

# TRAVEL, TRAINS, AND PARKING AT STATEWIDE 2019

Plan ahead and get an early start. Avoid SoCal's Friday freeway crush by leaving home before noon, taking metrolink or flying into Ontario International Airport.

## **Driving**

If you are driving to Claremont plan to arrive by 3:00 p.m. Parking is free at host hotel, DoubleTree by Hilton, and at Motel 6. At Smith Campus Center, where Edmunds Ballroom is located, park in the neighborhood along 6th or 7th streets west of College Ave. and walk to the venue at 170 E. 6th St. You may also park for free in the South Campus Parking Structure (under the soccer field) 5 blocks south. Download campus map at Pomona.edu. Pomona College is 50 miles from West LA, 52 from Reseda, 42 miles from Long Beach, 41 from Irvine and 30 from Pasadena. Enjoy a stress free weekend by sleeping in Claremont. Both the DoubleTree use link at ([socalfolkdance.org](http://socalfolkdance.org)) and Motel 6 (ask for manager Frankie 909 626-5654) offer festival rates. The DoubleTree is 1.1 miles from Edmunds Ballroom; Motel 6, at 840 S. Indian Hill, is less than 2 miles.

## **Metrolink**

Claremont is on the "San Bernadino" line ([metrolinktrains.com/schedules](http://metrolinktrains.com/schedules)). A volunteer will meet trains that depart LA Union station at 12:42, 1:56, 3:02 or 3:34 p.m. on Friday afternoon, and transport dancers to the Double Tree. Contact [vpresident@socalfolkdance.org](mailto:vpresident@socalfolkdance.org) by May 25 to arrange for pick up at the Claremont station. We'll get you back to the Claremont train station on Sunday afternoon. Find rides to and from the ballroom and your hotel on the Rider Board.

## **Flying**

Fly into Ontario International Airport and make use of the SuperShuttle/Hilton 10% discount to arrive at the Claremont DoubleTree, 11 miles from the airport. During the festival you may use the free Hilton shuttle van between Edmunds Ballroom and the hotel, walk, and/or find rides on a Rider Board.