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Ride Metro-North to Norwalk Seaport Oyster Festival on September 9, 10 & 11

Festivities Include Harbor Tours, Oyster Pavilion, Crafts, Music, Rides and More!

There's something for everyone at the 39th annual Norwalk Seaport Oyster Festival taking place at Veteran's Park on the charming Norwalk Harbor on September 9, 10 and 11. Riding Metro-North is an economical and easy way to join the fun. Customers can take a Metro-North New Haven Line train to the South Norwalk station and connect with a free shuttle to the Festival. For customers who'd prefer to hoof it, the event venue is just a 15 minute walk from the South Norwalk station. Festival hours are: Friday, 6 p.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday, 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. and Sunday, 11 a.m. to 8 p.m.

The Metro-North package includes discount round-trip rail fare, admission to the Oyster Festival and shuttle bus service from the South Norwalk Station to and from the Festival.

- Package price from Grand Central Terminal/Harlem-125th Street: adults, \$27; seniors, persons with disabilities and individuals receiving Medicare, \$21; children 12, \$22; children 5-11, \$5; children under 5, free

- Package price from other stations: check online for price from your boarding station

Purchase your rail/admission ticket from any Metro-North ticket office, full-service ticket vending machine (excluding South Norwalk station).

Don't miss out on a great day of entertainment. Enjoy performances by headline musical acts, including Sawyer Fredericks, winner of the 8th season of NBC's "The Voice." This family-friendly event features tours of historic Norwalk Harbor, maritime displays, a children's activity area, amusement rides and a food court. Stroll through the Festival's "New England Village" area and discover a diverse array of interactive displays, demonstrations and exhibits to interest all ages.

Fine artists and crafters have been an integral part of the Norwalk Seaport Association Oyster Festival from its beginning 39 years ago. Juried artists and crafters from throughout the United States will be displaying and selling their work.

Smart shoppers and savvy collectors can find thousands of creative and practical items that appeal to all tastes, budgets and ages: jewelry in all mediums, decorative and usable pottery, woodcrafts, furniture, oil paintings, sculpture and photography, clothing, fabric accessories and wearable art and home decor items.

To learn more about Metro-North's getaway deal to the Norwalk Oyster Festival, please visit:
http://web.mta.info/mnr/html/getaways/outbound_oyster_fest.htm

For more information about the Norwalk Oyster Festival call 203-838-9444 or visit www.seaport.org

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