

MAINE STATE FERRY SERVICE



2018 Schedule *MaineDOT*



RATES AND SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE

FRENCHBORO FERRY

"Captain Henry Lee"

between

Bass Harbor and Frenchboro

8-1/4 miles - crossing time 50 minutes

WEDNESDAYS

1st & 3rd Wednesday
of each month (see dates below)

Year Round
-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
2:00 p.m.	3:00 p.m.

2nd, 4th & 5th Wednesday
of each month (see dates below)

Year Round
-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
9:00 a.m.	10:00 a.m.

1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS: 1/3, 1/17, 2/7, 2/21, 3/7, 3/21, 4/4, 4/18, 5/2, 5/16, 6/6, 6/20, 7/4, 7/18, 8/1, 8/15, 9/5, 9/19, 10/3, 10/17, 11/7, 11/21, 12/5, 12/19

2nd, 4th & 5th WEDNESDAYS: 1/10, 1/24, 1/31, 2/14, 2/28, 3/14, 3/28, 4/11, 4/25, 5/9, 5/23, 5/30, 6/13, 6/27, 7/11, 7/25, 8/8, 8/22, 8/29, 9/12, 9/26, 10/10, 10/24, 10/31, 11/14, 11/28, 12/12, 12/26

THURSDAYS

Thursdays

Year Round
-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
12:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
7:30 a.m.*	8:15 a.m.* (only trip on Thanksgiving)

SUNDAYS

Sundays

January 7 thru May 6
October 21 thru December 30

-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
11:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.

Sundays

May 13 thru October 14

-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
12:15 p.m.	1:15 p.m.

FRIDAYS

A passenger-only vessel will operate on the following Fridays:

April 6 thru October 26

-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
8:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
5:15 p.m.	6:00 p.m.

November 2 thru November 23

-DEPARTS-

Bass Harbor	Frenchboro
8:00 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
4:15 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Maine State Ferry Service
P.O. Box 114
Bass Harbor, ME 04653-0114
Tel. (207) 244-3254

ISLESBORO FERRY

"Margaret Chase Smith"

between

Islesboro and Lincolnville

3 miles - crossing time 20 minutes

WINTER SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday
January 1 thru March 24

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
7:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.*
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Sunday
January 7 thru March 25

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday
March 26 thru October 13

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
7:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.†
2:30 p.m.†	3:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Sunday
April 1 thru October 14

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
2:30 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Due to traffic load in summer season, actual departure times may vary significantly from posted schedule. Anticipate delays and plan accordingly. Thank You!

FALL SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday
October 15 thru December 31

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
7:30 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.*
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

Sunday
October 21 thru December 30

-DEPARTS-

Islesboro	Lincolnville
8:30 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
12:30 p.m.	1:00 p.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
3:30 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:00 p.m.

*Vessel departs at 10:30 a.m. on Wednesdays due to refueling.

†Does not operate on Wednesdays

Service will be limited on Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's Day.

Please call the local terminal for schedule.

Maine State Ferry Service
P.O. Box 214, Lincolnville, ME 04849-0214
Tel. (207) 789-5611

Maine State Ferry Service
Islesboro Terminal
Tel. (207) 734-6935

MATINICUS ISLAND FERRY

"M/V Everett Libby"

