

**SANTA MARIA VALLEY RAILROAD**  
***Summer Excursions aboard the Silver  
Lariat***

**JULY 11 - 13 and JULY 18 - 20, 2008**



**97<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY DINNER EXCURSION SPECIAL**

**Friday July 11, 2008**

Dinner Excursion \$180.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

Check In 5:30 Departure 6:00 Return 8:30

*Come celebrate the 97 year anniversary of the Santa Maria Valley Railroad with a special dinner aboard the ex-California Zephyr Dome Car Silver Lariat.*

**2008 RAIL FAIR LUNCH SPECIAL**

**Saturday July 12, 2008**

Lunch Excursion \$130.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

Check In 11:30 Departure 12:00 Return 2:15

*Join us for a special lunch during our 2008 Rail Fair commemorating the 97<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the SMVRR.*

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**2008 RAIL FAIR BRUNCH EXCURSION SPECIAL**

**Sunday July 13, 2008**

Brunch Excursion \$150.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

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*Come celebrate the 97 year anniversary of the Santa Maria Valley Railroad with a special dinner aboard the ex-California Zephyr Dome Car Silver Lariat.*

**SUMMER DINNER SPECIAL ABOARD THE SILVER LARIAT**

**Friday July 18, 2008**

Dinner Excursion \$180.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

Check In 5:30 Departure 6:00 Return 8:30

*Elegant dinner aboard the Silver Lariat with service staffed by a railroad business car crew. The freight depot and company store will be open before and after the excursion staffed with docents. Learn more about the history of the Santa Maria Valley Railroad!*

**SUMMER LUNCH SPECIAL ABOARD THE SILVER LARIAT**

**Saturday July 19, 2008**

Lunch Excursion \$130.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

Check In 11:30 Departure 12:00 Return 2:15

*Enjoy a special lunch as our conductor points out the SMVRR freight customers along our line. Afterwards check out the displays in the freight depot.*

**SUMMER DINNER EXCURSION ABOARD THE SILVER LARIAT**

**Saturday July 19, 2008**

Dinner Excursion \$170.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

Check In 5:30 Departure 6:00 Return 8:30

*Join us for a wonderful summer evening and a dinner prepared by a railroad business car chef aboard the Silver Lariat. Come early and enjoy the displays in the freight depot and a docent presenting the history of the Santa Maria Valley Railroad.*

**SUNDAY BRUNCH EXCURSION SPECIAL ABOARD THE SILVER LARIAT**

**Sunday July 20, 2008**

Brunch Excursion \$150.00 per person, tax and gratuity included

Check In 10:30 Departure 11:00 Return 1:15

*Join us for brunch for the final excursion of the year on the Silver Lariat.*

**RESERVATIONS**

Call today for your reservations (805) 922-7941 or fax us at (805) 922-9554. Send a check or stop by the depot at 628 S. McClelland Street, Santa Maria CA 93454. We also now accept MasterCard or Visa. The depot store is open Monday through Friday from 9:00 to 4:00 and every last Saturday of the month from 12:00 to 4:00. Reservations are confirmed upon receipt of payment. Prices includes tax and gratuity.

**ROUTE**

The excursion will begin from the freight depot at the corner of McClelland and Jones and head westward through Santa Maria and out to the picturesque Santa Maria Valley for approximately 6 miles. At Betteravia Junction the excursion will turn north for about 3 miles to the Guadalupe Interchange. At the interchange we will run the locomotive around the car and head back to Santa Maria for a relaxing 18 mile round trip. A round trip generally runs about 2 ¼ to 2 ½ hours.

**ACCESSIBILITY**

Our historic railcars will not accommodate wheelchairs. Guests must be able to walk and negotiate steps, either on their own or with assistance.

**REFUNDS**

Full refund within 30 days prior to departure time. After 30 days prior there will be up to a 10% charge. No refunds within 48 hours of departure. We will make every effort re-reserve your seat, if we do there will be no service charge and you will receive a full refund.

**CHECK IN**

Please arrive at least 30 minutes before departure time. Check in is in the Freight Depot at the Company Store where you will be able to pick up your tickets. The Freight Depot and Company Store will be open an hour before check in time and will remain open a half an hour after the excursion train arrives at the depot.

We reserve the right to substitute equipment, departure/ return time, menu, entertainment and or destinations, prices subject to change.

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