## Newsletter

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### **El Dorado County Fair Free Parking Shuttle**

El Dorado Transit will provide free shuttle service for the 2024 El Dorado County Fair from Thursday, June 13, 2024 through Sunday, June 16, 2024. Shuttle buses will operate from 11:30am to 12:30am on Thursday and Friday; 9:30am to 12:30am on Saturday and from 11:30am to 10:30pm on Sunday. Shuttles will be available from the following parking locations:

- El Dorado County Library (on Ray Lawyer Drive)
- Ray Lawyer Drive Park and Ride

The Fair shuttle is funded by a grant from the El Dorado County Air Quality Management District with support from the El Dorado County Fair Association.

#### **Shuttle Hours**



No animals except service animals allowed on the shuttle



Ride all local buses June & July for only \$5!

#### **Student Summer GO Pass**

This Summer students in grades K-12 can get unlimited rides on all El Dorado Transit's Local Fixed routes for just \$5.00. The pass is valid from June 1, 2024 through July 31, 2024.

The Local routes provide service to the following locations that can be enjoyed all summer long:

- Library
- Movie Theaters
- Parks and Pools
- **Recreational Centers**
- Restaurants

The Summer GO Pass can be purchased and loaded onto a Connect Card online or at a Connect Card sales outlet. Connect Cards can be obtained from the El Dorado Transit. Office.

For more information regarding the Summer GO Pass visit www.eldoradotransit.com/news or call El Dorado Transit at (530) 642-5383.

## Turnboo Gets Behind the Wheel as Chairperson

At the February 1, 2024 Board of Directors Meeting for the El Dorado County Transit Authority, George Turnboo, El Dorado County Board of Supervisors, District 2, was appointed Chairperson for the 2024 calendar year. David Yarbrough, City of Placerville Councilmember, was appointed Vice Chairperson. Turnboo replaces Jackie Neau, current Mayor of Placerville, who received a recognition plaque for her honorable 2023 term.

Turnboo has been on the El Dorado County Transit Authority Board since 2021. Yarbrough has been on the board since 2023.



# Holiday Schedule April-June Holiday Schedule

Monday, May 27th ...... Memorial Day Wednesday, June 19th ...... Juneteenth

The Sacramento/South Lake Tahoe Connecting bus will be the only service operating on listed holidays. For more information visit www.eldoradotransit.com.



## School Celebrates Bus Wrap Contest Winner

It was a normal Friday at Valley View Charter Montessori, until the big blue bus drove in and interrupted sixth period. On both sides of the bus was Nevaeh Smith's winning "Design a Bus Wrap Contest" artwork. Her parents and her school had managed to keep her winning effort a secret until this moment. With her fellow students, teachers and family in attendance, Nevaeh couldn't believe it. And after some slight encouragement and chants of "Nevaeh! Nevaeh!," she posed for pictures and talked softly about how she created her winning entry.

Nevaeh is 13 years old and is an 8th grade student at Valley View Charter Montessori School in El Dorado Hills. Look for her winning artwork on an El Dorado Transit bus today!

"This is a project that we've been working on for a long time," said Brian James, Executive Director of El Dorado Transit. "We thought this would be a fun project where we could work with the El Dorado County Office of Education and local students."

The Design a Bus Wrap Contest was open to junior high school and high school students in El Dorado County.

"We are excited to have Nevaeh's winning artwork on one of our local buses," said Erik Bergren, Planning and Marketing Manager for El Dorado Transit. "Our buses typically travel 45,000 miles annually while transporting local riders, so Nevaeh's design will be seen all over El Dorado County."