

Take the OCTA Summer Beach Train to the sun, sand and fun!



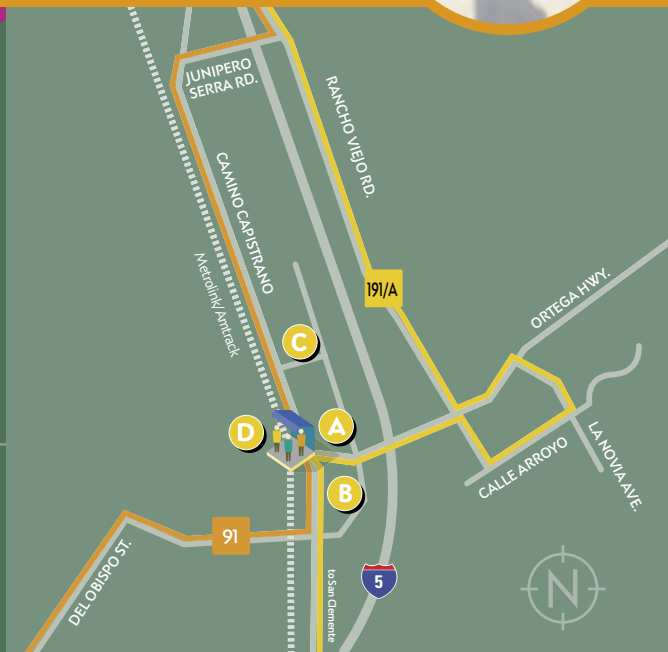
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OCTA Summer Beach Train Stations

- Orange Station**
Directions: From I-5 freeway, exit at Chapman Ave., go east on Chapman to Atchison St.
Free parking
- Santa Ana Station**
Directions: From I-5 freeway, exit at Santa Ana Blvd., go west on Santa Ana.
Free Parking
- Irvine Station**
Directions: From I-5 freeway, exit at Alton Parkway (near Ada St.), go east on Alton to Ada., go north on Ada.
Free parking
- Laguna Niguel/Mission Viejo Station**
Directions: I-5 freeway to Crown Valley Parkway exit, west on Crown Valley to Forbes Rd., south on Forbes Rd. to station.
Free parking
- San Juan Capistrano Station**
Directions: From I-5 freeway, exit at Ortega Hwy., go west on Ortega to Camino Capistrano. Go south on Camino Capistrano to Verdugo St., go west on Verdugo.
Parking for a fee in adjacent structure

San Clemente Station
Directions: I-5 freeway, exit at Avenida Pico. Go west on Avenida Pico to station.
Free parking

Visiting San Juan Capistrano



Key Destinations

- A Mission San Juan Capistrano
- B Shopping District
- C San Juan Capistrano Regional Library
- D Los Rios Historic District

Connecting OCTA Bus Service

- 91
- 191/A



Visiting San Clemente



Key Destinations

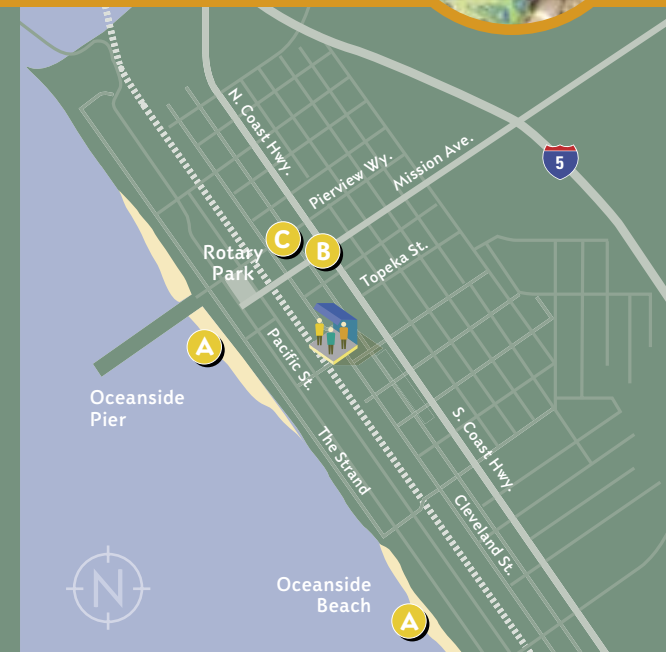
- A Shopping
- B Food/Picnic Areas
- C San Clemente Pier
- D Beaches

Connecting OCTA Bus Service

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Visiting Oceanside



Key Destinations

- A Beaches
- B Local Dining
- C Shopping Area

Flock to San Juan Capistrano

Each year, the swallows make their annual pilgrimage to the most famous mission in California – San Juan Capistrano. This summer, as an OCTA Beach Train rider, you can make a similar journey and enjoy a day of exploring the historic mission, as well as the many shops, antique malls and restaurants that are within easy walking distance from the Metrolink station.

