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*Safety Newsletter*

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SUFFOLK TRANSPORTATION SERVICE, INC

SUFFOLK BUS CORP.

**LUNCH & LEARN:** Join the Health and Welfare Council of Long Island (HWCLI) for an informational Health Insurance session about the services they offer that can greatly benefit you and your family. The event will take place on January 12, 2022 at the Saxon, Pond Rd and Coram classrooms and will be held from 10:00-11:00 AM. They are certified by New York State to assist Long Island residents in enrolling in health insurance. During this session, they will discuss all health insurance programs/health plans available through New York State of health, eligibility requirements, and provide an overview of the enrollment process. A question and answer session will follow. Please register for the program at [benefits@suffolkbus.com](mailto:benefits@suffolkbus.com).

**JANUARY REFRESHER SCHEDULE:** The following is the schedule for January refreshers. Classes will be held at all locations - Saxon, 1849 Pond Rd and Coram classrooms. Registration is open to sign up for a class on My Parking Space. Click on "MY CLASSES", click on "UPCOMING" and choose the class of your choice. **Please make sure you choose the CORRECT LOCATION - Saxon, Pond or Coram.** Note: these refreshers are 2.50 hours and classes are filling up quickly.

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| January 13, 2022 | Thursday                            | 10:00 AM-12:30 PM and 5:30 PM-8:00 PM |
| January 14, 2022 | Friday                              | 10:00 AM-12:30 PM                     |
| January 17, 2022 | Monday (Martin Luther King Holiday) | 7:00 AM-9:30 AM and 11:00 AM-1:30 PM  |
| January 18, 2022 | Tuesday                             | 10:00 AM-12:30 PM                     |
| January 19, 2022 | Wednesday                           | 10:00 AM-12:30 PM and 5:30 PM-8:00 PM |
| January 20, 2022 | Thursday                            | 10:00 AM-12:30 PM and 5:30 PM-8:00 PM |
| January 21, 2022 | Friday                              | 10:00 AM-12:30 PM                     |

**HOLIDAY TESTING:** Employees are encouraged to continue to test the week that school is closed. We have arranged the schedule so you and your family members can have peace of mind as we gather for the holiday. Family is invited to test at Harold Court and 1849 Pond Rd ONLY. Since Friday, 12/24, and Friday, 12/31, are holidays and we will be closed, testing has been moved to Monday, 12/27, for Harold Court.

**Monday, 12/27/21** Brentwood 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
**Not Rapid** 10 Harold Court, Bay Shore, NY 11706

**Tuesday, 12/28/21** Bay Shore Hiring Center 9:30 AM - 5:30 PM  
**Rapid Test** 2309 Union Blvd., Bay Shore, NY 11706

**Wednesday, 12/29/21** 1849 Pond Rd. Trailer 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM  
**Not Rapid** Ronkonkoma, NY 11779

**Thursday, 12/30/21** Coram Hiring Center 9:30 AM - 5:30 PM  
**Rapid Test** 2152 Route 112, Coram, NY 11727

**OSHA MANDATORY COVID-19 VACCINATIONS/TESTING UPDATE:** On December 17, 2021, the 6<sup>th</sup> Circuit Court of Appeals allowed OSHA's Vaccination and Testing Emergency to move forward. OSHA requires private employers with 100 or more employees to be vaccinated or tested weekly. This means all SBC employees, which includes Para-transit drivers, line drivers and Shop employees must show proof of vaccination, if you have not already done so, or test weekly. Weekly updates and Newsletters will provide weekly on-site testing schedules.



**FACEBOOK:** This week's spotlight is Margaret Clark, large bus driver for West Islip out of Harold Ct

**"SEASONS GREETINGS TO ALL!"**