



Club Rideshare

October 2024 Newsletter



Ride Free on California Clean Air Day

California Clean Air Day is Oct. 2. The event encourages people to make little changes to help reduce air pollution—including choosing an alternative to driving alone.

To celebrate, OC Bus and Metrolink will be offering free rides all day long. Rides will also be free on Metro Bus and Rail and all San Bernardino County and Ventura County transit agencies for the day.

Visit cleanairday.org to find out more and take the Clean Air Pledge.

Reminder: Turn in the Mandatory Transportation Survey

If you haven't yet done so, be sure to turn in the annual transportation survey as soon as possible. The County is required to conduct this survey annually to meet Southern California clean air regulations.

It is mandatory for all employees to submit the survey.

The survey collects information on how you commuted the week of Aug. 12-16. You need to submit a survey whether you commute daily, work a hybrid schedule or telework.

It was sent to you via email or you can [download it here](#).

Improved Metrolink Service Starts Oct. 21

Metrolink will launch major service changes on Oct. 21.

They'll be adding 32 weekday trains—a nearly 23% increase in service.

The new schedule will also streamline connections between lines, making it easier for riders to navigate Metrolink's six-county service area.

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Commute Happy, Win Prizes

Rideshare or telework at least one day during Rideshare Week, Oct. 7-11, and you could win great prizes. Here's what's happening:

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Commute Happy... (from page 1)

In Orange County...

Commute by carpooling, vanpooling, riding transit, biking, walking or telecommuting at least one day during the week for a chance to win a Happy Commuter Kit from Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA).

Valued at more than \$350, it includes a set of AirPods Pro, battery charger, water bottle, Kindle and a backpack.

To enter to win, visit octa.net/rideshareweek.



Improved Metrolink...

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With a more than 300% increase in the number of connections planned, most customers will experience wait periods of just 10 to 20 minutes when transferring.

Find out more at metrolinktrains.com.

“Lunch and Learn” How to Save on OC Bus Fares

The next Lunch and Learn is Oct. 23, 12 to 1 p.m. Tune in to learn how signing up for the Perk Pass can make riding OC Bus easier and more affordable.

Lunch and Learn virtual workshops are offered every other month by the Rideshare Office. 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.



Congratulations Club Rideshare Winners

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

- David Harris, OCSD
- Martha Arteaga, Clerk-Recorder
- Amanda Cuervo, OCCR



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.



Live in Riverside/San Bernardino Counties...?

Log your rideshare trips and telework activity throughout the month of October on IECommuter.org to earn chances to win any of dozens of prizes, including an iPad mini, Apple Watch or a stay at the Soboba Casino Resort.

The more you rideshare, the more chances you have to win.



Your RideGuide Is Coming Soon!

If you checked “yes” to receive a RideGuide when you filled out the annual transportation survey, you should be receiving it soon via email.

The RideGuide gives you potential carpool/vanpool partners, transit routes, Park & Ride lots and more based on where you live and work and your work schedule.

If you didn't ask for a RideGuide but would like one, contact the Rideshare Office.



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