



Club Rideshare

February 2024 Newsletter



Ride Free on Transit Equity Day

Transit Equity Day is Sunday, Feb. 4. Set on Rosa Parks' birthday, it's a day that promotes making transit affordable and accessible to people in all communities.

Metrolink will honor Transit Equity Day by offering free rides on trains throughout Southern California. Just arrive at the station and board the train (no ticket is required).

Rides are also free on OC Bus, as well as Metro Bus, Rail and Bike Share, and all San Bernardino County transit providers.

In Ventura County, transit providers will celebrate Transit Equity Day the following day, Feb. 5, with free rides.

Join Metrolink for a Lunar New Year Celebration

...and Ride Free to the Golden Dragon Parade in Los Angeles

Metrolink will ring in the Lunar New Year with a celebration at

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Save the Date for the Next Lunch and Learn Workshop

The next Lunch and Learn is March 20, 12 Noon to 1 p.m. Tune in to learn more about how you can save money and make riding OC Bus more convenient by signing up for a Perk Pass from Orange County Transportation Authority.



Lunch and Learn virtual workshops are offered every other month by the Rideshare Office to help you find out ways to improve your commute.

You don't need to pre-register to attend the Lunch and Learn.

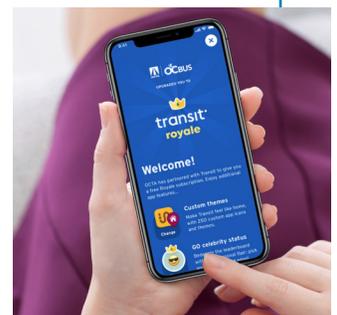
Just [click on this link](#) at the start of the workshop to participate.

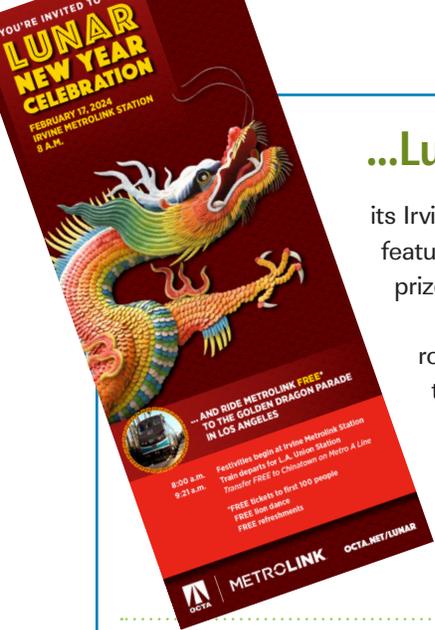
If you have questions, or to sign up for an email reminder, contact the Rideshare Office at 714.834.7600.

Get Transit Royale for Free

OC Bus riders can download the premium version of the Transit app, **Transit Royale**, for free. This upgraded app lets you plan and track trips and view arrival and departure times.

New features include access to any transit line, unlimited transit schedules, and customization themes and icons.





...Lunar New Year... (from page 1)

its Irvine Station on Feb. 17 at 8 a.m. The event will feature free refreshments, a traditional lion dance, prizes and more.

The first 100 people to arrive will get free roundtrip tickets to board a Metrolink train to attend the Golden Dragon Parade in Los Angeles.

Metrolink trains travel to Union Station, where riders can transfer free to Chinatown on the Metro A Line. Get details at octa.net.

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Discover the Best in Dining Near OC Metrolink Stations



Looking for a restaurant within walking distance of a Metrolink station? The Orange County Register recently compiled a list of the best in dining

located near Orange County Metrolink stations—from bakeries to bistros to fine dining and more.

[Click here](#) to see the full list with descriptions.

Congratulations Club Rideshare Winners

We'd like to extend a big "congrats" and thanks for ridesharing to the January winners of the Club Rideshare monthly prize drawing of \$25:

- Joel Aguirre, JWA
- Mirtha Bejarano, HCA
- Jocelyn Gaspar, HCA



Have You Moved?

If your home address, work/home phone number or email has changed, please let the Rideshare Office know by sending an email to rideshare@ocgov.com.



Be sure to complete the annual renewal of your Club Rideshare membership soon. When you do, you'll get a \$15 bonus in your paycheck—plus you'll continue to qualify for \$25 prize drawings throughout the year.

To be in Club Rideshare, you must have carpooled, vanpooled, rode bus/rail, biked or walked to work 20 or more times over the past 90 days. Driving an electric vehicle and the days you telework also count toward your rideshare totals.

Contact the Rideshare Office if you have any questions. You can now [use this link to complete a renewal application directly online](#) or [download a PDF](#) that you can print out, fill in and submit to the Rideshare Office.

Metrolink Shares the Love with Customer Appreciation Day

Metrolink is planning to show its train riders how much they are appreciated by sharing a little Valentine's Day love on its annual Customer Appreciation Day, Feb. 14.

Metrolink representatives will greet riders during the morning hours with candy, giveaways and more during pop-up events at select stations on each of its seven lines.

Find out more at metrolinktrains.com.



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