

# INMATE FAMILY TRANSPORTATION SERVICES

## 2011-2012 Bus Schedule

### **ALBION**

**Monthly, 2nd Friday**  
1:00 a.m.—12:30 a.m.

October 14, 2011  
November 11, 2011  
December 9, 2011  
January 13, 2012  
February 10, 2012  
March 9, 2012  
April 13, 2012  
May 11, 2012  
June 8, 2012  
July 13, 2012  
August 10, 2012  
September 14, 2012

### **CAMBRIDGE AND MERCER**

**Bimonthly, 3rd Monday**  
1:00 a.m.—12:30 a.m.

October 17, 2011  
December 19, 2011  
February 20, 2012  
April 16, 2012  
June 18, 2012  
August 20, 2012

### **CAMP HILL**

**Quarterly, 3rd Wednesday**  
6:30 a.m.—6:00 p.m.

November 16, 2011  
February 15, 2011  
May 16, 2012  
August 15, 2012

### **COAL TOWNSHIP, FRACKVILLE, AND MAYANOY**

**Bimonthly, 2nd Saturday**  
5:30 a.m.—7:30 p.m.

November 12, 2011  
January 14, 2012  
March 10, 2012  
May 12, 2012  
July 14, 2012  
September 8, 2012

### **CRESSON AND PINE GROVE**

**Bimonthly, 3rd Friday**  
3:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

October 21, 2011  
December 16, 2011  
February 17, 2012  
April 20, 2012  
June 15, 2012  
August 24, 2012

### **DALLAS AND RETREAT**

**Bimonthly, 4th Monday**  
6:00 a.m.—7:30 p.m.

October 24, 2011  
December 26, 2011  
February 27, 2012  
April 23, 2012  
June 25, 2012  
August 27, 2012

### **FAYETTE**

**Bimonthly, 3rd Friday**  
2:00 a.m.—9:00 p.m.

November 18, 2011  
January 20, 2012  
March 16, 2012  
May 18, 2012  
July 20, 2012  
September 21, 2012

### **FOREST**

**Monthly (except July)**  
**2nd Monday**  
2:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

October 10, 2011  
November 14, 2011  
December 12, 2011  
January 9, 2012  
February 13, 2012  
March 12, 2012  
April 9, 2012  
May 14, 2012  
June 11, 2012  
August 13, 2012  
September 10, 2012

### **FRACKVILLE**

*See COAL TOWNSHIP,  
FRACKVILLE, AND MAYANOY*

### **GREENE**

**Monthly, 1st Friday**  
2:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

October 7, 2011  
November 4, 2011  
December 2, 2011  
January 6, 2012  
February 3, 2012  
March 2, 2012  
April 6, 2012  
May 4, 2012  
June 1, 2012  
July 6, 2012  
August 3, 2012  
September 7, 2012

### **GREENSBURG AND PITTSBURGH**

**Bimonthly, 4th Wednesday**  
2:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

November 23, 2011  
January 25, 2012  
March 28, 2012  
May 23, 2012  
July 25, 2012  
September 26, 2012

### **HOUTZDALE AND ROCKVIEW**

**Bimonthly, 2nd Thursday**  
4:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

October 13, 2011  
December 8, 2011  
February 9, 2012  
April 12, 2012  
June 14, 2012  
August 9, 2012

### **HUNTINGDON AND SMITHFIELD**

**Bimonthly, 3rd Monday**  
5:00 a.m.—9:00 p.m.

November 21, 2011  
January 16, 2012  
March 19, 2012  
May 21, 2012  
July 16, 2012  
September 17, 2012

### **LAUREL AND SOMERSET**

**Monthly, 1st Monday**  
4:00 a.m.—9:30 p.m.

October 3, 2011  
November 7, 2011  
December 5, 2011  
January 2, 2012  
February 6, 2012  
March 5, 2012  
April 2, 2012  
May 7, 2012  
June 4, 2012  
July 2, 2012  
August 6, 2012  
September 3, 2012

### **MAHANAY**

*See COAL TOWNSHIP,  
FRACKVILLE, AND MAYANOY*

### **MERCER**

*See CAMBRIDGE AND MERCER*

### **MUNCY**

**Bimonthly, 2nd Tuesday**  
5:00 a.m.—7:30 p.m.

November 8, 2011  
January 10, 2012  
March 13, 2012  
May 8, 2012  
July 10, 2012  
September 11, 2012

### **PINE GROVE**

*See CRESSON  
AND PINE GROVE*

### **PITTSBURGH**

*See GREENSBURG  
AND PITTSBURGH*

### **RETREAT**

*See DALLAS AND RETREAT*

### **ROCKVIEW**

*See HOUTZDALE  
AND ROCKVIEW*

### **SMITHFIELD**

*See HUNTINGDON AND  
SMITHFIELD*

### **SOMERSET**

*See LAUREL AND SOMERSET*

### **WAYMART**

**Bimonthly, 4th Saturday**  
6:00 a.m.—8:00 p.m.

November 19, 2011  
January 21, 2012  
March 17, 2012  
May 19, 2012  
July 21, 2012  
September 15, 2012

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## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

### What prisons do you visit?

We have buses to all Pennsylvania state prisons except Graterford, Chester, Quehanna Boot Camp.

### Who can travel? How much are tickets?

Anyone can travel as long as he or she is on the prison's official visitors list, including infants and children. **Please check with whomever you are visiting prior to purchasing tickets to ensure that you are on his or her list.** You will not get a refund if you are unable to visit because you are not an approved visitor.

Tickets are \$35 per person, including children.

### Can I pay with a debit or credit card?

No. We only accept cash or money orders.

### How do I get a seat?

### Do I have to apply for the program?

### Can I mail in my payment?

There is no application for the program. You may come to our office during the hours listed below to purchase tickets.

### WALK-IN HOURS:

**Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.**

***Please do not walk in before or after these hours. No exceptions will be made.***

We also accept money order payments via postal mail. **Do not send cash in the mail.** Send payments to:

Family Transportation  
Pennsylvania Prison Society  
245 N. Broad St., 2nd Fl.  
Philadelphia, PA 19107

Please make money orders payable to: PA Prison Society at the address above.

**When sending payments through the mail, please include your full name, prison you are visiting, and your telephone number.** We may need to contact you.

Due to high demand, we can not guarantee that seats will be available. Your payment will buy you a ticket for the next available trip to that prison.

### Can I reserve a seat before I pay for it?

No. Tickets will be sold on a first-come, first-served basis. There are no exceptions, even if you have been buying tickets from us for years and we know you.

### Can someone purchase a ticket for me?

Yes. Someone may buy a ticket for you, in your name.

### What if I buy tickets and don't use them? Are tickets refundable?

If you have a bus ticket, but learn that the person you are visiting is being released, **please contact us immediately and before the trip** and we will see what arrangements we can make.

**Please do not buy a ticket unless you are sure you can use it! You will not receive a refund** or be able to use that ticket on future trips. If a bus is canceled due to weather, it is usually rescheduled and you may still use your original ticket.

### What if I lose my ticket?

There is a fee of \$5 per each ticket lost. You will not be able to board the bus without a ticket. Bus drivers do not have a list of passengers.

### Where and when do I catch the bus?

All buses leave from 30th and Market Streets in Philadelphia, next to the SEPTA Market-Frankford EL station.

Departure times vary. Please refer to the schedule on the opposite side of this form.

### Can't I just sit my baby on my lap instead of paying for a seat?

Absolutely not. **Under no circumstances may children of any age sit on your lap.** Small children must have a car seat for safety reasons.

Should this occur, **bus drivers will request that you remove yourself from the bus. You will not receive your money back.** It is against the law to operate a motor vehicle with a child on anyone's lap. On occasion, a PPS employee will be at 30th and Market, and he or she will ask you to leave the bus peacefully.

The bus will NOT pull off until every person is seated.

### How will I know if a bus is sold out?

This information is updated weekly on our outgoing message at 215-564-4775, x 119. The information is also available at [www.prisonersociety.org](http://www.prisonersociety.org).

### What if my personal property is stolen from me on the bus?

The Pennsylvania Prison Society is not responsible for personal items. Please keep track of your own belongings.

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