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Let MTA Railroads Drive You to the New York Auto Show

Long Island Rail Road and Metro-North Railroad Offer Discount Packages

The Long Island Rail Road and Metro-North Railroad are offering discount travel packages to the 2011 New York International Auto Show. Attendees can save up to 30% on admission and rail fare. Come to the show to see some of the hottest cars and trucks ever displayed under one roof. You'll see more sneak peeks, more brand new '11 and '12 production models and more concept vehicles than ever before. It's fun for the whole family!

The Auto Show hours are as follows:

- Sneak Preview Day, Friday, April 22: 10 AM - 10 PM
- Opening Day, Saturday, April 23: 10 AM - 10 PM
- Monday, April 25 through Saturday, April 30: 10 AM - 10 PM
- Sundays, April 24 and May 1: 10 AM - 7 PM

For more information about the Auto Show, visit www.autoshowny.com.

MTA Long Island Rail Road

Adults traveling from Fare Zones 1 through 10 (Medford, Patchogue, Port Jefferson and all points west) pay just \$26 for round-trip rail fare and admission to the Auto Show. Adults from Fare Zones 12 and 14 (Bellport, Yaphank and all points east) pay just \$37 for the package. For children aged 5 to 11, the package from any zone is just \$4. Seniors 65 and older should check current regular admission and rail fare and compare with adult package price.

LIRR Auto Show package tickets must be purchased in advance at a LIRR ticket office or full service ticket machine. Tickets are good on trains arriving in Penn Station weekdays after 9:30 AM and returning up to 4 AM the following day, or anytime weekends.

LIRR commuters can save \$3 off the regular \$14 Auto Show admission by presenting a discount coupon at the Auto Show box office, along with your regular monthly or weekly ticket. Discount coupons are available at the Penn Station ticket office.

Getting to the Auto Show from Penn Station: On foot, the Javits Center is a four-block walk from Penn Station. Or, catch the westbound M34 bus at 34th Street and Seventh Avenue or 34th Street and Eighth Avenue, and ride it to 34th Street and Eleventh Avenue.

For additional information, customers can contact the LIRR's Travel Information Center at 718-217-5477 (718-217-LIRR). If you are deaf or hard of hearing, use your preferred relay service provider or the free 711 relay to reach LIRR at 718-217-5477. Customers can also consult the LIRR's website at www.mta.info/lirr.

MTA Metro-North Railroad

The package includes a discounted round-trip rail fare from your boarding station and discounted admission to the Auto Show. While the price for rail fare will depend on how far you travel, admission to the Auto Show is as follows:

- Adults and seniors: \$11.
- Children aged 4 through 12: \$2.50.
- Children under 4: free.

Metro-North Auto Show package tickets must be purchased before boarding the train at a Metro-North ticket office or full service ticket machine in your local station. Tickets are good on trains arriving in Grand Central weekdays after 9:30 AM and returning up to 4 AM the following day, or anytime weekends.

Metro-North commuters who hold monthly tickets and wish to purchase the discounted Auto Show admission must do so at any Metro-North ticket office or full service ticket machines (excluding Grand Central Terminal). The Auto Show will not honor requests for discounts at the door by those presenting your rail pass.

Getting to the Auto Show from Grand Central: By bus, catch the M42 westbound to 42nd Street and Eleventh Avenue. From there, the walk is just a few short blocks to the Javits Center.

For more information, call 212-532-4900. The hearing impaired can call (via teleprinter) 212-340-3987. Or, visit the Metro-North website at www.mta.info/mnr.