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### Luck is on Your Side When You Take Metro-North on St. Patrick's Day

MTA Metro-North Railroad is going to make you feel very lucky on St. Patrick's Day, Tuesday, March 17 with lots of special service and extra trains to get you to and from the parade.

Parade-goers will be accommodated with extra train cars on trains heading into Grand Central Terminal between 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. There will be additional trains as well:

On the Hudson Line, there is an 8:41 departure out of Poughkeepsie making stops at New Hamburg, Beacon, and Peekskill then goes express to Grand Central.

On the Harlem Line, there is a 9:05 a.m. departure from Southeast, making stops at Brewster, Goldens Bridge, Katonah, Mount Kisco, Chappaqua, North White Plains, White Plains then express to Grand Central.

To make sure your luck holds, here are some important tips:

Check our timetables, either at your train station or online, so you know what trains will suit your travel plans best.

Purchase round-trip tickets from your home station via the ticket seller or a ticket vending machine (TVM). This will save you waiting on long lines at ticket windows in Grand Central when you're homebound, or paying an extra charge for purchasing tickets aboard the train.

Do not bring any containers of alcohol—open or closed—on the trains or within Grand Central Terminal. They will be confiscated by the MTA Police Department. Metro-North's bar carts and café cars will not be in operation this day.

Decide on a meeting location in the Terminal in case your party gets separated.

For more information on our website at [www.mta.info](http://www.mta.info), or by calling 800-METRO-INFO. The hearing impaired may call—via teleprinter—800-724-3322.