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## Employees, Families, Guests Invited to 2007 Bus Rodeo, Sept. 15

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(Sept. 6, 2007) All employees, their families and guests are invited to attend the 32nd annual Metro Bus Rodeo, Sept. 15, at the Santa Anita Race Track.

This free family event, scheduled from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m., includes driving competition among Metro's best bus operators navigating an obstacle course, and teams of mechanics, representing their divisions, testing their skills on several bus systems to identify defects.



The event also features a classic car and motorcycle show, entertainment, various exhibit booths, and a fantastic barbeque lunch. Last year's Metro Bus Rodeo winners won the Grand Champion Award at the 2007 APTA International Bus Rodeo.

Winners from this local event, which is being hosted by the Gateway Cities Service Sector, will defend Metro's "Grand Champion" title next spring at the APTA's International competition in Austin, Tex.

This year's event is being held once again at Santa Anita Park, but at a different location accessible via Gate 4. To reach Gate 4, take the I-210 Foothill Freeway and exit at Santa Anita Avenue (Exit 32). Turn south on Santa Anita and right onto Huntington Drive. Bear left where the street splits with Colorado Place and continue on Huntington Drive to Gate 4.

For more information, including a map showing the event location, visit [mymetro.net](#) and click on the Los Angeles Rodeo logo on the right side of the home page.