

Weekend Fare Information

Metra operates on a fare zone structure, with distance-based fares. Metra also offers a \$10 Weekend Pass, which is good on all Metra trips on Saturday and Sunday of the same weekend, regardless of fare zone or line traveled.

Zones on the Milwaukee West line range from Zone A to H.

For monthly ticket holders, Metra offers incremental fares available from conductors onboard the train if you are traveling beyond the zones on your monthly ticket. Paying incremental fares may be cheaper than paying for a weekend pass. The table below lists the incremental costs for each trip to each zone beyond a monthly ticket's zone pair. For instance, a Zone A-C monthly ticket holder heading to Zone E could purchase a \$1.50 incremental ticket from a conductor instead of a full \$6.75 A-E one-way ticket or a \$5.50 C-E one-way ticket.

ZONES TRAVELED	ONE-WAY	ROUND TRIP	INCREMENTAL
1 Zone	\$4.00	\$8.00	+\$1.00
2 Zones	\$4.25	\$8.50	+\$1.50
3 Zones	\$5.50	\$10.00	+\$2.00
4 Zones	\$6.25	\$10.00	+\$2.50
5 Zones	\$6.75	\$10.00	+\$3.00
6 Zones	\$7.25	\$10.00	+\$3.50
7 Zones	\$7.75	\$10.00	+\$4.00
8 Zones	\$8.25	\$10.00	+\$4.50

Planning a Train Crawl

A train crawl is a great way to get out and explore the suburbs in a fun, relaxed setting. A little foresight and planning will go a long way to ensuring you and your group have a great day riding the rails. This travel guide is specially designed to help you schedule your crawl so you can get the most out of your event.

First and foremost, plan a "home base" station to start and end from. This way you and your guests can more easily plan ahead to determine the logistics of how to get home at the end of the night.

Next, determine what kinds of places you'd like to stop at and how long you'd like to spend at each location. The Yard Social Club recommends low-key, more casual establishments where guests will feel comfortable walking around and mingling. We recommend scheduling around the "sweet spot" of 60-90 minutes per location, but obviously the train schedule will require some flexibility. Don't forget to include time to get back to the station before the next train comes, including additional time to cross the tracks if needed. On the Milwaukee West, inbound trains usually run on the south track and outbound trains usually run on the north track. Build some flexibility in your schedule in case unforeseen delays occur, either due to your group, or slight delays on Metra's end.

Riding the Train

Please drink responsibly

Plan ahead: take transit, call a cab, or designate a driver

The Yard Social Club strongly recommends using transit to get to and from your train crawl. Do not drink and drive.

When you get to your first station, check and see if a station agent is on duty. If so, head into the station to purchase your tickets. If there is no station agent on duty, a conductor onboard the train will sell you one-way tickets or Weekend Passes if you're paying with cash. If you'd like to pay with a credit card, download the Ventra smartphone app and use the app to purchase your ticket. (Remember to keep your phone charged throughout the day - conductors will visually verify your ticket onboard later trains.) The Ventra app also gives live, real-time updates on train schedules throughout the day, which makes it a very useful application to refer to throughout the day.

On most weekends, Metra allows passengers over 21 to bring alcohol onboard the train. Please remember to clean up after yourselves - each train car has trash cans available. On some weekends, alcohol is prohibited due to large crowds. Check metrail.com before your event to see if alcohol is not allowed on your travel day. Remember to keep an eye on the clock, and enjoy your day exploring Chicago and the suburbs!

Connecting Transit Service

Direct: Milwaukee North, BNSF Railway, SouthWest Service, CTA Buses, 7 130 124 125 151

Nearby: Union Pacific North, Union Pacific Northwest, Union Pacific West, CTA Blue Line, CTA Loop Trains

Metra Transfers are included in Metra's \$10 Weekend Pass. Transfers between Metra and CTA or Pace require an additional fare.

Chicago Union Station: #49-Western, #65-Grand, Milwaukee North, Western Ave.

