

May - June - 2026

COMMUNITY CONNECTOR

Bringing news from the City of Leduc to our LATS Clients

Hello LATS Community,

As we move into May and June, the arrival of warmer weather and longer days brings a welcome change of pace! This time of year often means more opportunities to get out, connect with others, and enjoy everything our community has to offer.

This year, we're excited to offer something new for the summer months. Our evening service hours will remain extended, meaning **LATS will continue accepting bookings until 9:00 PM on both Monday and Tuesday evenings throughout the summer.** We encourage you to take advantage of the evening service and book a ride!

In this issue, you'll find important updates, helpful reminders, and information to keep you informed and prepared as we head into warmer weather. There are plenty of great opportunities to get out into the community, so be sure to check out our Community Events page for ideas and activities happening around Leduc.

Thank you for continuing to ride with us and for being part of the LATS community. If you have any questions or feedback, please don't hesitate to reach out – we're always happy to help.

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Quick Reminders

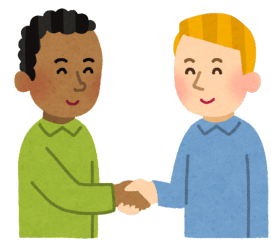
- Are you going away this summer or otherwise need to pause your subscription? Please contact the Transit Office to let us know about any changes to your rides or subscriptions!
- Remember that LATS vehicles are shared public spaces—being kind, considerate, and inclusive helps ensure a positive ride for everyone.
- Take a look at our Rider Tips section for a few important notes.
- During the summer months, we will keep our service open until 9:00PM Monday and Tuesday evenings!
- Please ensure your trip details are accurate when booking your ride, as drivers are unable to make pickup or destination changes on the bus.

Friendly Reminder: Riding Together Respectfully



LATS vehicles are shared, public spaces. We ask all passengers to be kind, considerate, and inclusive of others while riding. To help ensure a safe and comfortable experience for everyone:

- Follow all directions from your LATS operator
- Please remain seated and wear your seatbelt at all times (unless a waiver is in place)
- Be mindful of personal space and make room for others
- Treat fellow passengers and staff with respect and courtesy
- Be mindful of noise levels, follow the no-scent policy, and limit belongings to two bags per rider
- If you have a concern, please speak with your driver so it can be addressed promptly



By working together, we can maintain a welcoming and safe environment for all riders.

Thank you for doing your part!

Rider Tips

Subscriptions: Not using regular trips this summer? Call the Transit Office to pause or cancel your subscription trips

Pickup Tips

- Specify your entrance when booking trips at locations with multiple doors (ex. Leduc Recreation Centre: **Pool** or **Gym** Doors)

Stay Connected

- Link your cell phone for reminder calls
- Contact the Transit Office for app/portal access

Plan & Be Ready

- Drivers may arrive anytime within your pickup window – please be ready at the start of the window
 - Book up to **10 days** in advance
- Cancel trips as early as possible if plans change
- Location changes cannot be made on the bus – please ensure your pickup and destination details are correct when booking your trip.

Service Notes

- Sundays: 1 bus available (if the bus is booked, try another booking time to get your ride)
- Monday & Tuesday evenings: service until 9:00 PM

Booking & Timing

- **Arrive By** → best for appointments
- **Depart At** → best for flexible timing
 - Best weekday availability:
9:30–11:30 AM & 1:30–3:30 PM

Companions and Mandatory Attendants

- Please book the correct number of passengers when travelling with a companion
- Non-LATS companions are not eligible for free sponsored travel
- **Mandatory Attendants travel free**

Community Programs & Events

Looking for ways to stay active, connected, and involved this summer? Explore a few upcoming events and community programs happening around Leduc!

FEATURED EVENTS

🔥 FireFit Northern Alberta Regional Qualifiers

June 5–7 | Leduc Recreation Centre
Watch firefighters compete in exciting strength, speed, and endurance challenges.

🚲 Festivus of Gravel (FoG!)

May 22–24 | William F. Lede Park
A fun and inclusive gravel cycling event open to all experience levels.

🌊 5K Foam Fest

June 20 | William F. Lede Park
Enjoy a foam-filled obstacle course with music, inflatables, and family-friendly fun.

For more local events and activities:
www.leduc.ca/community/events-activities



LEDUC PUBLIC LIBRARY

☕ Coffee Hour for Adults

May 13 & June 10 | 1:00–2:00 PM
Drop in for games, conversation, knitting, and social time.

📖 Summer Learning Game

Starts June 24

A fun summer reading adventure for teens and adults with challenges, activities, and prize draws all summer long.

🏠 Outreach Services

Library materials can be delivered monthly to individuals unable to visit the library due to physical or medical limitations.

For information or registration:
780-986-2637 | leduclibrary.ca

LEDUC ADULT LEARNING

💻 Programs & Supports Available:

- Basic computer and digital skills
- iPhone/iPad and Zoom support
- English language learning
- Literacy and numeracy tutoring

For upcoming programs and dates:

www.leducadultlearning.ca

Call or text: 780-915-9835

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SIGNATURE EVENTS



mark your calendars!

Everyone is welcome to join us at this year's City events, designed for our community's citizens and visitors of all ages.



JULY 1
Canada Day
Leduc.ca/Canada



JULY 25
Summer in the City
Leduc.ca/SITC



SEPT. 13
VolunteerFest
Leduc.ca/VolunteerFest



NOV. 20
Light-Up the Park
Leduc.ca/LightUpThePark



NOVEMBER – DECEMBER
Light-Up Leduc
Leduc.ca/LightUpLeduc



DECEMBER
CPKC Holiday Train
Leduc.ca/HolidayTrain



Details will be shared on the City's website as they become available.
Check in throughout the year for updates as you plan your activities!





Just for Fun!


MAY & JUNE CHECKLIST

- Visit a local park
- Attend a community event
- Visit the library
- Try evening LATS service
- Ride LATS with a friend
- Say hello to someone new

DID YOU KNOW?

 Leduc officially became known as "Leduc" in 1891 and grew from a small farming community into the city it is today.

 June includes the longest day of the year during the Summer Solstice!

 A smile or friendly hello can brighten someone's entire day – especially on public transit!