

NEWSLETTER

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WHAT A YEAR!

There is no doubt that 2020 has been a very unique year. From natural disasters to a global pandemic, it has been a year of uncertainty for all.

Busabout wish to thank all of our dedicated staff and customers for adapting with us along the way and contributing toward making our services as safe and reliable as possible.

NEWER AND YOUNGER FLEET

In 2020, Busabout received four new growth buses, with another 5 buses due to arrive in 2021. These buses are all airconditioned and low-floor wheelchair accessible buses. The addition of these buses ensures that our customers have access to more services, and experience a more comfortable journey.

SERVICE ENHANCEMENTS

With the rapid residential growth in the Macarthur region, Busabout have developed service enhancements to add additional services and cater for the higher demand. Customers can now benefit from:

- Over 11,000 additional route 841 trips between Narellan and Leppington Station, which were introduced in August 2020. Changes in the route path were also made to provide a direct link between Emerald Hills and Willowdale.
- Over 10,000 additional route 896 trips between Oran Park and Campbelltown Station commencing in December 2020.

More information of these service enhancements and changes can be found on our website www.busabout.com.au.

BACK TO SCHOOL 2021

With schools returning on 27th January 2021, please ensure that your child has a valid Opal card for travel, and **tap on and off for each journey**. Opal patronage data is essential, and allows us to analyse our services and network to ensure we meet the needs of the local schools and community. It will also assist us with contact tracing during the current pandemic if required.



To apply for a School Opal card, purchase a School Term Pass, or report a lost, stolen or damaged School Opal card visit:

www.transport.nsw.gov.au/ssts.

Child/Youth Opal cards can be purchased online or from an Opal retailer if you are not eligible for a School Opal card.