34 trips between Rockland and Matinicus Island

23 miles - crossing time 2 hours 15 minutes

MONTH	DATE	DAY	LOAD TIME
January	5	Friday	8:00 a.m.
February	19	Monday	8:00 a.m.
March	8	Thursday	10:45 a.m.
March	20	Tuesday	8:15 a.m.
April	3	Tuesday	8:45 a.m.
April	17	Tuesday	8:00 a.m.
April	19	Thursday	9:00 a.m.
May	2	Wednesday	8:45 a.m.
May	4	Friday	10:00 a.m.
May	17	Thursday	8:00 a.m.
May	21	Monday	11:30 a.m.
June	1	Friday	8:45 a.m.
June	15	Friday	8:00 a.m.
June	19	Tuesday	11:30 a.m.
June	29	Friday	8:00 a.m.
July	2	Monday	9:45 a.m.
July	16	Monday	9:30 a.m.
July	18	Wednesday	11:00 a.m.
July	31	Tuesday	9:30 a.m.
August	2	Thursday	10:30 a.m.
August	14	Tuesday	8:45 a.m.
August	16	Thursday	10:30 a.m.
August	29	Wednesday	8:45 a.m.
September	12	Wednesday	8:45 a.m.
September	14	Friday	9:45 a.m.
September	26	Wednesday	8:00 a.m.
September	28	Friday	8:15 a.m.
October	1	Monday	10:30 a.m.
October	12	Friday	8:15 a.m.
October	29	Monday	9:30 a.m.
October	31	Wednesday	11:30 a.m.
November	12	Monday	8:45 a.m.
November	28	Wednesday	9:30 a.m.
December	13	Thursday	9:30 a.m.

1. The schedule is subject to change without notice. Travelers are advised to contact the Rockland terminal office the day before the scheduled trip to confirm the trip is departing as scheduled.

2. ► **Passengers/Vehicles must be in line and ready to board at least 30 minutes prior to loading time.** ◀

3. Please have all necessary paperwork needed for compliance with the Matinicus Vehicle Waste Ordinance completed before arriving. Otherwise passage may be denied.

4. Reservations to Matinicus may be made up to 3 months in advance. The full non-refundable fare must be paid within 7 days of the request or your reservation may be cancelled without notice if space for other vehicles is required.

NORTH HAVEN FERRY

"Captain Neal Burgess"

between

North Haven and Rockland

12-1/2 miles - crossing time 1 hour 10 minutes

DAILY

January 2 thru December 31

-DEPARTS-

North Haven	Rockland
7:30 a.m.	9:30 a.m.†
12:30 p.m.*	2:20 p.m.*
3:45 p.m.*	5:15 p.m.*

*DOES NOT OPERATE ON THANKSGIVING DAY

†Ferry may depart Rockland 10 minutes late on Thursdays due to fueling the vessel.

NO SERVICE ON CHRISTMAS DAY OR NEW YEAR'S DAY

Maine State Ferry Service
P.O. Box 225
North Haven, ME 04853-0225
Tel. (207) 596-5400 - option 3

Maine State Ferry Service
P.O. Box 645
517A Main Street
Rockland, ME 04841-0645
Tel. (207) 596-5400

SWAN'S ISLAND FERRY

"Captain Henry Lee"

between Swan's Island and Bass Harbor
6 miles - crossing time 40 minutes

WINTER SCHEDULE

Mon., Tue., Wed.,[☆] Fri. & Sat.

January 2 thru May 5

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
6:45 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.*
9:45 a.m.*	11:00 a.m.
2:15 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:45 p.m.	4:30 p.m.

Sundays

January 7 thru May 6

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
10:45 a.m.	1:30 p.m.
2:15 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:45 p.m.	4:30 p.m.

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Mon., Tue., Wed.,[☆] Fri. & Sat.

May 7 thru October 13

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
6:45 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.*
9:45 a.m.*	11:00 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:15 p.m.

Sundays

May 13 thru October 14

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
9:45 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
11:30 a.m.	2:15 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:15 p.m.

FALL SCHEDULE

Mon., Tues., Wed.,[☆] Fri. & Sat.

October 15 thru December 31

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
6:45 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.*
9:45 a.m.*	11:00 a.m.
12:45 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
2:15 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:45 p.m.	4:30 p.m.

Sundays

October 21 thru December 30

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.
10:45 a.m.	1:30 p.m.
2:15 p.m.	3:00 p.m.
3:45 p.m.	4:30 p.m.

YEAR ROUND

Thursdays

January 4 thru December 27

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
6:45 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m.	9:00 a.m.**
9:45 a.m.	10:30 a.m.
11:15 a.m.**	2:15 p.m.
3:00 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	5:15 p.m.

1st & 3rd WEDNESDAYS †

January 3 thru December 19

-DEPARTS-

Swan's Island	Bass Harbor
6:45 a.m.	7:30 a.m.
8:15 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
1:15 p.m.	4:00 p.m.
4:45 p.m.	5:30 p.m.

[☆]2nd, 4th, 5th (if applicable) of each month only.
See Wed. schedule for 1st and 3rd Wed. above.

***Does not operate on Wednesdays**

****This trip is primarily used for transport of gasoline every 3rd Thursday (NO PASSENGERS).**
Call for specific scheduling information.

† See Frenchboro schedule for exact dates.

Swan's Island Terminal
Swan's Island, ME 04685
Tel. (207) 526-4273

Maine State Ferry Service
P.O. Box 114
Bass Harbor, ME 04653-0114 Tel. (207) 244-3254

VINALHAVEN FERRY

"Captain Charles Philbrook"
"Captain E. Frank Thompson"

between

Vinalhaven and Rockland

15 miles - crossing time 1 hour 15 minutes

WINTER SCHEDULE

Monday thru Saturday
January 1 thru March 24

-DEPARTS-

Vinalhaven	Rockland
7:00 a.m.*	7:00 a.m.*
8:45 a.m.*	8:45 a.m.*
10:30 a.m.	10:30 a.m.◆
1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m.**
2:45 p.m.*	2:45 p.m.*
4:30 p.m.*	4:30 p.m.*

Sundays
January 7 thru March 25

-DEPARTS-

Vinalhaven	Rockland
7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
8:45 a.m.	8:45 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	1:30 p.m.
3:15 p.m.	3:15 p.m.

***DOES NOT OPERATE ON
NEW YEAR'S DAY**

SUMMER SCHEDULE

Daily

March 26 thru December 31

-DEPARTS-

Vinalhaven	Rockland
7:00 a.m.	7:00 a.m.
8:45 a.m.	8:45 a.m.
10:30 a.m.*	10:30 a.m.* , ◆
1:00 p.m.*	1:00 p.m.* , **
2:45 p.m.*	2:45 p.m.*
4:30 p.m.*	4:30 p.m.*

***DOES NOT OPERATE ON THANKSGIVING DAY**

◆ Ferry departing Rockland may run late on Mondays & Wednesdays due to refueling.

**Ferry departs Rockland at 1:30 p.m. (summer & winter schedule) on Tuesdays due to fueling the vessel.

NO SERVICE ON CHRISTMAS DAY

NOTE: All non-reserved vehicles and trucks leaving Vinalhaven are required to have a LINE NUMBER. Please contact the Vinalhaven Terminal for further information.

Maine State Ferry Service
79 Sands Rd.
Vinalhaven, ME 04863-0191
Tel. (207) 596-5450

Maine State Ferry Service
P.O. Box 645
517A Main Street
Rockland, ME 04841-0645
Tel. (207) 596-5400

GENERAL INFORMATION

Rates and fares are available at all terminals.

Vehicle reservations will not be accepted more than one month in advance of travel date. Payment must include all transportation charges and a non-refundable reservation fee. Requests should be addressed to the terminal from which travel will begin. **ALL vehicles w/driver, including those with reservations, must be in line with tickets and in all respects ready to board (driver in vehicle) fifteen (15) minutes before scheduled departure. Failure to adhere to this policy will result in loss of place in line and forfeiture of reservation and reservation fees, if applicable.** Note: Some terminal locations require vehicles to be in line further in advance of 15 minutes prior to scheduled departure. Please contact the local terminal for specific lineup procedures.

ALL schedule times are actual departure times, not boarding times (15 minutes prior to departure).

Service will be limited on New Year's, Thanksgiving and Christmas. Contact the appropriate terminal for specific schedules on those days.

Disabled Persons: Disabled persons needing assistance boarding or disembarking should notify terminal personnel to assure assistance will be provided.

Pets: Dogs, cats, birds and other pets must be held secure by leash, crate, cage etc.

Methods of Payment: U.S. Currency, Visa, MasterCard, Discover, and in-state checks are accepted. Out-of-state checks cannot be accepted.

REFUNDS

TICKETS SOLD BY THE MAINE STATE FERRY SERVICE HAVE NO EXPIRATION DATE. THEREFORE, NO REFUNDS WILL BE MADE.

