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# Media Release

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### **RIDE TRANSIT TO THIS WEEKEND'S EVENTS: APRIL 13-15**

*Public Transit Provides a Convenient and Cost-Effective Travel Option to Community Events*

**TUCSON, Ariz.** – This weekend, Tucsonans can ride Sun Tran and the Sun Link streetcar to several events for a convenient and cost-effective transportation option. Events include:

- *Spring Fling*: Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at the University of Arizona Mall
- *Tucson Roadrunners Hockey*: Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, 7:05 PM at the Tucson Convention Center (TCC)
- *University of Arizona Softball vs. UCLA*: Friday, April 13<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at Hillenbrand Stadium
- *2nd Saturdays*: Saturday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, Downtown on Congress Street

Several Sun Tran routes serve the event areas and are an easy transfer to the Sun Link streetcar. Please note if riding Sun Tran, some routes discontinue service prior to events ending. Passengers can also park then ride the Sun Link streetcar to attend this weekend's events.

There are various parking options available at 4th Avenue, Main Gate Square, and Downtown with easy access to Sun Link stops. The following University of Arizona garages are free on Saturday and Sunday: Highland Avenue, Park Avenue, Main Gate, and Tyndall Avenue. Free parking is also available downtown at more than 1,200 metered street spaces after 5 p.m. Friday through the end of the weekend.

Passengers are encouraged to plan ahead and purchase a SunGO Ticket, load a pass or cash value to a new or existing SunGO card, or download a ticket to the GoTucson Transit mobile app before riding.

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SunGO Tickets can be purchased at any one of the 23 Sun Link streetcar stops, at a transit center ticket vending machine, at any [SunGO Sales Outlet](#), or on the [GoTucson Transit app](#).

The cost of a 1-Day SunGO Ticket to ride the streetcar is \$4.50. If paying with cash value on a SunGO Card or the GoTucson Transit app, the cost per ride is \$1.60 on Sun Tran and Sun Link.

Cash is not accepted once on the streetcar, so each passenger is required to have a SunGO Card or the GoTucson Transit app with a pass or cash value.

Children five years of age and younger can ride Sun Link, Sun Tran and Sun Shuttle free with a paying passenger.

For trip planning assistance or additional information, call the Customer Service Center at (520) 792-9222 (for persons with hearing and speech impairments, call TDD: 520-628-1565).

For more information on weekend events visit:

- *Spring Fling*: <http://springfling.arizona.edu/>
- *Tucson Roadrunners*: <http://tucsonroadrunners.com/>
- *University of Arizona Softball*: <http://arizonawildcats.com/>
- *2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays*: <http://www.2ndsaturdaysdowntown.com/>

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