

## LATE NIGHT TRIPS RIDES AGAIN

Get on the bus Gus  
Make a new plan Fran  
And set yourself free...

Free from having to drive out to the Fair and purchase a hard to get parking sticker. Free from having to set up a camp and pack in a ton of supplies. Free to stay after the sweep and then be driven back to Eugene on a comfortable bus and sleep in your own bed.

Last year's Late Night Trips (LNT) after-hours bus service for Fair Family was a success. All Late Night Trippers thoroughly enjoyed the fun rides back to town and their flashy bus pass laminates. Below is some initial information about Late Night Trips for 2018.

1. OCF Management wants to continue Late Night Trips in 2018 and expand the service. So even if your name isn't Gus or Fran, please consider incorporating Late Night Trips into your 2018 Country Fair plans. The buses are very comfortable, free bottled water is served and great CD's help make the trips back to Valley River Center enjoyable.
2. If you think that you would like to be a Late Night Tripper, please send an email to this address, [ocflatetrips@gmail.com](mailto:ocflatetrips@gmail.com), and get on the list for Late Night Trips registration. This year, bus pass laminates will be picked up at the Check In Booth when you go to get your wristbands.
3. On Friday, Saturday and Sunday Late Night Trippers will use the workers or LTD buses starting in the mornings from VRC to get out to the Fair. On those three evenings there will be at least two buses after the sweep: one each night around 10:00 and another later in the evening. We will finalize the schedule by April 1<sup>st</sup>. All the updated information will be in the 2018 LNT Registration Form and in the April and May *FFN*. We also plan to contact all Crew Coordinators, send out announcements in Crafts and Food packets and through Elders pass requests.
4. We are expanding the weekend schedule to also include Thursday, July 12th. We plan to offer buses from and to Valley River Center on Thursday so Fair Family, who have registered for Late Night Trips, can ride the bus out to the Fair, get their wristbands, spend the day at the Fair site and then take one of two buses going back to VRC in the evening. Anyone who has already picked up their bus pass laminate will be able to ride out to the Fair on Thursday and those who are riding the bus to pick up their wristband and Late Night Trips bus pass will be on a list.
5. Please spread the word to your family, crew or booth members. Give them the email address to get on the registration list. We plan to keep the cost of an adult bus pass at \$25.00. To encourage families to use the after-hours buses, children 10 and under can ride free and a pass for youngsters 11-17 will only cost \$10. Like last year, anyone under 18 will have to be accompanied on any LNT bus with an adult who is a signatory on his/her registration form.
6. Late Night Trips is also looking for a couple of fun and responsible folks, who like to stay up late and want to earn a wristband, to join the Late Night Trips team. If you are interested, please send your contact information and some convincing sentences on why you would be perfect for the job.

Thanks again to the Fair Family who made last year's experiment so successful. I'm looking forward to being part of an even bigger group of Late Night Trippers in 2018. Please consider all the benefits of using Late Night Trips. Then get on the registration list, stay tuned for the schedule and set yourself free.

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