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Safety Newsletter

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BACKPACK PROGRAM: Suffolk Transportation and the Make It Count Foundation joined together again this year to prepare backpacks with school supplies for students in need throughout Suffolk County. Laura Dandrea, STS, & John Reese, Make It Count Foundation, led the charge with the assistance of students from the Bay Shore and Middle Country School District to compile 500 backpacks filled with school supplies. We are proud to help those in our community that are in need of school supplies.



FALL TRANSIT PICKS: The fall Transit picks will begin on 8/16 and run all week. The pick times and seniority will be posted on My Parking Space.



CONGRATULATIONS: We at Suffolk Transportation would like to congratulate our newest SBDI candidates: Angelica Umana-Lopez, Road Supervisor; Robert Weber, LB/Trainer; AnnaMarie Ferraro, LB/Trainer; Bernadette Cinque, Van Driver/Trainer; Yronelly Antoine, LB/Trainer; Garfield Brown, ADA/Trainer; Carleen Lawrence, LB/Trainer.

We appreciate the commitment these folks put forth to become School Bus Driver Instructors (SBDI) as they were required to attend 40 hours of classroom training and submit a final evaluation of a 2-hour filmed presentation before being certified by the (NYSED) New York State Education Department to teach school bus drivers in New York State. We are proud of their hard work and dedication.

REFRESHER CLASSES: A reminder that there is still availability in the August refresher classes. Please email Linda Licata llicata@suffolkbus.com or call her at 631-665-3245 ext. 4163 if you need help registering for a class. Remember: you must attend a refresher to pick a route in August. Masks must be worn to refresher classes:

August 10	10:30 AM	Saxon, 1849 Pond Rd, Coram
	5:30 PM	Saxon, 1849 Pond Rd, Coram
August 11	10:30 AM	Saxon, 1849 Pond Rd, Coram

JULY SAFETY WINNERS: Maritza Quintanilla, large bus; Bruce Haynes, van; Mirta Rodriguez, DA; Tamara Tyre, ADA; Eugene Allen, Shop; Linda Murphy, management. Congratulations!



This Friday's Facebook spotlight is Mike Duffy, van driver for Commack School District out of 1849 Pond Rd.

“Work joyfully and peacefully knowing that right thoughts and right efforts will inevitably bring about right results”.