

THINGS TO DO ON LONG ISLAND & IN NYC
WEDNESDAY JUNE 10, 2009

On Long Island

FIRE ISLAND BEACHES

www.fire-island.info/Fire-Island-Attractions.php

Heckscher State Park, East Islip, 631-581-2100, <http://www.nysparks.state.ny.us/parks/info.asp?parkID=153>

Parking \$6.00, no charge after 4:00 p.m., open until about 8:00 p.m.

Jones Beach, Wantagh, 516-785-1600, <http://www.nysparks.state.ny.us/parks/info.asp?parkID=46>

Parking \$8, open sunrise to sunset

Robert Moses, Babylon, 631-669-0470, <http://www.nysparks.state.ny.us/parks/info.asp?parkID=45>

Parking \$8, open sunrise to sunset

Smith's Point, William Floyd Pkwy, Shirley, 631-854-4949, www.suffolkcountyny.gov

Parking \$12, open until dusk

KAYAK AND CANOE RENTALS

(It is not necessary, but advisable to make reservations at least the day before.)

Kayak or canoe the Nissequogue River

[*Depart from Smithtown, junction of Route 25 & 25A at the Paul T. Given Park (diagonally across from the Smithtown Bull, south side of rte 25). Trip duration about 2-1/2 hours. For June 10th the launch time is between 2 and 3 p.m. since the river flows with tidal direction of the L.I. Sound:

***Nissequogue River Canoe and Kayak Rentals**

www.canoerentals.com, 631-979-8244

kayaks single \$50, double \$60 (\$5. discount on each of 5 or more rentals), canoes hold up to 3 people.

***Bob's Canoe Rentals (Nissequogue River)**

www.canoerentalslongisland.com, 631-269-9761

kayaks single \$50, double \$60, canoes \$50

Setauket Harbor Canoe and Kayak (launch at E. Setauket Harbor, paddle to Port Jefferson)

30 Shore Rd, East Setauket, 631-751-2706

kayak rentals only single \$43.45, double \$52.14

MUSEUMS & ARBORETUMS

Bayard Cutting Arboretum

www.nysparks.state.ny.us/parks/info.asp?parkID=43

Oakdale, 631-581-1002

Tu-Sun 8:00-4:00

Fee \$6.00 per car

20 Sagamore Hill Rd

Oyster Bay, NY 11771

(516) 922-4788

Admission (adults \$5.00) to the Roosevelt home is by guided tour only. Tours are limited to 14 people. Tickets are offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Tours are on the hour starting 10 a.m., last tour starts at 4:00 p.m.

Planting Fields Arboretum State Historic Park

www.nysparks.state.ny.us/sites/info.asp?siteID=33

Oyster Bay, 516-922-9200

Fee \$6. per car, daily 9-5 (greenhouse until 4)

(Plus tour **Coe Hall** the Gold Coast estate of the W.R. Coe family daily until 3:30, \$5)

Vanderbilt Museum

<http://www.vanderbiltmuseum.org>

180 Little Neck Road

Centerport, 11721

noon – 5:00 p.m., adults \$7.00

(**Planetarium** open Friday evenings and weekends)

Sagamore Hill (National Historical Site Theodore Roosevelt's home) www.nps.gov

WINERIES

THIS IS A LISTING OF JUST A FEW OF THE OVER 30 WINERIES (AND 50 VINEYARDS) LOCATED ON LONG ISLAND'S EAST END (NORTH FORK--ORIENT POINT, SOUTH FORK--MONTAUK POINT). THE WINERIES ARE OPEN DAILY FOR WINE TASTINGS FROM 11:00 AM UNTIL 5:00 OR 6:00. VINEYARDS TOURS ARE LIMITED. CALL FOR INFORMATION OR VISIT [HTTP://WWW.LIWINES.COM/DEFAULT.IHTML?PAGE=VINEYARDS](http://WWW.LIWINES.COM/DEFAULT.IHTML?PAGE=VINEYARDS)

Duck Walk North

44535 Main Road, Southold, 11971

631-765-3500

Duck Walk South (tours on weekends)

231 Montauk Highway (Rt 27), Water Mill, 11976

631- 726-7555 x4

Martha Clara Vineyards (tours on weekend)

6025 Sound Ave, Riverhead, 11901
631-298-0075

Pindar Vineyards (tours 2:00 p.m.)

Main Road (Rt 25), Peconic 11958
631-734-6200

Osprey's Dominion Vineyard

44075 Main Road (Rt 25), Peconic, 11958
631-765-6188

Raphael (tours daily, but call, preferably day prior)

39390 Main Road (Rt 25), Peconic, 11958
631-765-1100

OTHER LI ATTRACTIONS**Atlantis Marine World**

<http://atlantismarineworld.com/visitor.html>
431 East Main Street
Riverhead, 11901, 631-208-9200
10 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Adult admission \$21

Montauk, NY

Phone: 631-668-2544
Website: www.montauklighthouse.com
10:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Adults \$8.50

Long Island Ducks (LI's minor league baseball team)

www.liducks.com
CITIBANK PARK, 3 Court House Dr.
Central Islip, 11722, 631-940-DUCK
Tickets are about \$10-\$11 each, and every seat is a good seat!

Port Jefferson Village

Just hang around Port Jefferson Village. Take a walk on the beach, or shop and dine at the many shops and restaurants. Or relax aboard the **Bridgeport-Port Jefferson Ferry**—from Port Jeff take a round trip ride to Bridgeport, CT (do not disembark). For information call 631-473-0286 or visit www.bpjferry.com/contact.shtml. Walk-on passenger ticket \$14

Fire Island Lighthouse

Robert Moses State Park
Website: www.fireislandlighthouse.com
Phone: 631-661-4876
9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. \$6 adults, \$4 children

Tanger Outlets

(retail shopping outlets) Mon-Sat 9-9, Sun 9-8

1770 West Main Street, Riverhead, 11901
152 The Arches Circle, Deer Park, 11729

Montauk Light House

In New York City

MAJOR NYC ATTRACTIONS

<http://www.nyc.gov> (visitors info)

Bronx Zoo, www.bronxzo.com/

Central Park, www.centralparknyc.org

Empire State Building, www.esbnyc.com

5th Ave @ 34th St
Open daily 365 days a year.
8:00AM to 1:00AM . Last elevators go up at 12:15AM.
Prices from \$18.00
212.736.3100.

Jazz Clubs

Village Vanguard, www.villagevanguard.com
Blue Note, www.bluenotejazz.com/newyork/index.shtml
Jazz Standard, <http://www.jazzstandard.net/>

South Street Seaport

<http://www.southstreetseaport.com/html/>

Statue of Liberty, www.nps.gov/stli/

and **Ellis Island**, www.nps.gov/elis/
8:30am - 6:15 pm. The first ferries to Liberty Island and Ellis Island will depart at 8:30 AM. The last boat off of Liberty Island is at 6:15, from Ellis Island at 6:30. If you wish to visit both island's, we strongly suggest arriving on a ferry leaving mainland by 1PM.

There is no entrance fee to enter the Statue of Liberty or Ellis Island. Ferry fees: adult \$12.00, Children \$5.

MUSEUMS

American Museums of Natural History <http://www.amnh.org/>

Guggenheim, www.guggenheim.org/

Madame Tussauds Wax Museum, www.madametussauds.com/NewYork

Metropolitan Museum of Art, <http://www.metmuseum.org/>

MoMA Museum of Modern Art, www.moma.org

See the "Beyond the Brook" website for more things to do on Long Island and in NYC
<http://studentaffairs.stonybrook.edu/beyond/longisland.shtml>