

THE BUS STOPS HERE



Safety Newsletter

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SUFFOLK TRANSPORTATION SERVICE, INC

SUFFOLK BUS CORP.



LOVE THE BUS MONTH is celebrated every February to honor the significant role that school buses and drivers play in the education system. This month-long celebration is dedicated to showing appreciation for the iconic yellow school bus and the individuals who ensure students get to and from school safely. During Love the Bus Month, on our social media sites, we will be showcasing our drivers, DAs and staff loving the bus. Love the Bus Month is a wonderful opportunity to highlight the importance of school buses in providing safe, reliable, and environmentally friendly transportation for millions of students across the country.

SUMMER 2025 WORK: Summer is right around the corner, and we are starting to plan for staffing our summer routes. All van drivers and DAs hired from January 1, 2019, to the present are required to attend and participate in the summer pick. Attendance is crucial to ensure you do not forfeit your summer unemployment benefits by denying work or not attending the summer pick. Please keep this in mind when planning for the sunny days ahead.

SHOUT OUT to Sayville large bus driver Nidia Milanés! Jean from Sayville UFSD received a call from a parent whose daughter rides bus D to/from Cherry Avenue Elementary School. Recently at the drop off on Atlantic Avenue, the parent and her daughter were walking away from the bus and another young lady was walking in front of them. This young lady decided to dart out in front of the bus. Nidia had been watching very carefully and was able to stop the bus. This parent wanted Sayville District to be aware of this, and how much she, as a parent, appreciates how vigilant Nidia is while driving Sayville students. Way to go Nidia!

DAYFORCE LUNCH & LEARN: Join us for an informative Lunch & Learn session where we'll explore the features and benefits of the Dayforce mobile app. These sessions will cover how the app can help you manage your work life more efficiently, whether you're an employee or a manager.

1. Tuesday, February 11 @ 1780 Smithtown Ave., Classroom from 10am to 12pm
2. Tuesday, February 11 @ 50 Saxon Classroom from 10am to 12pm
3. Wednesday, February 12 @ Coram Classroom from 10am to 12pm

Due to limited space, we require an RSVP which includes which location you will attend. RSVP with location to lunch-and-learn@suffolkbus.com

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CDL PERMIT CLASS: Our CDL Permit Class is an excellent chance for our DAs, their families, and friends to learn more about our fantastic company. The next class will be held on Saturday, 2/22, from 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM at the Safety and Training facility located at 1780 Smithtown Ave, Ronkonkoma. This class is free and open to everyone. Don't forget, we offer a \$1000 bounty for every driver referral who gets hired and drives for at least 6 months!

"Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is progress. Working together is success."

