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>>> GOTRIANGLE NEWSLETTER <<<

WAKE COUNTY TDM

By Amber Warren, GoTriangle



TOP NEWS OF THE MONTH



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GoTriangle and Habitat for Humanity recently hosted a Transportation Fair, Saturday Jun 1st at the Habitat ReStore in Apex. GoTriangle and Habitat were accompanied by a few vendors:: Black Girls Do Bike, GoApex, Your Bike Shop FV and Fiesta Cristiana United Methodist Church.

GOTRIANGLE RETURNS TO FARE

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TRANSPORTATION FAIR @ HABITAT

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GoTriangle provided information about the sustainable transit programs and services, while others provided Bike tune ups, bike safety, helmet checks and health resources. GoTriangle was also able to provide a bus for the participants to walk on and learn a few bus riding tips. Lastly there was a scavenger hunt that allowed attendees, upon completion, to enter a drawing to win a Visa gift card.





GoTriangle operator, Arlo Smith, provided quick lessons on boarding and departing the bus, as well as some bus etiquette.





GOTRIANGLE IS RETURNING TO FARE COLLECTION EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2024



AFTER SUSPENDING FARES DURING THE COVID19 PANDEMIC, GOTRIANGLE WILL RESUME
COLLECTION OF FARES ON JULY 1, 2024, WITH
NEW OPTIONS FOR PASSENGERS THAT
INCLUDE DIGITAL TICKETING AND A TRANSIT
ASSISTANCE PASS FOR INCOME QUALIFIED
RIDERS TO RIDE FARE-FREE. YOUTH (AGES 1318) AND SENIORS (AGES 65 AND OLDER) WILL
STILL RIDE FREE (AS THEY DID PRE-PANDEMIC)
AFTER THEY ENROLL IN ONE OF THE GOPASS
PROGRAMS THAT ALLOWS THEM TO USE THE
UMO DIGITAL TICKETING PLATFORM.

GOTRIANGLE.ORG/RETURNTOFARE

HAVE YOU ENTER THE CODE FOR FREE RIDES FOR ALL OF JULY?!





With the Umo app, you can plan your trips, track your bus, and pay all in one place. Our new account-based mobile ticketing offers many benefits, like fare capping and using benefit codes to get discounted fares. we are offering riders free rides during the month of July who download and register an account with the Umo app. Once registered, please enter the benefit code:

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THE REGIONAL TRANSIT CENETR CAN HELP



Stop by the Regional Transit Center to get your physical GoPass Umo card and setup an account. Using the physical GoPass Umo card offers all the same benefits as using the mobile app.

NO SMARTPHONE, NO PROBLEM!



FIND MATCHES

Find a carpool partner who's right for you in three easy steps:

- 1. Join our online ridematching service Sign up today!

 When you register, you get a FREE list of matches of people who live and work near you with similar work hours and they're interested in carpooling, just like you.
- 2. Contact your matches to find your preferred carpool partners.
- 3. Give it a try!

GET REWARDED!

Get rewarded for your Go! With GoPerks, your smart commute by bus, bike, walk, carpool, or van can get you some cool stuff. It's pretty simple. Go smart, track your trip, get rewarded.



EMERGENCY RIDE HOME

You have a ride home if an emergency ever strikes.

It's the highest priority for the Emergency Ride Home (ERH) program to get our smart commuters home in case of an emergency. Many organizations are encouraging teleworking, but there's a significant number of transit riders, carpoolers, vanpoolers and active commuters who need to commute to work daily. For those commuters, should they have an emergency like sudden personal or family illness, ERH provides a trip home from work. Our taxi provider is taking precautions including disinfecting vehicles after each trip.



LET'S CONNECT

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>>> EVENTS

Be sure to visit

https://gotriangle.org/wa
ke-county
to keep up
with local events
happening in Wake
County!

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>>> WANT TO OFFER STS TO YOUR EMPLOYEES?

How employees get to their jobs in the rapidly growing Triangle often affects recruitment, retention and morale at a company. GoTriangle's Sustainable Travel Services department helps employers across the Triangle set up and support alternative commuting options for their workers. Because GoTriangle's TDM department is funded with grants, all of its consulting and planning services are free.