

The Metropolitan Transportation Authority (MTA) today announced the return of Long Island Railroad (LIRR) and Metro-North Railroad “Summer Saturday

Between Saturday, July 6, and Saturday, August 31, Long Island Railroad and Metro-North Railroad will honor all monthly tickets for travel to and from all LIRR and Metro-North stations during weekends, regardless of what stations are printed on the ticket. Monthly ticket holders traveling Saturdays will be able to bring up to two additional travelers for only \$1 per person each way.

There will be no cross-honoring of these discounted tickets between the railroads, meaning LIRR customers cannot use their monthly tickets to travel on Metro-North, and vice versa. Three Montauk Branch LIRR trains and one Ronkonkoma train and its Greenport connection are exempt from the program: the 7:13 a.m., 8:13 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. trains from Jamaica to Montauk, the 7:58 a.m. train from Grand Central Madison to Ronkonkoma and its connection, the 9:27 a.m. train from Ronkonkoma to Greenport.