The OCTA Beach Train drops you in the heart of town where you can walk through the Los Rios Historic District.

Or if you're a fan of cool architecture, take a stroll through the community's regional library – designed by award-winning architect Michael Graves.

Getting around town

You can easily explore the town on foot. If you wish to visit the Laguna Hills Mall or The Shops at Mission Viejo, use OCTA bus service and take Route 91 north. Buses leave every 45 minutes. To head south to Dana Point Harbor and down PCH to San Clemente, take route 91 or 191A south; buses operate every 45 minutes.

NOTE: San Juan Capistrano does not have access to the beach. If you plan to spend the day at the beach, please stay on the OCTA Beach Train to San Clemente or Oceanside.

San Clemente...a lot to sea and do

Founded in the early 1920s, San Clemente was created to be the quintessential "Spanish village by the sea." Today, this quiet seacoast town is a frequent vacation destination, with its relaxing pace and picturesque vistas.

The OCTA Beach Train stops twice in San Clemente. Exit at the first stop and you can practically step off the train and onto the sand. Go one stop further and you're at the San Clemente Pier – and close to the heart of town. Enjoy a stroll on the historic pier, or dine at one of the many restaurants in the area. Looking to catch some waves? The beach stretches out on either side of the pier where you can body surf or swim in the blue Pacific.

Getting around town

You can take the shuttle around San Clemente or use OCTA bus service to see Dana Point Harbor and Doheny State Beach.

Shuttles from the San Clemente pier to San Clemente's quaint Village district board every 20 minutes in adjacent Avenida Victoria. OCTA Bus routes 191A and 91 operate hourly between San Juan Capistrano and San Clemente, with stops near Dana Point Harbor, Doheny State Beach and San Clemente Metrolink station. Allow 45 minutes travel time.

Hitting the beach in Oceanside

Visiting the "ocean side" took on a new meaning in the 1880s when Oceanside became the name of a new location for a post office serving the local area.

Oceanside's near-perfect climate invites visitors to play and relax at its 3.5 miles of white sandy beaches. Step back in time by visiting the historic Mission San Luis Rey de Francia, the "King of the Missions", and Heritage Park.

The historic Oceanside Pier is one of the longest wooden piers on the West Coast at its current length of 1,942 feet. From its reach, viewers can peer into the entrance channel of Oceanside Harbor, a marina that is home to more than 900 recreational boats.

Getting around town

The NCTD Transit Center (offering a number of NCTD bus lines) is adjacent to the Oceanside Metrolink station. See posted routes and schedules to access downtown Oceanside and other local areas of interest.



Rules of the rails



ORANGE COUNTY
TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

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Orange County Metrolink Service is brought to you by OCTA and Measure M.



OCTA Summer Beach Train



Getting to the beach is a breeze on the OCTA Summer Beach Train.

Summer weekends should be fun...so why not let the OCTA Beach Train take you to the beach in air-conditioned comfort! Forget hassling with traffic jams and parking.

Starting June 26, the Orange County Transportation Authority (OCTA) is teaming up with the Riverside County Transportation Commission (RCTC) to offer fast and convenient weekend Metrolink train service to the beaches of San Clemente and Oceanside. You can also take the OCTA Beach Train and spend the day in San Juan Capistrano – just for fun.

OCTA Beach Train service is available most weekends between June 26 and October 3, 2004 from the following Orange County Metrolink stations:

<i>Orange</i>	<i>Santa Ana</i>
<i>Irvine</i>	<i>Laguna Niguel/Mission Viejo</i>
<i>San Juan Capistrano</i>	<i>San Clemente</i>

Everything you need to know to have a great time at the beach is in this brochure.

This summer, the fun begins by taking the OCTA Beach Train!



www.octa.net  714-560-5932

Where to purchase OCTA Beach Train tickets

To ride the OCTA Beach Train, you must purchase your tickets in advance. You may purchase individual round trip tickets, or you can enjoy greater savings by purchasing a special season pass to take the OCTA Beach Train on a regular basis. **Tickets will not be sold at the station or on the train!**

Getting your tickets is easy. Choose one of the options below.