General Schedule Information & Daily Operations Update

Tel. 1-800-491-4883

TTY: 1-888-516-9364

(For other routes, call local terminal).

Reach us online at:

<http://www.maine.gov/mdot/msfs/index.htm>

SAMPLE ROUND-TRIP TICKET

First leg of Round Trip
Crew member takes

**Customer
Keeps**

Return leg of Round Trip
Crew member takes

**Customer
Keeps**



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Department of Transportation, Maine State Ferry Service.

PASSENGER SAFETY INFORMATION

Parents or guardians are responsible for the safety and conduct of minor passengers. Children 12 and under **must** be accompanied by a parent or adult guardian.

All passengers should keep well clear of moving vehicles. Passengers should be prepared for possible jolt during docking of the vessel.

Trips may be cancelled due to unsafe weather, sea conditions, or mechanical failure.

Enclosed passenger space aboard the ferry is limited.

Bicycle riders have the same rights and responsibilities as other vehicle operators on the roadways in Maine. No warranty or guarantee is made as to the suitability of the roadway conditions or fitness for bicycling.

PASSENGERS SHOULD BE AWARE THAT THE FERRY VESSELS REMAIN AT THE ISLAND OVERNIGHT WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE CAPT. E. FRANK THOMPSON OPERATING TO VINALHAVEN. THEREFORE, PASSENGERS MISSING THE LAST TRIP WILL BE STRANDED ON THE ISLAND OVERNIGHT.

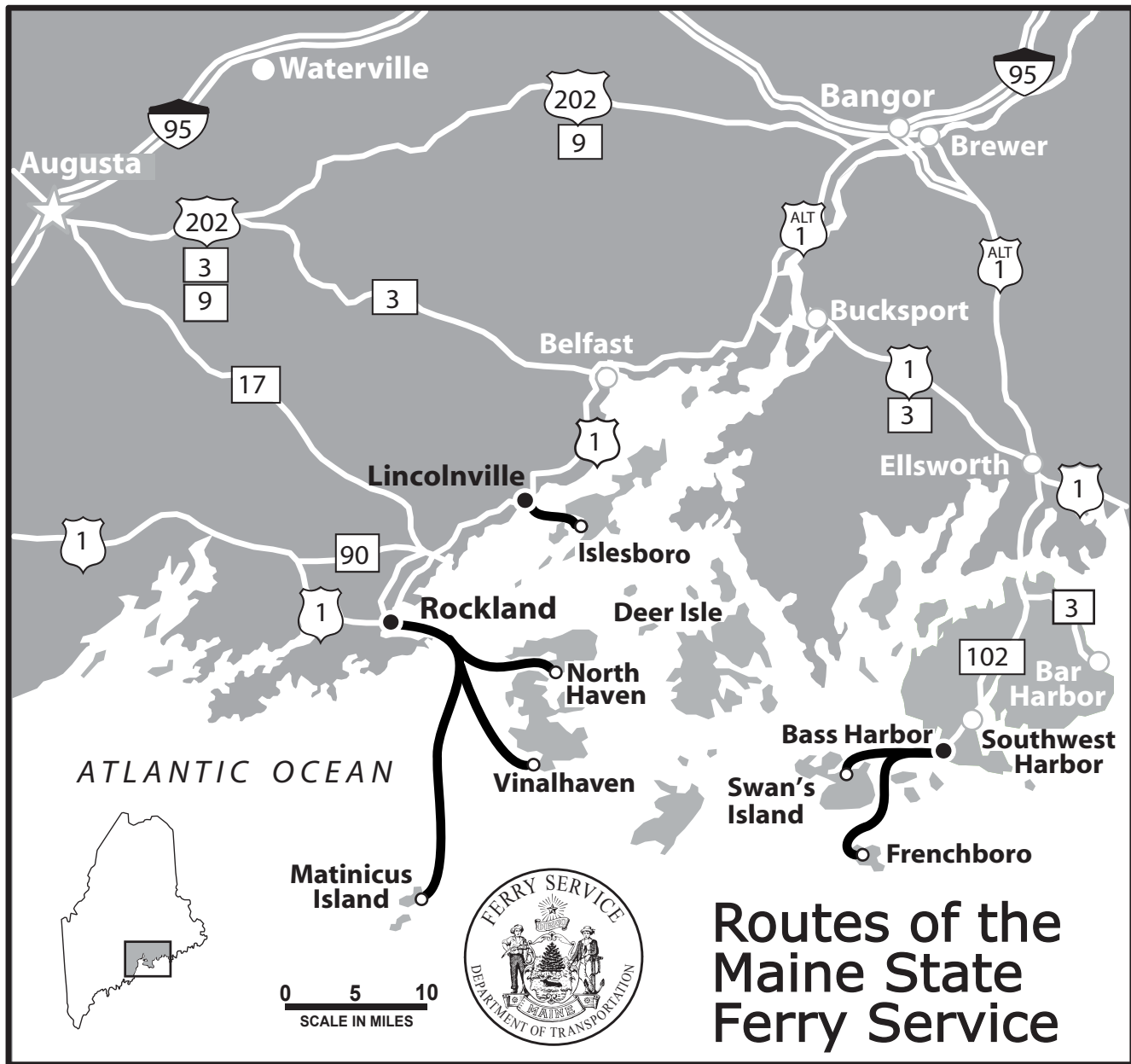
PROHIBITED:

