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Ride-and-Glide to the Downtown Ice Rink



Ride light rail (Blue Line, Gold Line or Green Line) to the 7th & Capitol, 8th & K or 9th & K light rail stations or take Route 11, 15, 30, 38, 51, 62, 86 or 88 into the heart of downtown for some holiday magic at the Downtown Sacramento Ice Rink. Located at St. Rose of Lima Park (7th and K streets), the open air rink is the perfect place to celebrate the holidays and create lasting memories with family, friends and loved ones from Friday, November 4 through Monday, January 16.

There are several RT special events planned for the Downtown Ice Rink:

- Sunday, November 6 – 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.
Princess Day: Skaters will be greeted by princesses, and are encouraged to glide their way around the rink in their favorite fairy tale costume.
- Friday, January 6 – 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
80s Day: The rink will be decorated in true 80s fashion and a DJ will play classic 80s tunes all evening long.

Show your valid RT ticket or pass, and receive \$2 off admission all season long. For more information about the ice rink, visit godowntownsac.com/events. For route and schedule information, visit sacrt.com or call 916-321-BUSS (2877).

RT Launched Station Link Program

Getting to light rail just got easier! RT will provide up to \$5 off Uber, Lyft or Yellow Cab when you ride to or from one of RT's six participating light rail stations:

- Roseville Road
- Florin
- Franklin
- Watt/Manlove
- Sunrise
- Power Inn

How does it work?

1. Download the Uber, Lyft or Curb (Yellow Cab) app from the App Store (Apple) or Google Play (Android)
2. Book a trip to (or from) one of the light rail stations on the list above
3. Use promotional code "SACRT" to save up to \$5

This offer is valid for 10 rides per customer, per ride-hailing service. This offer ends March 31, 2017, or after the first 10,000 redemptions. Funding for this promotion has been provided by a grant from the Sacramento Metropolitan Air Quality Management District with assistance from the Sacramento Area Council of Governments.

Download RT's New Mobile Reporting App – Alert SacRT



The new Alert SacRT mobile reporting app for iOS and Android devices is now available for download. Alert SacRT will offer riders a quick and discreet method for reporting safety and security concerns directly to RT Police Services (RTPS) using a smartphone or tablet. App users can send photos, six second video, text descriptions, and locations of suspicious people or activities. From the home screen, users have two easy options for contacting RTPS:

- The “Report an Issue” button allows users to send text or photos directly to RTPS
- The “Call RT Police” button will connect customers directly to RTPS

The app is designed for robust operation even under conditions of poor signal strength. If you send a report from an area without cellular/Wi-Fi connectivity, it will be stored and sent when connectivity returns. The system is also designed to send text descriptions before photos so that RTPS can get information as quickly as possible.

Help keep RT safe, “See It - Hear It - Report It” by downloading the free Alert SacRT mobile reporting app from the App Store (iOS) or Google Play (Android).

Cosumnes River College Pedestrian Bridge is Now Open

RT celebrated the highly anticipated opening of the pedestrian bridge at Cosumnes River College (CRC) on October 31, 2016. The pedestrian bridge connects the campus parking garage, located adjacent to the CRC east entrance off of Bruceville Road, and the light rail station platform. The CRC pedestrian bridge is the final piece of construction of the Blue Line to CRC light rail extension.

The bridge, which is 322 feet in length and 10 to 12 feet wide, boasts exposed brick and concrete to match the aesthetics of other buildings at CRC. The \$1.9 million project was a joint venture by numerous engineers, architects and construction managers.

New Event Round-Trip Pass

With a surge in ridership and a noticeably improved system, RT is continually looking for new ways to make taking transit easier and more efficient. For those riders traveling to Golden 1 Center for events and Kings games, RT just announced a new Event Round-Trip Pass. Riders can purchase a round-trip fare prior to an event with a single transaction, which will eliminate the need to stand in line at a fare vending machine after the event.

The round-trip pass is \$5.50 per person, the same price as two single fare tickets. It can only be purchased at light rail stations on the day of a Golden 1 Center event at a Parkeon fare vending machine. Passengers must have a Golden 1 Center event ticket in conjunction with the round-trip fare to be valid.

Ride Free on the RT Holiday Bus

As a thank you to riders and wishes for a happy holiday season, RT invites you to take a free ride on RT's Holiday Bus. Designed and created in-house, the colorful 40-foot Holiday Bus will be easy to spot as it travels on different routes throughout the Sacramento region spreading cheer from Thursday, December 1, 2016 through Monday, January 2, 2017.

In keeping with the "season of giving," passengers will have the opportunity to deposit a cash donation in the farebox (cash or check accepted). All donations will benefit Shriners Hospitals for Children – Northern California.

View the schedule to find out when the Holiday Bus will be traveling to a neighborhood near you!

2016 Holiday Bus Schedule

<u>Date</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Route</u>
Dec. 1	Thu 1	
Dec. 2	Fri	2
Dec. 3	Sat	21, 93
Dec. 4	Sun 8	8
Dec. 5	Mon	5
Dec. 6	Tue	6, 56
Dec. 7	Wed	13, 88
Dec. 8	Thu 1	5
Dec. 9	Fri	19
Dec. 10	Sat 8	4
Dec. 11	Sun	38, 86, 87
Dec. 12 M	on 2	1
Dec. 13 T	ue 2	2
Dec. 14 W	ed 2	3
Dec. 15	Thu 2	4
Dec. 16	Fri 2	5



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Dec. 17	Sat 8	2
Dec. 18	Sun 8	1
Dec. 19	Mon 2	6
Dec. 20	Tue	28
Dec. 21	Wed	30
Dec. 22	Thu 3	4
Dec. 23	Fri 3	8
Dec. 24	Sat 8	0
Dec. 25	Sun	72, 75
Dec. 26	Mon	67, 68
Dec. 27	Tue	54
Dec. 28	Wed	61
Dec. 29	Thu 6	5
Dec. 30	Fri 7	4
Dec. 31	Sat 1	1, 62
Jan. 1	Sun	55, 56
Jan. 2	Mon 5	1



Rider Alert

Sunday/Holiday Schedule

On Thursday, November 24, 2016, RT will operate on a Sunday/holiday schedule in observance of Thanksgiving Day.

Major Bus Detours

On Thursday, November 24, the 23rd annual Run to Feed the Hungry Race will cause road closures from 6 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. During the closure, Routes 30, 67, 68, 82 and 87 will detour. On Sunday, December 4, the 34th annual California International Marathon (CIM) will cause prolonged road closures between the city of Folsom and downtown Sacramento from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. During the closure, Routes 15, 21, 23, 26, 30, 38, 51, 67, 68, 80, 82, 86, 87 and 88 will detour.

For details, click on the “Bus and Light Rail Service Alert” link at sacrt.com or call 916-321-BUSS (2877). Light rail service will not be affected.

RT Holds “Station Activations”

Many new riders are experiencing the benefits of transit and are realizing it’s an easy and convenient way to attend events at Golden 1 Center. As an added incentive, RT in coordination with Unseen Heroes are hosting station activations (pre-parties) at key light rail stations to get riders energized before arena events. Stop by one of the events listed below to shoot some hoops, jam out to music or grab a bite to eat while you wait for the train.

November Station Activations:

- Saturday, November 5 – Franklin Station (3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.)
- Sunday, November 6 – Franklin Station (12:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.)
- Wednesday, November 9 – Franklin Station (4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.)
- Thursday, November 10 – Sunrise Station (4 p.m. to 6 p.m.)
- Monday, November 21 – Watt/Manlove Station (2 p.m. to 4 p.m.)

For details, visit gosacrt.com and scroll down to the “Service Calendar” section.

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