Buy a Ticket online:

Visit www.octa.net and click the "Beach Train" button.

Buy a Ticket by Phone:

Call OCTA at (714) 560-5932.

Buy a Ticket at the OCTA Store:

550 South Main Street
Orange, CA 92863

Monday - Friday, 8am-5pm.

Ticket prices

Round Trip Tickets

Adult \$8.00

Child \$5.50 (Ages 2-15)

Season Pass*

Adult \$75
Child \$50

*Good on all Beach Trains. Available online only. Tickets are non-refundable!

Depart (am)	Station	Return (pm)
9:00	Orange	5:37
9:04	Santa Ana	5:33
9:15	Irvine	5:22
9:25	Laguna Niguel/ Mission Viejo	5:19
9:30	San Juan Capistrano	5:09
9:40	San Clemente	5:00
9:45	San Clemente Pier	4:55
10:05	Oceanside	4:30

What surprises await you on the OCTA Beach Train? This summer you'll discover special events and prize drawings at a number of the stops in south Orange County. Below is the OCTA Beach Train schedule and special events happening near the stations!

Saturday 6/26	Drawing: Angels' Train Baseball Tickets
Sunday 6/27	Farmer's Market (SC)
Saturday 7/10	Drawing: Sunday Brunch for two, Thornton Winery, Temecula
Sunday 7/11	Farmer's Market (SC)
Saturday 7/17	Ocean Festival (SC)
Sunday 7/18	Ocean Festival (SC)
Saturday 7/24	Drawing: Angels' Train Baseball Tickets
Sunday 7/25	Farmer's Market (SC)
Saturday 7/31	Drawing: Knott's Berry Farm Tickets
Sunday 8/1	Arts and Crafts Fair (SC)
Saturday 8/7	Drawing: Angels' Train Baseball Tickets
Sunday 8/8	Fiesta Street Festival (SC)
Saturday 8/14	Antique Car Show (SA)
Sunday 8/15	Farmer's Market (SC)
Saturday 8/21	World Body surfing Championships (O)
Sunday 8/22	World Body surfing Championships (O)
Saturday 9/18	Oceanside Harbor Days (O)
Saturday 9/25	Drawing: Mission Inn Restaurant Gift Certificate
Saturday 10/2	Craft Fair (LN)
Sunday 10/3	Seafest & Chowder Festival (SC)

(LN) Laguna Niguel (SA) Santa Ana (O) Oceanside (SC) San Clemente

Beach Train Drawings

Drawings will be held on the return train on specified dates. Ticket stubs will be collected after departure from the San Juan Capistrano Metrolink station, and winners will be announced onboard the train.

Homeward Bound:

Oceanside: The beach is one block from the train station. The pier, amphitheater, restaurants and museums are near the beach.

San Clemente: A special platform was built near the pier for the Beach Train. Railroad tracks at San Clemente are very active. Use the pedestrian tunnel or signaled crossing to access the beach or piers. Public dressing rooms and toilets are on the beach with snack bars, rentals, shops, a convenience store and several cafes.

At the Beach:

- Trains leave promptly, so meet near the platform at least 15 minutes prior to departure. Train cars are numbered, so look for the car and/or train attendant with the number that matches the one placed on the back of your ticket on the trip down. Before boarding, we ask that you change wet clothing and visit a restroom. Also, please dust sand from your belongings, and then follow directions for a safe and orderly boarding. Remember, no bare feet. Station stops are brief, so have belongings and family ready to exit before the train arrives at your station.
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Beach Train Rules:

- Absolutely no alcoholic beverages.
- No smoking on train or platforms.
- Shoes and shirts must be worn on board.
- No pets (service animals excepted).
- Do not block aisles with personal belongings.
- Use personal headphones with any audio equipment.
- Please keep feet and newspapers off seats.
- Eating is permitted on the train as long as passengers are careful and properly dispose of trash.
- Lower level of each car.
- A bathroom and drinking faucet are located on the lower level of each car.
- On-board restrooms are not dressing rooms.
- Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult at all times.
- For the safety of children and comfort of other passengers, do not allow children to run or misuse facilities.
- Tote bags, folding chairs, small ice chests, small Boogie Boards and folding strollers are permitted.
- There are no luggage racks on board.
- Do not bring more than you can comfortably keep in your seating area. Individual backpacks may be easiest.
- Wheelchairs, small carts and strollers can only be accommodated on lower level.

We ask your cooperation in honoring the following Metrolink rules: