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MTA LIRR is the Best Way to This Weekend's Sayville Summerfest, August 1-3

A special long weekend is in store this Friday through Sunday when the "Sayville Summerfest" takes place. The MTA Long Island Rail Road has a special non-escorted travel package to this great summer-time event. The "Summerfest" features carnival rides, games, live entertainment, a car show, arts and crafts vendors and more. The LIRR "Sayville Village" Getaway package includes discounted round-trip rail to and from Sayville Station plus a "LIRR Sayville Customer Coupon" good for \$10 off from a participating merchant. The cost is \$20 for adults, \$11.50 for children 5-11.

Upcoming events in Sayville, striving to be "the friendliest town in America," include:

Margaritaville- August 15, 7 PM: Enjoy the live music of the Ed Travers Band, a favorite of Jimmy Buffet "Parrotheads."

Fall Festival/Battle of Barbecue Brethren- October 25-26: Jack-o-Lantern contest, children's costume parade, petting zoo, live music and the State BBQ Championship make this a special weekend.

Tickets for the LIRR's "Sayville Village" One-Day Getaways can be purchased in advance at the LIRR's blue or gray ticket machines. Both blue and gray machines accept credit and debit cards; gray machines also accept cash. Select "Getaways & Packages," then "One Day Getaways," then "Sayville Village." LIRR ticket offices accept cash, credit and debit cards or personal checks.

Tickets are not sold on-board trains. Take any off-peak Montauk Branch train to/from Sayville Station. The station is located just north of the heart of the village. Please consult our website, www.mta.info for schedules and participating vendor information or pick up a "Sayville Village Package Guide" at Sayville Station. Visit www.greatersayvillechamber.com or call 631-567-5257 for events, details and places of interest. For a copy of the "2008 One-Day Getaways" brochure contact the LIRR's Travel Information Center in New York City at 718-217-LIRR, in Nassau County at 516-822-LIRR or in Suffolk County at 631-231-LIRR.