Galewood: #65-Grand, #74-Fullerton, #90-Harlem, Mont Clare

Elmwood Park: #307, #319

River Grove: #331

Franklin Park

Bensenville

Wood Dale

Itasca

Medinah

Roselle

Schaumburg: #554

Hanover Park

Bartlett

National St.

Elgin: #541, #542, #543, #546, #547, #548, #549, #552, #554, #603, #801

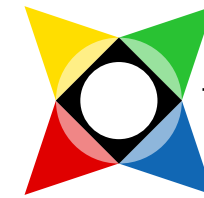
Sunday/Holiday Schedule

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8:39 ▼	8:59 ▲	10:39 ▼	10:59 ▲	12:39 ▼	12:59 ▲	2:39 ▼	2:59 ▲	4:39 ▼	4:59 ▲	6:49 ▼	6:59 ▲	8:49 ▼	9:12 ▲	10:49 ▼	11:12 ▲	12:49 ▼
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Bolded times indicate p.m. - No weekend service to Grand/Cicero, Hanson Park, Mars, Mannheim, or Big Timber Road.

Inbound train 2700, which operates on Saturdays and Sundays and departs Elgin at 5:55am, is not shown.

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Guide to Suburban Chicago

Weekend

COMMUTER RAIL SERVICE



Milwaukee West

UNION STATION
to
ELGIN
via

WESTERN AVE. GALEWOOD
MONT CLARE ELMWOOD PARK
RIVER GROVE FRANKLIN PARK
BENSenville WOOD DALE
ITASCA MEDINAH
ROSELLE SCHAUMBURG
HANOVER PARK BARTLETT
and NATIONAL ST.

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Milwaukee West Weekend v2.2 - March 2019



Milwaukee West Travel Guide

March 2019 Update

These are not official timetables. Schedules are subject to change. For the most up-to-date train arrival information, use the Ventra smartphone app. See other side for additional information.

Map Legend

- Station Stop
- No weekend service
- Direct transfer to rail transit
- Indirect transfer to rail transit
- Transfer to CTA bus
- Transfer to Pace bus
- Pedestrian under/overpass at this station
- Yard Social favorite
- Cash only establishment
- To-go drinks available
- Slashee (Liquor store/Bar)
- 10 min Walking distance from station (allow extra time to cross tracks in case of additional trains)

OUTBOUND TRAINS ◀ (NORTH SIDE OF TRACKS)

- Chicago Union Station**
 - ◆◆ **The Junction Pub** (Union Station, Mezzanine Level | 2 min)
 - ◆◆ **Dylan's Tavern and Grill** (118 S. Clinton St., Chicago | 5 min)
- Western Avenue**
 - Transfer to Milwaukee North trains and CTA buses
- Grand/Cicero**
 - No weekend service
- Hanson Park**
 - No weekend service
- Galewood**
 - No weekend service
- Mars**
 - No weekend service
- Mont Clare**
 - Transfer to CTA buses
- Elmwood Park**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Stray Cat Tavern**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- River Grove**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Franklin Park**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Mannheim**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Bensenville**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Wood Dale**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Aces Bar and Lounge**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Woody's Sports Bar**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Tomczak's Tap**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Itasca**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Fox and Turtle**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Medinah**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Roselle**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Bulldog Ale House**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Schaumburg**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Boomers Stadium**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Hanover Park**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Bartlett**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- National Street**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Grand Victoria Casino**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Elgin**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Martini Room**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Elgin Public House**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Dog's Paw Brewing**
 - Transfer to Pace buses
- Big Timber Road**
 - No weekend service

(SOUTH SIDE OF TRACKS) ▶ INBOUND TRAINS

- Chicago Union Station**
 - Transfer to Milwaukee North, BNSF Railway, SouthWest Service trains at Union Station
- Western Avenue**
 - Transfer to Milwaukee North trains and CTA buses
- Grand/Cicero**
 - No weekend service
- Hanson Park**
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Fare Zone	Chicago Union Station	7:30	8:12	8:30	9:12	10:12	10:30	11:12	12:12	12:30	1:12	2:30	3:12	3:30	4:30	5:12	5:30	6:40	7:12	8:40	9:24	10:40	11:24	12:40	
A	Western Ave.	7:39	7:59	8:39	8:59	9:59	10:39	10:59	11:59	12:39	12:59	2:39	2:59	3:39	4:39	4:59	5:39	6:49	7:59	8:49	9:12	10:49	11:12	12:49	
B	Galewood	7:48	7:48	8:48	8:48	9:48	10:48	10:48	11:48	12:48	12:48	2:48	2:48	3:48	4:48	4:48	5:48	6:48	6:58	8:58	9:02	10:58	11:02	12:58	
B	Mont Clare	7:46	7:50	8:46	8:50	9:46	10:46	10:50	11:46	12:46	12:50	2:46	2:50	3:50	4:46	4:50	5:50	6:46	7:00	9:00	9:00	11:00	11:00	100	
C	Elmwood Park	7:44	7:52	8:44	8:52	9:44	10:44	10:52	11:44	12:44	12:52	2:44	2:52	3:52	4:44	4:52	5:52	6:44	7:02	8:58	9:02	10:58	11:02	102	
C	River Grove	7:41	7:55	8:41	8:55	9:41	10:41	10:55	11:41	12:41	12:55	2:41	2:55	3:55	4:41	4:55	5:55	6:41	7:05	8:55	9:05	10:55	11:05	105	
C	Franklin Park	7:38	7:59	8:38	8:59	9:38	10:38	10:59	11:38	12:38	12:59	2:38	2:59	3:59	4:38	4:59	5:59	6:38	7:09	8:52	9:09	10:52	11:09	109	
D	Bensenville	7:31	8:04	8:31	9:04	9:31	10:31	11:04	11:31	12:31	104	2:31	3:04	4:04	4:31	5:04	6:04	6:31	7:14	8:46	9:14	10:46	11:14	114	
D	Wood Dale	7:27	8:08	8:27	9:08	9:27	10:27	11:08	11:27	12:27	108	2:27	3:08	4:08	4:27	5:08	6:08	6:27	7:18	8:42	9:18	10:42	11:18	118	
E	Itasca	7:23	8:12	8:23	9:12	9:23	10:23	11:12	11:23	12:23	112	2:23	3:12	4:12	4:23	5:12	6:12	6:23	7:22	8:38	9:22	10:38	11:22	122	
E	Medinah	7:19	8:16	8:19	9:16	9:19	10:19	11:16	11:19	12:19	116	2:19	3:16	4:16	4:19	5:16	6:16	6:19	7:26	8:34	9:26	10:34	11:26	126	
E	Roselle	7:17	8:17	8:18	9:17	9:18	10:17	11:17	11:18	12:17	118	2:17	3:18	4:17	4:18	5:18	6:17	6:18	7:28	8:32	9:28	10:32	11:28	128	
F	Schaumburg	7:12	8:12	8:23	9:12	9:23	10:12	11:12	11:23	12:12	123	2:12	3:23	4:12	4:23	5:23	6:12	6:23	7:33	8:27	9:33	10:27	11:33	133	
F	Hanover Park	7:08	8:08	8:27	9:08	9:27	10:08	11:08	11:27	12:08	127	2:08	3:27	4:08	4:27	5:27	6:08	6:27	7:37	8:23	9:37	10:23	11:37	137	
F	Bartlett	7:05	8:05	8:31	9:05	9:31	10:05	11:05	11:31	12:05	131	2:05	3:31	4:05	4:31	5:31	6:05	6:31	7:41	8:20	9:41	10:20	11:41	141	
H	National St.	6:57	7:57	8:40	8:57	9:40	9:57	10:57	11:40	11:57	140	1:57	3:40	3:57	4:40	5:40	5:57	6:40	7:50	8:12	9:50	10:12	11:50	150	
H	Elgin	6:55	7:55	8:45	8:55	9:45	9:55	10:55	11:45	11:55	145	1:55	3:45	3:55	4:45	5:45	5:55	6:45	7:55	8:10	9:55	10:10	11:55	155	

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