



" A Customer First Company "

March 2007 Edition

Welcome to the Kick-Off Edition of "On The Move"



We are excited to present to you the first edition of "On the Move," your monthly source of information and news from K&K Connections, LLC. When we began back in 2005 we had no idea of how fast our business would grow because of you the commuter. In this newsletter we hope to convey to you useful information to keep you informed of commuter interests and concerns.

RideFinders RIDE n' READ!

RideFinders is challenging vanpool commuters to participate in the GO READ Program. This initiative strives to bring people together through a shared reading experience. The challenge is for vanpool riders to:

- Obtain the selected book from RideFinders.
- Read "I Got Somebody in Staunton" by William Henry Lewis from February 20—May 20, 2007.
- Log the times you read while riding on your vanpool.
- Join us on Thursday, May 24, 2007 at RideFinders for a group discussion and reception.

To accept the challenge email agatling@ridefinders.com.

For more information about GO Read visit

www.goreadrichmond.com

Important Numbers:

- Office Of Personal Management's Weather Number - (202) 606-1900
- VDOT Help Line - (800) 367-7623
- State Police (non-emergency) - (800) 553-444

K&K Connections, LLC Safety Corner:

Are You Practicing These Important Safety Precautions?

- Coordinators should check conditions of tires before each trip. Examine tires for uneven wear, cracks, and damage.
- Remember that in emergencies, vans react differently than cars. All drivers should be aware of handling characteristics of vans, especially during an emergency tire blow out.
- Whenever possible when a 15-passenger van is not full, passengers should sit in seats that are in front of the rear axle.

Information from the National Traffic Safety Board SA-001 May 2006 and New 2004 Safety Advisory Issued for 15 Passenger Van.

Have You Visited Our Website Lately?

We keep our website full of information such as:

- News about new and existing routes
- Current weather conditions
- Coordinator's Names
- Important Commuter Links, and much, much more

We Would Like to Send a Very Special Birthday Greeting To:

Thomas Branch
Sheila Goode
Fannie Trent
Debbie Dean
Valencia Agbenyo-Dawfor
Robert Meredith

Contact Us: Toll-Free 1-877-RIDEK2K Local: 804-275-3872

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Welcome To The K&K Family!

K&K Connections, LLC would like to welcome the following riders to the K&K Family. We are so excited to have you with us!

- Deborah Swann - Van 001
- Roz Wiggins - Van 002
- Frank McReynolds - Van 002
- BJ Ellis - Van 002
- Michael Singh - Van 006
- Debbie Dean - Van 009
- Alberta Williams - Van 009
- Kathleen Conyers - Van 010
- Balkrishna Salvadi - Van 012
- Francis C. Varkey - Van 012
- Megan Rawoor - Van 013

Staying Connected - Connection Events:

On March 2, 2007 Van 010 (Phyllis Ohree, Coordinator) had a Fish Fry Social, the first after van hours event of K & K Connections, LLC. Everyone had a great time and Van 010 is planning to have some more events in the future. We are very happy to see everyone meeting together outside of vanpooling. This helps us to keep a family atmosphere which is so important to our success.. If any other vans decide to follow the lead of VAN 010 please take pictures so we can include them in our newsletter. If taken with digital equipment you can send them to owilliams@ridek2k.com.

We are planning on inviting the entire Vanpool Family to a social event this summer. Keep an eye out for this and other upcoming events in later editions of "On The Move."

K&K Connections, LLC Feedback Form:

K&K Connections, LLC now has a feedback form that is accessible on our website, www.ridek2k.com. The purpose of this form is to give everyone an opportunity to express concerns, suggestions, and encouragement about coordinators, drivers, and K&K Connections, LLC staff. We value what you have to say and feel that the implementation of this new feedback program will further help in our goal as a "Customer First Company." In addition, we hope that this form may help identify any safety issues that may need to be addressed. Upon completion, this form will be sent directly to Keith Trent and all information will be kept confidential. We are asking all of you to at least submit this form once per quarter, starting this month. Please ensure you include your name and email address. In addition, make sure you let us know specifically who your comment is referring to, including dates and times of specific incidences. If anyone has any questions please feel free to contact us.

K&K Local Commuter Program:

Do you know someone that drives 25 miles or more to work in the Richmond Metro Area? Perhaps it is a neighbor, relative, or friend. At K&K Connections, LLC we not only work to support long distance commuters but we will work with individuals locally to help them take advantage of joining a commuter vanpool. As a member of the K&K family we ask you to help us get the word out in the Richmond Metro area to those who work locally but may not have considered joining a vanpool.

We Want to Hear From You!

Do you have any comments and ideas for future newsletters? Please forward information to k2kconnections@comcast.net