



Don't miss this exclusive Mass Bay RRE steam photo special!

'VALLEY STEAM EXTRAVAGANZA' on Connecticut's Valley Railroad



A Double-Headed Photo Event and Tour of the Line with 2-8-2 Steam Locomotives Nos. 3025 & 40!

Sunday, October 28, 2018 ONLY!!

Join Mass Bay Railroad Enthusiasts for specially-chartered train excursion on Connecticut's Valley Railroad, featuring "double-headed" steam power with 2-8-2 New Haven 3025 and 2-8-2 No. 40 (Alco-Brooks, 1920).

We'll depart from the Valley RR's Essex, CT station at 10:00 AM and head south to Old Saybrook, where the Valley connects with Amtrak's Northeast Corridor. We'll stop for the first photo runby of the day on the way back to Essex, where a cookout lunch and shop tours await.

Following the lunch break, we'll reboard our special train for a trip north along the scenic Connecticut River to the end of operable track - newly extended approximately one mile for 2018! Along the way we'll stop at Deep River, where 2-8-0 locomotive 97 (Alco-Cooke, 1926), freshly returned to operating condition this fall, will await our arrival. We'll pose 97 with our train for a unique photo opportunity featuring all three of the Valley Railroad's steam locomotives! Additional photo stops may be scheduled before our train returns to Essex around 4:30 PM.



2-8-2 New Haven 3025 (Photo by Doug Scott)



2-8-2 No. 40. (Friends of the Valley RR)

The Boston Connection Package

Sit back and leave the driving to us! Our connecting motorcoach package offers a guaranteed connection with our 'Valley Steam Extravaganza' at Essex, Connecticut. Our restroom equipped motorcoach will leave Boston's South Station at 7:00 AM, the Riverside MBTA station at 7:20 AM and the Millbury Park & Ride (MassPike Exit 10A) at 7:50 AM. Return to South Station scheduled for 7:00 PM. Note: The Boston Connection Package requires a minimum of 25 passengers to operate.

Seating for this excursion is unreserved, in the Valley Railroad's vintage coaches. There will be no snack or beverage service aboard the train. A cookout lunch (hamburgers, cheeseburgers, hot dogs, chips, brownie & beverages) and a shop tour are included with all train tickets.

This trip operates ONE DAY ONLY, rain or shine. All sales are final and tickets are not refundable. Tickets will be mailed to you about 10 days prior to the trip; we will send driving

directions to the departure point in Essex with your tickets. Please notify us if special accommodations (handicap seating, etc.) are required.

For more information about this event, call us at 978-470-2066, or send e-mail to: trips@massbayrre.org. Mass Bay RRE is a non-profit [501(c)(3)] Massachusetts educational corporation; we have sponsored train excursions throughout New England since 1934.

→ → → Order tickets on line at: www.massbayrre.org ← ← ←

Mail your ticket order for the 'Valley Steam Extravaganza' to: Mass Bay RRE, Box 4245, Andover, MA 01810.

Make checks payable to 'Mass Bay RRE.' Phone orders accepted with Visa, MasterCard, Discover or Amex at 978-470-2066.

(WEB) Please send tickets for Mass Bay RRE's 'Valley Steam Extravaganza' as follows:

Name: _____

Additional Names: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Telephone: _____

Email: _____

Check here if you are a member of Mass Bay RRE*

Member No.: _____ (From membership card)

Payment information: Check enclosed Credit card

MasterCard Visa Discover Amex

Expiration Date: _____ / _____ CVC Code: _____

Signature: _____

Credit card billing address if different from above: _____ ZIP: _____

Where did you first learn about this trip? Please be as specific as possible: _____

OPTION A - 'Valley Steam' Train-only: Includes unreserved train coach seat, cookout lunch & shop tours ONLY.

_____ Mass Bay RRE Member Train-only @ \$69* \$ _____

_____ Non-member Train-only @ \$79 \$ _____

_____ Youth (Age 18 & under) Train-only @ \$49 \$ _____

OPTION B - 'Valley Steam' Boston Connection Package: Includes unreserved train coach seat, cookout lunch, shop tours & round-trip motorcoach transportation from South Station, Riverside or Millbury.

_____ Mass Bay RRE Member Package @ \$119* \$ _____

_____ Non-member Package @ \$129 \$ _____

_____ Youth (Age 18 & under) Package @ \$99 \$ _____

Boarding Location: South Station (7:00 AM)

Riverside MBTA (7:20 AM) Millbury Park & Ride (7:50 AM)

TOTAL \$ _____

*Must be current Mass Bay RRE member for reduced fare!