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Midday Weekday Ronkonkoma Branch Service Returns to Normal on Monday, August 13 with Completion Track Tie Replacement Project

Trains Will Again Stop at Wyandanch, Deer Park, Brentwood and Central Islip and Ronkonkoma

The MTA Long Island Rail Road's work replacing wooden ties on the Ronkonkoma Branch during the midday on weekdays between Farmingdale and Ronkonkoma is complete and regular midday weekday train service will return on Monday, August 13, 2012.

Since July 23, buses have been transporting customers between 9 AM and 3 PM while the track work was carried out as part of a scheduled maintenance program that will help ensure greater service reliability and smoother, more comfortable ride for customers. Train service will resume on Monday at Farmingdale, Wyandanch, Deer Park, Brentwood, Central Islip and Ronkonkoma.

The six eastbound trains returning to regular service are those departing Penn Station for Ronkonkoma at 8:14 AM, 9:14 AM, 10:14 AM, 11:14 AM, 12:14 PM and 1:14 PM. The six westbound trains returning to regular service are those departing Ronkonkoma for New York at 9:41 AM, 10:41 AM, 11:41 AM, 12:41 PM, 1:41 PM and 2:41 PM.

For More Information

Ronkonkoma Branch customers can pick up a copy of the branch schedule that runs through September 3, 2012 at the LIRR's major terminals and at Ronkonkoma Branch line stations or consult the [LIRR Schedules and Fares page](#) on our website at www.mta.info/lirr. Customers can also call 511, the New York State Travel Information Line and say "Long Island Rail Road." If you are deaf or hard of hearing, use your preferred relay service provider on the free 711 relay to reach the LIRR at 511. For the most up-to-date information on train service, [sign up for LIRR E-alerts and text messages](#) at www.mymtaalerts.com.