University of North Texas Campus Shuttle Service Changes Overview

Effective Monday, August 28, 2017

Overview of UNT Campus Shuttle Service Changes

DCTA will implement key changes on behalf of the University of North Texas (UNT) by stationing new transit hub centers at Fouts Field and Union Circle. These changes will contribute to UNT’s vision of a more safe and walkable campus. Modifying these routes will help save money in fuel and other costs, and help ensure the sustainability of overall transit operations for UNT.

Below is an overview of UNT Campus Shuttle changes overall:

- Fouts Field and the University Union will be established as the two main transit hubs (drop off/pick up locations) on campus. Students will have the option to ride the Denton Connect bus routes 7 and 8 (free with a UNT-student ID) to travel between Fouts and the University Union building.

- Some bus stops are changing and riders are encouraged to refer to the shuttle maps and schedules on UNT’s Transportation page.

- The Mean Green shuttle will serve as the campus connector route that will bus students from both Fouts Field and Union Circle to various points on campus. There are new stops along the campus connector route to campus.

- Most shuttle morning routes will have the same bus frequency as the previous semester.

- The Sam Bass shuttle frequency will be reduced for the 2017-2018 school year. In fall 2018, the shuttle will no longer be in operation.

- Effective Monday, August 28, the Campus Cruiser shuttle will no longer be in operation. The Mean Green campus connector route will pick up stops previously served by the Campus Cruiser shuttle such as Victory Hall by Apogee Stadium.

- Students who plan to drive to campus and arrive after 10 a.m. are encouraged to utilize the following two transit options:
  - Park at DCTA’s MedPark Station located at 3220 MedPark Drive and ride the A-train to the Downtown Denton Transit Center for free (part of DCTA’s free A-train fare zone promotion) and transfer to Denton Connect Routes 7 or 8 get to campus using a UNT-student ID
  - Ride the Colorado Express shuttle from MedPark Station to campus free with a UNT-student ID

- Effective Monday, August 28, the Colorado Express shuttle will no longer stop at the Golden Triangle Mall from Colorado Blvd.

PLEASE NOTE: All UNT Campus Shuttle riders are encouraged to leave early and plan ahead for their trips. If students have comments or questions about the UNT Campus Shuttle service changes, they should follow @UNTtransit on Twitter or @UNTTransportation on Facebook. Riders with disabilities who have questions about accommodations and those who would like to give feedback on the shuttle changes can contact UNT Transportation Services at transportation.services@unt.edu or 940.565.3020.
**Individual UNT Campus Shuttle Route Information**

**Mean Green Shuttle**

- The shuttle will operate Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a 10-minute frequency, and Monday through Friday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 15-minute frequency. On Saturdays, the shuttle will operate from 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. with a 30-minute frequency.
- It will service Victory Hall by Apogee Stadium after 5:30 pm Monday through Thursday and on Saturday.
- The Mean Green shuttle will serve as the campus connector route that will bus students from both Fouts Field and Union Circle to various points on campus. There are new stops along the campus connector route to campus.
- It no longer serves the south and west sides of Fouts Field. Passengers can utilize Denton Connect Route 7 and 8 as an additional transit option instead of walking to the next stop.

**North Texan Shuttle**

- The shuttle will operate Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a seven-minute frequency and Monday through Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 14-minute frequency.
- The shuttle campus stop will be relocated from the Union to the new Fouts Field transit hub. Riders who need to get to the Union and prefer not to walk can board the Mean Green Shuttle and Denton Connect Route 7 and 8 to get dropped off at the Union.

**Eagle Point Shuttle**

- The shuttle will operate from 7:15 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with an 8-minute frequency.
- The shuttle on-campus stops at the UNT Business Leadership Building/Kerr Hall will be relocated to the new Fouts Field transit hub.
- Route services Victory Hall at Apogee.
- The relocation stop across campus will allow the shuttle to cross the freeway for passenger pickup and drop-offs. Riders who need to get to the Union and prefer not to walk can board the Mean Green Shuttle and Denton Connect Route 7 and 8 to get dropped off at the Union.

**Discovery Park Shuttle**

- The shuttle will operate Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a 15-minute frequency, Monday through Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. with a 20-minute frequency, and Monday through Thursday from 8:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 40-minute frequency. On Saturdays, the shuttle will operate from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm with a 45-minute frequency.
- The shuttle will no longer have on-campus stops at the UNT Recreation Center, Environmental Engineering Science and Technology (ESSAT) or General Academic Building. The new campus stop will be relocated to the new Union transit hub.
  - Passengers who need to get to the EESAT or GAB can use the Eastbound Hickory at Avenue B stop
  - Passengers who need to get to the UNT Recreation Center can board the Mean Green shuttle
Centre Place
- The shuttle will operate Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 2 p.m. with a six-minute frequency and 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a 10-minute frequency. It will operate Monday through Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 30-minute frequency.
- This shuttle route will return to the Union as it was before building construction.

Bernard Street Shuttle
- The shuttle will operate Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. with a seven-minute frequency and from 12:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a 10-minute frequency. It will operate Monday through Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 20-minute frequency.
- This shuttle route will return to the Union as it was before building construction.

Colorado Express Shuttle
- The shuttle will operate Monday through Friday from 7:15 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. with a 20-minute frequency and Monday through Thursday from 5:30 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 40-minute frequency.
- The Colorado Express will no longer stop at the Golden Triangle Mall on Colorado Blvd. Riders are encouraged to utilize the MedPark Station for a park and ride option.
- This shuttle route will return to the Union as it was before building construction.

Sam Bass Shuttle
- The shuttle will operate Monday through Thursday from 7:15 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. with a 30-minute frequency and Fridays from 7:15 am to 5:30 pm with a 30-minute frequency.
- The frequency will be reduced, but students can take Denton Connect Route 1 to the Downtown Denton Transit Center and then transfer to Denton Connect Routes 7 or 8 to get to UNT as an alternate option.
- Shuttle on-campus stop will return to the Union as it was before building construction.
- Effective fall 2018, the shuttle will no longer be in operation. Alternative travel option includes:
  o Riding Denton Connect Route 1 to the Downtown Denton Transit Center
  o Transferring to Denton Connect Routes 7 or 8 to get to UNT