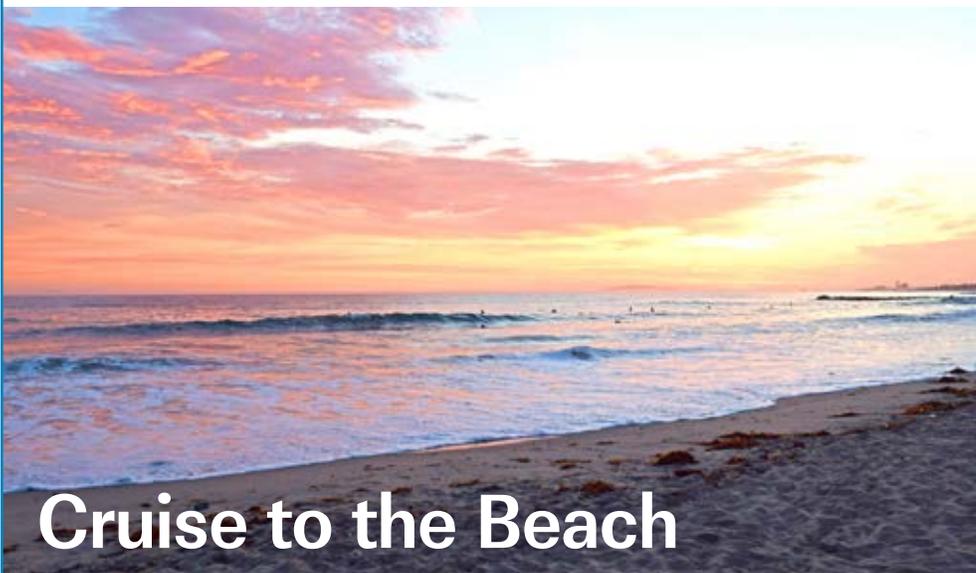




Club Rideshare

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Cruise to the Beach

Beach bound this summer? Avoid driving and parking hassles by leaving the car at home and riding transit instead.

On Metrolink...

The San Clemente Pier and Oceanside Metrolink stations are a short walk from the ocean. You can even bring your surfboard on the train, stowing it in a special carrier on designated bike/board train cars.

Free Shuttles and Trolleys...

Get closer to the sand by hopping on a [free summer shuttle or trolley](#). They're available in Dana Point, Huntington Beach, Laguna Beach, Newport Beach, San Clemente and San Juan Capistrano. Many shuttles connect to each other and to transit and Metrolink stops.

Metrolink 4th of July Discount

Metrolink's holiday discount lets you declare your independence from traffic and ride all day for just \$10 on July 4. Metrolink will operate on a Sunday schedule on the Antelope Valley, San Bernardino, Orange County, 91/Perris Valley and IE-OC lines. The \$10 holiday ticket can be bought on the [Metrolink Mobile App](#) or at ticket vending machines found under "special ticket options."



"My Commute"

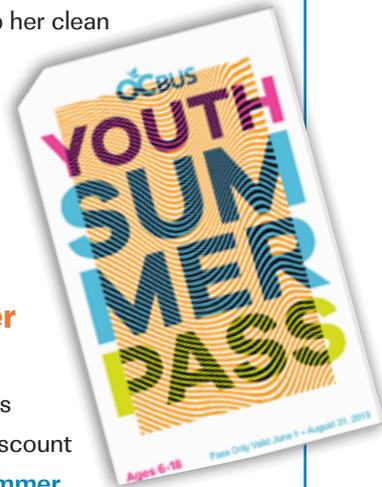
Because she drives a fully electric vehicle, **Laura Knapp** is able to ride in the carpool lanes on I-5 from where she lives in San Clemente to her job with the County Counsel's Office in Santa Ana. "I got an electric vehicle because I wanted to have access to the carpool lane, and I liked the idea of having a zero-carbon footprint," she says. "And I don't pay for gas!"



An added perk: There's a charging station at work, making it even more convenient for her to keep up her clean commute.

Youth Summer Pass

OC Bus offers a discount **Youth Summer Pass** for riders ages 6-18. It's \$20 for 30 days of consecutive riding—half off the usual fare—valid through Aug. 31.



Stay Connected

Get the latest on how to get around Orange County—whether you're interested in bus updates, freeway construction alerts, rideshare news, the OC Streetcar progress as well as many other programs and promotions.

Visit [OCTA](#) to sign up for email or text notifications, or get links to join them on social

media (including links to specific projects that affect your commute, such as the 405 Improvement Project or bike lanes).

If you ride the train, join Metrolink on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#) to find out about special deals, service changes, and more. You can also sign up to receive the [Metrolink Matters](#) blog via email.

Ride the OC Fair Express & Save

Ride the OC Fair Express bus to the Orange County Fair in Costa Mesa for just \$2 each way, plus get a coupon for a bargain \$4 general fair admission (a \$10 savings). It runs Saturday and Sunday during the fair, beginning July 13.

If you're connecting to the OC Fair Express from Metrolink, you'll catch it at the Anaheim Canyon, Santa Ana, Irvine or Anaheim-ARTIC stations. Ride free when you show your valid Metrolink ticket.

For details, visit [ocfairexpress.com](#).



New Fares, New Look on RTA

As of July 1, the fare on Riverside Transit Agency (RTA) buses will increase slightly—including on [CommuterLink Express routes](#) with premium service to Orange County. The CommuterLink general pass is now \$3.50 (from \$3), the day pass is \$10 (from \$7) and 30-day pass \$95 (from \$75).

As always, Metrolink riders with valid train tickets ride free.

Along with the new fares comes a new pass that's the size of a credit card with a magnetic strip on the back for quick and easy boarding.

All of RTA's express buses come with free Wi-Fi, plush seats, overhead reading lights, luggage and bike racks, and USB charging ports.



Congratulations Club Rideshare Winners

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

- Erick Castellanos, Public Defender
- Laura Knapp, COCO
- Anabel Guzman, OCCR



Parking Fees Change

As of July 7, parking fees at the San Juan Capistrano Station's Franciscan Plaza Parking Structure will increase (as part of a pilot project through Sept. 2). Spaces designated for Metrolink commuters will remain \$2 for the day, but only if arriving between 7-10 a.m. on weekdays. From 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. the rate is \$2 per hour with a 3-hour maximum and no overnight parking.

Amtrak parking and other existing parking will also be affected by these price increases.

Alerts on App

Get updates delivered to your mobile device on closures and other construction activity on I-405 as it undergoes improvements between SR-73 and I-605. The I-405 Improvement Project mobile app is available free in the [App Store](#) or on [Google Play](#).



Have You Moved?

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



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