



Enjoy Autumn in Southern New England Aboard Mass Bay RRE's
'FALL CIRCLE TOUR'
on the Providence & Worcester Railroad
Worcester - Providence - Cranston - Davisville - Groton, CT - Norwich - Plainfield - Putnam - Worcester

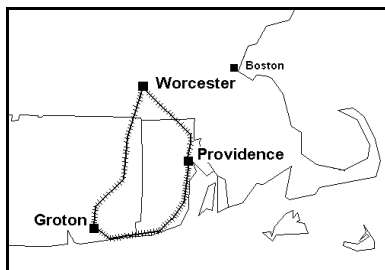
Saturday, October 13 2007 ONLY!!

Join Mass Bay RRE for a special all-day rail outing on the Providence & Worcester Railroad and Amtrak's Northeast Corridor. Our **P&W 'FALL CIRCLE TOUR'** will follow a unique routing that includes the Blackstone River Valley, the scenic seascapes of the Connecticut shoreline, the Thames River, and some *very rare* mileage around Providence.

Our special train leaves at 8:30 AM from the P&W's operating headquarters on Hammond Street in Worcester, MA. We'll first travel down the P&W's main line through Woonsocket to Providence, RI. At Cranston we'll back down the 1.2-mile long Harbor Industrial Track, and then run to Davisville on (we expect) the new 'Third Track' paralleling the Amtrak main line. After another short rare mileage jaunt on former US Navy trackage, we'll head west on the Northeast Corridor to Groton, CT, passing through some of the most scenic coastal portions of this route. At Groton we'll turn onto the P&W's main line for the trip along the Thames River to Norwich. We'll pass through the mill towns of Plainfield and Putnam before returning to Worcester by approximately 5:30 PM. Due to this very ambitious schedule, limited photo stops will be offered *only* if schedule and operating conditions permit.



Dave Brown photo



Our train will consist of the P&W's excursion fleet of refurbished former Amtrak passenger equipment. In addition to coach seating, Deluxe Seating (including swivel or lounge chairs) is available in the parlor car "Massachusetts" and the observation car "New Englander". The Deluxe Seating Fare includes complimentary light snack and beverage service throughout the trip. Two compartments for families or larger groups are also available (inquire for special compartment pricing). Train capacity is limited! We will assign seats by car only and will reserve blocks of seats for groups of four or more; passengers wishing to sit together should order tickets at the same time. Box lunches, catered by Gerard's of Dorchester, are available for advance purchase, or you may bring your own food. Also, the snack counter in the dining car will offer hamburgers, hot dogs, chips and beverages during our trip.

The **P&W 'FALL CIRCLE TOUR'** operates ONE DAY ONLY, rain or shine. Sorry, we cannot honor passes or issue vendor permits. All sales are final and tickets are not refundable. Alcoholic beverages or smoking will not be permitted aboard this train. Tickets will be mailed to you in late September; we will send driving directions to the departure point in Worcester with your tickets. Special discounted fares are available for Mass Bay RRE members only.

We will run a connecting van to Worcester from Boston, leaving South Station at 7:00 AM and the Riverside MBTA station at 7:15 AM; fare \$25 (limited capacity).

Additional information about this trip may be found on our web site, www.massbayrre.org. If more information is required before ordering, contact Mass Bay RRE at Box 4245-BV, Andover, MA 01810; call or fax us at 978-470-2066, or send e-mail to: massbayrre@comcast.net. Mass Bay RRE is a non-profit 501(c)(3) Massachusetts educational & historical corporation.

(ARS) **Please send me tickets for Mass Bay RRE's P&W 'FALL CIRCLE TOUR' on October 13, 2007:**

Name: _____ Adult Coach MBRRE Member Fare @ \$69* \$ _____
 Address: _____ Adult Coach Non-Member Fare @ \$75 \$ _____
 _____ Child (12 & under) Coach Fare @ \$39 \$ _____
 City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____ Deluxe Seating MBRRE Member Fare @ \$109* . \$ _____
 Telephone: _____ Deluxe Seating Non-Member Fare @ \$119 \$ _____
 E-Mail: _____ Gerard's Box Lunch @ \$11 \$ _____
 Check here if you are a member of Mass Bay RRE Boston Connecting Van @ \$25 \$ _____
 * Member Fares are available to current MBRRE members only. **TOTAL \$ _____**

Van Boarding Location: South Station Riverside MBTA Sta.

Payment information: Check enclosed Please charge my credit card: MasterCard Visa
 Card Number : _____ Exp. Date: ____ / ____ / ____
 Signature: _____ Card Security Code: _____ (on back of card)
 Credit card billing address if different from above: _____ ZIP: _____

**Mail your ticket order for the P&W 'FALL CIRCLE TOUR' to:
 Mass Bay RRE, Box 4245-BV, Andover, MA 01810.
 Please include a self-addressed, stamped business-size envelope with your order!
 Make checks payable to 'Mass Bay RRE'**