still be among the lowest in the region while all of our monthly pass rates will continue to be the region's best value by far.

Call (530) 634-6880 or email info@yubasuttertransit.com for more information.



SUMMER STROLL TO CLOSE PLUMAS STREET ON JUNE 15TH

The annual Summer Stroll Festival will be held from 2:00 to 9:00 p.m. on Saturday, June 15th in downtown Yuba City! Plumas Street from Colusa Avenue to Bridge Street will be closed at 10:00 a.m. to set up for this free community event.

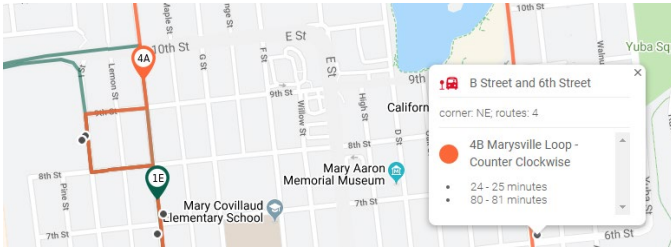
Due to the early closure, Yuba-Sutter Transit's service will be re-routed from Plumas Street all day on June 15th. Route 1 buses will operate on Olive Street between Colusa Avenue and Forbes Street and Route 2 will operate on Shasta Street between Colusa Avenue and Bridge Street. The Plumas Street bus stops at Church Street and Bridge Street will not be in service during this time nor will the Route 1 bus stops at Forbes and Almond.

For more transit detour information including alternate stop locations, please call our Dispatch Office at (530) 742-2877. For more information regarding the 2019 Summer Stroll, visit www.yubacitydowntown.com.



NEW BUS TRACKER MOBILE APP AVAILABLE FOR TESTING

We are pleased to announce that our new real-time Bus Tracker mobile app is now available for beta testing and we are inviting public input to help us fine-tune this exciting service. The app allows you to see when your bus will arrive at your stop to take the worry out of your wait. To get started, just download the free **DoubleMap** application to your smart phone or tablet and select “Yuba-Sutter Transit” as your system.



From the menu bar at the top left of your screen, you can select any route or just monitor the entire system. Then zoom in on the route map and click on any bus stop for the estimated arrival time of the next bus on any of your selected routes that serve that stop. From this same “Arrival” screen, you can set that stop as a “Favorite” for future reference or set up custom “Alerts” to be notified when your bus is approaching that stop. Desktop and laptop users can also access the system by copying or typing “yubasuttertransit.doublemap.com” into their browser though some of the mobile features will not be available.

To work out the bugs, we need early user feedback as problems are encountered. Comments or suggestions should be emailed with as many details as possible (date, time, route, location, etc.) to info@yubasuttertransit.com. For more information, visit our website where you will find more user tips, call (530) 634-6880 or email info@yubasuttertransit.com.

SACRAMENTO SERVICE & FARE CHANGES EFFECTIVE MONDAY, JULY 1ST

Brochures are now available for the July 1st Sacramento schedule and fare changes featuring new morning and afternoon Highway 70 schedules and one less afternoon Highway 99 schedule along with the first fare increase since 2010 (see related article). In addition, most schedules will experience minor adjustments to reflect current travel times between Marysville/Yuba City and Sacramento as well as within the downtown area. Also, the changes will result in express service and an earlier afternoon departure to and from the Caltrans District 3 office in Marysville.

Ask your driver for a copy of the new brochure or download it from our website at www.yubasuttertransit.com. For more information regarding these changes, contact us by phone at (530) 534-6880 or by email at info@yubasuttertransit.com.

NEW RIDE GUIDE & SERVICE BROCHURES NOW AVAILABLE

Yuba-Sutter Transit’s service information materials have been revised to incorporate the systemwide fare changes and Sacramento schedule changes that will all become effective on Monday, July 1st (see related articles). The new Ride Guide and all individual service brochures are now available from your driver by request, on the Yuba-Sutter Transit website or from the Yuba-Sutter Transit office. All new bus stop information materials will be in place by July 1st.

Contact Janet Frye (janet@yubasuttertransit.com) at (530) 634-6880 to request a copy of the new Ride Guide or a service brochure by mail.



CONNECT CARD OUTLETS

Connect Cards can be loaded at the following local sales outlets and on the Connect Card website. Cards can hold up to \$360 in cash value and/or passes for up to three months. Check with each location for current business hours as they may change without notice.

- **Bel Air Market – Yuba City – (530) 755-3991**
[Cash, Check, Credit or Debit]
- **Sutter County Library – Yuba City – (530) 822-7137**
[Cash or Check Only]
- **Yuba County Library – Marysville – (530) 749-7380**
[Cash, Credit or Debit – Fee Applied for Credit/Debit]
- **Yuba College Bookstore – Linda – (530) 741-6998**
[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. Call (530) 634-6880 for more information.

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