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MTA Staten Island Railway's Getaway Service

Bringing Extra Service Before the Thanksgiving Holiday

Staten Island customers looking to get a head start on their holiday weekend will be able to catch earlier afternoon express train service on Wednesday, November 23 with Staten Island Railway's Early Departure Getaway schedule. This schedule means extra SIR trains will be added earlier in the afternoon beginning at 2:31 p.m. from the St. George Ferry Terminal. There will be one express train and one local train awaiting every boat until 7:50 p.m. On Thanksgiving Day, November 24, SIR will operate a Sunday schedule, while on Friday, November 25, trains will run on a regular weekday schedule.

The Early Departure Getaway service plan on SIR is also available on the Friday leading into the Memorial Day weekend, the day before Independence Day, the Friday before Labor Day, Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve.