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BROADEN YOUR HORIZONS, TAKE THE LIRR TO "THE END"

LIRR's July 17 Escorted Tour to the Montauk Lighthouse

Visit the "ultimate" seaside resort community at the tip of Long Island: Montauk. The LIRR can help you beat the heat and create an unforgettable summer trip, perfect for singles, couples and even families!

During your day on the East End, you'll visit three distinct areas: Montauk Village, the Lighthouse, and Gosman's Dock via an escorted tour in air-conditioned buses. Stroll through the village, stopping to window-shop or purchase items from the unique stores. For lunch, select from a variety of restaurants, purchase a sandwich, or dig into home-brought food while you relax on the beach. Your visit to the Montauk Point Lighthouse Museum can include a 137-step climb up the spiral staircase in the lighthouse tower, with a spectacular view from the top. Or, stroll around the landscaped property surrounding the structure.

Can't make it on July 17? The LIRR is offering the same great getaway on August 21!

The cost of this getaway is \$44.50 for adults, \$31.50 for children 5-11.

Train Schedule (Call to Confirm)

| Station | Departs | Returns | Notes |
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| New York | 7:40 AM | 8:39 PM | (Switch to the Montauk train at Jamaica) |
| Woodside | 7:28 AM | 8:28 PM | (Switch to the Montauk train at Jamaica) |
| Brooklyn | 7:42 AM | 8:42 PM | (Switch to the Montauk train at Jamaica) |
| Jamaica | 8:08 AM | 8:14 PM | |
| Babylon | 8:46 AM | 7:34 PM | |

Please check track assignments at the information booth.

Remember to board the rear car.

There is a transfer to a bus at Montauk Station.

Tickets for this event can be purchased at LIRR ticket machines through Thursday midnight prior to the event. Gray, green and blue ticket machines accept credit and debit cards; gray and green machines also accept cash. Select "Deals & Getaways," then "Long Island Getaways," then Montauk Lighthouse (listed in alphabetical order). LIRR ticket offices accept cash, personal checks, credit and debit cards. Tickets will be available up to 30 minutes before the train leaves at open ticket offices.

Escorted tours may be canceled in the event of inclement weather or low ticket sales. Please consult our website for updated information before you leave or call the numbers below to confirm status.

For additional information customers may consult the LIRR's website at www.mta.info/lirr. Customers can also contact the LIRR's Travel Information Center in New York City at 718-217-LIRR, in Suffolk County at 631-231-LIRR, or in Nassau County at 516-822-LIRR. The Travel Information Center's TDD number for the hearing impaired is 718-558-3022. For more fun, money-saving ideas be our friend on Facebook (MTALIRR) or follow us on Twitter (LIRRDeals4U).