



# Port Jervis Fantrip

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Saturday, November 8th, 2014



## **A Scenic Autumn Ride to Metro North's Westernmost Terminal and the Historic Erie Depot**

The Electric Railroaders' Association is pleased to announce our railfan trip for 2014. On November 8<sup>th</sup>, we will take a scenic Metro-North Railroad ride to Port Jervis, New York. The ride from Seacaucus Junction will take our group through the brilliant autumn scenery of New Jersey and New York and bring us to the City of Port Jervis. Port Jervis neighbors the point where New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey meet and was a port on the former Delaware and Hudson Canal.

We will be able to explore some of the fascinating rail heritage of this city. Most notably we will see the working Port Jervis roundhouse turntable, car shops and yard, and the original station, Erie Depot. The depot was built by Grattan & Jennings in the Queen Anne style in 1892. Although it was nearly torn down in the 1970s, it has since been listed on the National Register of Historic Places and is now restored to its original grandeur.

We will have lunch at the Historic Erie Hotel adjacent to the preserved station. Participants will be able to order a variety of lunch choices and lunch will include soft drinks and coffee.

**Times:** Meet at the foot of the escalators in the Penn Station concourse at the 31st Street/8th Avenue end at 8:45 AM. Or Meet at the Main Line/Bergen County Line platform of the Secaucus Jct. station at 9:25 AM. You will need to mark your desired boarding location on the form below. Return time in New York City or Secaucus will be before 6 PM.

**Ticket Price: \$69 Per Person (\$49 seniors 62 years old and over)**

The ticket price is for the train ride and lunch.

