



"A Customer First Company" February 2012

Welcome to the February 2012 Edition of "On the Move"

Check out **CommuterBenefitsWorkForUs.Com**

CommuterBenefitsWorkForUs.Com is a coalition made up of public agencies, transit operators and private businesses, pressuring congress to pass legislation that would reverse cuts to the monthly pre-tax transit benefit available to commuters who use public transportation and vanpools.



Along with their other efforts the coalition is urging commuters to take part in their cause by contacting their Congressman and asking for their support of the Commuter Transit Benefit. According to their website, "We need your support now to urge Congress to take immediate action to pass legislation to restore parity between the transit and parking portions of the commuter benefit." If you would like to support their efforts visit:
<http://www.commuterbenefitsworkforus.com/>.
On their website you will find a link to connect you to your congressman along with a form letter that can be sent.

Source: <http://www.prnewswire.com>,
www.commuterbenefitsworkforus.com

February Motorist Complaints on the Rise – A Red Light for January/February Complaints

During the past month we have received an unusual amount of motorist complaints. Below is a list of those complaints.

January 24th – A motorist emailed complaining they witnessed Van 11 traveling at dangerous speeds on 95 South.

January 25th – A motorist called complaining that Van 18 was traveling at high speeds while weaving in and out of traffic along 95 South. This event was witnessed around exit 126.

February 15th – A woman called complaining Van 25 cut her off twice on Fort Belvoir.

February 16th – A man called claiming Van 11 ran through a stop sign on Catlin Ave. turning right onto Russell Road. Also, the motorist complained that the driver cut him off while he was transitioning to the speed limit.

February 16th – We received a call that Van 7 was switching lanes and cutting off other motorist.

All complaints have been forwarded on to their respective vans. We publish these complaints as a reminder to all drivers that safety is our number one concern. As you travel to and from work each day please keep in mind that the safety of your van's passengers and the safety of everyone on the road could be compromised by your aggressive driving. One of the callers voiced his strong concern because he felt the actions of our driver put his pregnant wife in danger. On another note we do appreciate all of our drivers that make safety a priority. If you feel that a driver on your van is practicing unsafe driving habits please bring your concerns to that person and your coordinator.



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Mark Your Calendars for 2012 Earth Day Events in the Richmond Metro Area.

Earth day is April 22, 2012. With only one month away area businesses and programs have not slacked in preparing activities for the local community. Earth Day events are an educational way to teach the community to protect and appreciate the Earth. Along with the educational component of these activities, participants can expect to take part in family-friendly activities, fun demonstrations, local foods, live music, and much more. Check out the following list of activities with more to come in the upcoming weeks:



also feature hands-on activities and educational displays.

Chesterfield County Environmental Fair
Saturday, April 21, 10 am - 5 pm
John Tyler Community College
Come enjoy a fun, hands-on educational event with more than 100 free educational sessions and hands-on activities, shop for wares at more than 75 art and craft vendors, and get your hands dirty as you celebrate Earth Day

Fort Lee Earth and Safety Day
Thursday, April 26, 2012, 9 am - 3 pm

CVWMA Electronics Collections
April 7 through April 28, 2012
Collection events hosted by Hanover County, Henrico County, Powhatan County and the City of Richmond. To find a location near you visit http://www.cvwma.com/recycling_programs/electronics.wbp

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http://www.cvwma.com/education_and_outreach/earth_day.wbp

K&K Connection February Birthdays

"Richmond Earth Day Festival – This annual festival is an all day celebration providing resources and information to help Richmond's community incorporate eco-friendly practices, products and services in their homes and everyday routines. Join the fun, riverside, at the James River Fish Fest or kick back and enjoy live music performances from local bands. Richmond – April 21.

Three Lakes Park Earth Day Celebration
Saturday, April 21, 2012, 1 - 4:00 pm
Three Lakes Park
For all ages. FREE. Celebrate Earth Day with VA DCR; CVWMA; County of Henrico Energy Management Plan, and Keep Henrico Beautiful. Enjoy live entertainment by OmniOtagO. Activities and entertainment will include educational booths and display, Henrico County Bookmobile, arts and crafts, litter pick-up, face painting, and more. The Wildlife Center of VA will be on-site with live animals and will educate you on animal rescue. Three Lakes Nature Center will

We would like to wish everyone born in February a special HAPPY BIRTHDAY! If we missed your birthday please let us know by emailing owilliams@ridek2k.com. Thank you!

Welcome To K&K Connections

We would like to say a BIG welcome to all of our new riders for the month of February. We are so very happy you have decided to join us!

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