

RIDER NEWS

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Park and Dash During Legislative Session



Take the free Dash shuttle through the heart of downtown Olympia from the Capitol Campus to the Farmers Market!

During Legislative Session, Jan. 8 - Mar. 8, 2018, the free Dash shuttle operates every 12 minutes between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. and every 15 minutes from 7 - 9 a.m. and 5 - 6 p.m.

There are three paid parking lots near the Farmers Market and metered parking along the Dash route. Visit intercitytransit.com/bus/routes/dash-101 for parking information.



Buy Bus Passes at Timberland Regional Library Branches

Intercity Transit bus passes can be purchased at any Thurston County Timberland Regional Library (TRL) branch.

The partnership between Intercity Transit and TRL will give you more options to purchase passes at locations convenient to you and at no additional cost!



New Year's Resolution: Drive Less!

Why not make a New Year's resolution to drive less? Travel by bus, carpool, vanpool, bicycle, or walk!

For more information about travel options, visit intercitytransit.com or call Customer Service at 360-786-1881.



Three's Enough: Start a Vanpool in January

Start the new year with less stress and more savings! We will help you start a vanpool with just three riders this month. Riders pay a monthly fare and we provide the van, gas and vehicle maintenance.

Vanpool riders report less stressful commutes and significant savings in gas and vehicle wear and tear. The program even offers free emergency rides home.

What are you waiting for? Start a vanpool today! For more information call 1-866-330-7033 or visit intercitytransit.com/vanpool.



Learn How to Ride the Bus with Travel Training



Our Travel Training program provides free, one-on-one or small-group training for anyone who wants to learn to use our bus system.

You'll learn practical skills for riding the bus safely and confidently at your own pace.

After your session, you'll be able to plan a trip, understand bus

schedules, pay fares, and transfer to other buses with ease.

For more information about the program visit intercitytransit.com/how-to-ride/travel-training. To book a Travel Training session call 360-705-5879 or email traveltraining@intercitytransit.com.

Earn-A-Bike Serves 74 in 2017



Earn-A-Bike is an after-school program that teaches middle school students basic bicycle maintenance and skills to safely ride in their neighborhood. After students graduate from

Earn-A-Bike they earn a refurbished bicycle along with a helmet, lock, bike map, and more.

In 2017, 74 students graduated from Earn-A-Bike after receiving eight hours of bicycle and maintenance instruction.

Earn-A-Bike relies on bike shop volunteers to help refurbish donated bicycles. In 2017 the volunteers put in an impressive 1,306 hours at our bike shop and built 93 bicycles to be used during Earn-A-Bike classes.

The bike shop is located in D.G. Parrott & Son Machinist Shop in downtown Olympia and is open Wednesdays from 1 - 5 p.m. and Saturdays from 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Come learn how to repair bikes for the program - no experience necessary!

Earn-A-Bike is always accepting bicycle donations and looking for volunteers to help repair bicycles. For more information about Walk N Roll or Earn-A-Bike visit intercitytransit.com/youth.

Earn-A-Bike is one of many activities the Walk N Roll Program supports in an effort to educate the next generation of safe and healthy bike riders, walkers and bus riders.

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