## MTA Bus Roadeo and Car Show This Weekend

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(June 19, 2002) – Come one, come all! The MTA Bus Roadeo and Car Show is this Saturday, June 22, at Santa Anita racetrack. All MTA employees and their families are invited to come and enjoy the day and a variety of entertainment.

Bus operators and mechanics will be testing their talents against one another throughout the day, beginning at 8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Operators will negotiate an exciting and difficult driving course, be quizzed on their knowledge of procedures and safety, and have their customer service skills put to the test. Teams of mechanics also will complete the driving course, as well as other events that will test their proficiency at bus repair.

Prizes will be awarded to the top scorers, who will go on to represent the MTA at the International Bus Roadeo in Las Vegas in September.

In addition to the main event, plenty of entertainment is scheduled. Families can enjoy a Continental breakfast, live music, a barbecue lunch, and a raffle drawing. Kids will have fun playing for prizes in the carnival-style game booths, or eat fresh-made caramel popcorn while watching clowns perform.

The car show, located in the parking lot adjacent to the Bus Roadeo, will showcase classic autos and trucks. Any fan of cars shouldn't miss it.

Come enjoy a day of fun with your family at the Bus Roadeo this Saturday at Santa Anita Park, located at 285 W. Huntington Drive in Arcadia. The entrance will be at Gate 6. Maps and directions to the park can be found at http://www.santaanita.com.

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