Smoking (including electronic cigarettes and vaporizers) is prohibited on all vessels and in all terminals (including vehicles on the ferry). Consumption of alcoholic beverages is prohibited on all vessels and on all Ferry Service properties (including vehicles on the ferry). Violations may result in loss of transportation privileges.

Cell Phones: The use of cell phones while drivers/vehicles are loading and unloading is prohibited.

**Maine Department of Transportation
Maine State Ferry Service**
P.O. Box 645
517A Main Street
Rockland, ME 04841-0645
Tel. (207) 596-5400

**This information is available in alternate formats at:
www.maine.gov/mdot/msfs/index.htm
or by calling 1-800-491-4883
TTY: 1-888-516-9364**



Routes of the Maine State Ferry Service



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SCALE IN MILES



ATLANTIC OCEAN

YEAR-ROUND MAINLAND ORIGINATED TICKETS

Swan's Island
Vinalhaven and

Passengers	North Haven*	Frenchboro	Islesboro*	Matinicus
Adult RT	\$17.50	\$11.25	\$10.00	\$33.00
Adult OW	n/a	8.25	n/a	22.00
Child RT	8.50	6.25	4.75	17.00
Child OW	n/a	5.25	n/a	11.00

*Round Trip Tickets **only** will be sold at mainland terminals

VEHICLES (w/four tires or less AND overall length of twenty (20) feet or less including cargo AND be one of the following types: Automobile, Station wagon, Motorcycle, Van, Mini-van, Pick up truck, Golf cart, Fork lift, Riding lawn mower, Garden tractor, All terrain vehicle and Electric vehicles.

RT	\$49.50	\$32.25	\$27.50	\$86.00
OW	n/a	26.25	n/a	58.00

*Round Trip Tickets **only** will be sold at mainland terminals

BICYCLES (not including rider)

*Round Trip Tickets **only**
will be sold at mainland terminal

Adult RT	\$16.50	\$17.25	\$8.50	\$20.00
Adult OW	n/a	10.25	n/a	12.00
Child RT	9.50	9.25	5.50	10.00
Child OW	n/a	5.25	n/a	6.00

TRUCKS: vehicles over 20 feet AND more than four tires AND not one of the following vehicle types: Automobile, Station wagon, Motorcycle, Van, Mini van, Pick up truck, Golf cart, Fork lift, Riding lawn mower, Garden tractor, All terrain vehicle, and Electric vehicle.

RT	\$4.00/ft.	\$3.75/ft.	\$2.25/ft.	\$6.75/ft.
OW	n/a	2.75/ft.	n/a	5.50/ft.

*Round Trip Tickets **only** will be sold at mainland terminals

RT = Round Trip

OW = One Way

Children under 5 are afforded free passage.

Children 5 to 11 are charged the Child Fare.

Children 12 and older are charged the Adult Fare.