September 1, 2023 Gobblerfest Detour

On Friday, September 1, 2023, the VT Gobblerfest will close the south side of the Drillfield to through bus traffic and cause several of our routes to be detoured. **The detour will begin at 12:45pm and last through 9:45pm.**

Bus Stops Affected

The following stops will not be serviced during the detour:

Inbound stops on south side of Drillfield at Hutcheson Hall #1107 and War Memorial Hall #1108. Some service to Burruss Hall will be altered.

Routes Affected – Starting at 12:45pm and running through 9:45pm. All BT stops passed will be serviced while on Detour. (*All outbound buses from campus follow normal routes.*):

- Harding Avenue Hokie Express (21, 22, 71)
 - Harding Avenue
 - Follow normal route from Newman Library to Ascot Lane.
 - From Ascot Lane, follow normal route to Burruss Hall.
 - Hokie Express
 - Follow normal route from Burruss to Oak Lane.
 - From Oak Lane, follow normal route to Washington to LEFT on West Campus, continue STRAIGHT on West Campus Drive [DO NOT TURN RIGHT ONTO DRILLFIELD] and turn RIGHT on Prices Fork, RIGHT on Stanger, BEAR LEFT at roundabout at the Drillfield and U-TURN to Newman Library. [DO NOT CIRCLE DRILLFIELD.]
- Hethwood B (27, 29)
 - Follow normal route from Torgersen to Tall Oaks.
 - From Tall Oaks, inbound bus follows normal route to Prices Fork to RIGHT on West Campus
 Drive [DO NOT TURN LEFT ONTO DRILLFIELD], LEFT on Washington at traffic circle, LEFT on
 Kent to Torgersen. DURING THE DETOUR, THIS ROUTE WILL SERVICE NEWMAN LIBRARY
 AS IT PASSES.
- Carpenter Boulevard (55)
 - o Follow normal route from Newman to Carpenter Boulevard.
 - From Carpenter, inbound bus follows normal route to Burruss, BEAR RIGHT to exit Drillfield
 [DO NOT CIRCLE DRILLFIELD.] and turn LEFT on West Campus, LEFT on Washington at traffic
 circle, LEFT on Kent to Newman.
- Patrick Henry B (65)
 - From Burruss, BEAR RIGHT to exit Drillfield [DO NOT CIRCLE DRILLFIELD.] to and turn LEFT on West Campus, LEFT on Washington at traffic circle, LEFT on Kent to Stanger and follow normal route from Torgersen to Patrick Henry Drive. DURING THE DETOUR, THIS ROUTE WILL SERVICE NEWMAN LIBRARY AS IT PASSES.
 - o From Patrick Henry, follow normal route to Burruss.

Miscellaneous Information

- All affected routes should display PR 10 "Detour in Effect," or appropriate 5000 series Detour code.
- Service all BT stops passed while on detour. Press "DONE" button for any stops serviced while on detour when the Ranger reads "OFF."
- Rider Alert and Stop Closed Signage will be posted on Thursday/Friday.
- Detour details will be posted on the BT website. For more Gobblerfest information visit https://campuslife.vt.edu/Student_Orgs/gobblerfest.html