

## **New Shuttle to Dodger Stadium Makes It Easy to Take MTA's Metro Rail to the Ball Game**

Taking MTA's Metro Rail to the ball game became that much easier with the recent announcement that the Los Angeles Dodgers will be offering a bus shuttle from Union Station in downtown Los Angeles to selected Dodger baseball games this season.

Baseball bound patrons using the Metro Rail system can now access the new Dodger Roundtripper Station to Stadium Shuttle by simply taking the Metro Red Line subway to Union Station.

The shuttle, provided by the Dodgers and operated by First Transit, will operate on Opening Day, April 7 and every Friday that the Dodgers have a scheduled home game.

Patrons can board the shuttle at Berth 9 at Union Station's Patsaouras Transit Plaza. The shuttle will travel west, taking Elysian Park through Gate A and dropping fans off at a specially designated stop in lot 13 of Dodger Stadium. Cost for the round trip is \$2. MTA Metro passes are not accepted on the shuttle.

Buses will leave Union Station every 10 minutes or less from 5:30 p.m. to 8 p.m. Return service from Dodger Stadium will begin no later than the top of the 8<sup>th</sup> inning. The last bus will leave 30 minutes after the last out, but no later than 11 p.m.

MTA's Metro Rail system spans nearly 60 miles linking Long Beach, Norwalk, El Segundo, North Hollywood, Universal City, Hollywood, Los Angeles and all points in between. Debuting this summer will be a 13.7-mile extension of the Metro Rail system with the opening of the Metro Gold Line from Los Angeles to Pasadena.

MTA operates the 17.4-mile Metro Red Line subway, the 22-mile Los Angeles to Long Beach Metro Blue Line, the 20-mile Norwalk to El Segundo Metro Green Line as well as Metro Buses.

For information on the Dodger Roundtripper Station to Stadium Shuttle call 323-244-1-HIT. For specific MTA route and schedule information call 1-800-C-O-M-M-U-T-E or visit MTA's web site at [www.mta.net](http://www.mta.net).

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