

# TRAVEL TO THE 87<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL ETA SIGMA PHI CONVENTION IN ATLANTIC CITY HOSTED BY THETA TAU AT THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NEW JERSEY

## Nearby Airports



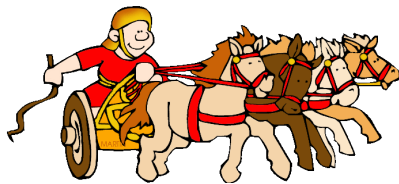
1. Philadelphia International Airport (PHL)
2. Atlantic City (ACY) Spirit Airlines
3. Newark International Airport (EWR)

## Directions from Philadelphia International Airport (PHL) to Marriott, Atlantic City

*N.B.* All directions are from the Philadelphia International Airport. For directions from other airports, please contact Katelynn Torcato (torcatok@go.stockton.edu)

Courtyard Marriott: 1212 Pacific Avenue, Atlantic City, NJ 08401  
(<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/aiycy-courtyard-atlantic-city/>)

## 1. By Chariot or Car (64 miles, about 1 hr)



The easiest and quickest way to get to Atlantic City is by car. There are many rental car agencies at the Philly Airport.

- Take I-95 North to the Walt Whitman Bridge. The only tricky part might be finding exit 19 [Walt Whitman Bridge] on I-95N from PHL. The exit lane appears without a sign and the actual overhead sign for exit 19 is near where the exit lane splits off of I-95. Just be sure to get in the right lane after exit 17 [Broad Street exit,] and once you see a 4th lane on your right [this is the exit lane], get over. If you wait for the overhead signage, you may be too late. Bear right at the fork as you go downhill on the exit & it will take you to the right bridge. Once you get over the Walt Whitman Bridge, you stay on that highway & you only need to be sure not to be in the far right lane & you'll get to AC. Atlantic City Expressway dead-ends right in the heart of Atlantic City. Straight ahead are Caesars and Trump Plaza. Boardwalk Hall, Tropicana and Atlantic Club are to the right (south); all other casinos are to the left (north). If you don't have a car, see options below for train/bus transit.

## 2. By Train



### Option 1: SEPTA Regional Rail Line to NJ Transit AC Line

(Change trains at 30<sup>th</sup> Street Station; about 2 hours; \$17-18.50 one-way)

- a. From the airport, take the **SEPTA Regional Rail Line** (entrances on pedestrian bridges and commercial roadway). \$6.50 weekday/\$7.00 weekend one-way to 30th Street Station (Amtrak). 20-25 minute ride.
- b. Take New Jersey Transit's Atlantic City line runs from 30th Street Station to AC at 30th Street Station. The fare is \$10. About 99 minutes.
- c. Once you arrive at the Atlantic City Train terminal, you can either walk to the Marriott (about 13 minutes) or take a bus. Take AC bus 501, 502, 504, 505, 507, 508, or 509 (buses depart every 6 minutes; \$1.50 one way) to the South Carolina Street stop (1 stop, about 5 minutes) then walk to South Chalfonte and head to the Marriott (about 3 minutes).

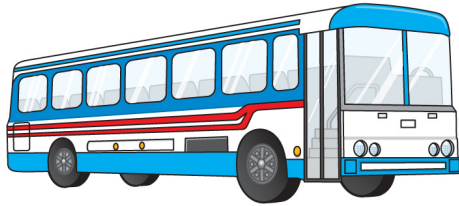
### Option 2: SEPTA Regional Rail Line to PATCO Speedline to NJ Transit AC Line

(Change trains at 30<sup>th</sup> Street and Lindenwold; just under 2 hours; \$15-16.50 one-way)

- a. From the airport, take the **SEPTA Regional Rail Line** (entrance on pedestrian bridges and commercial roadway) \$7.00 one-way to 30th Street Station (Amtrak). It's a 20-25 minute ride.
- b. Walk to the Walnut Locust Station (3 minutes)
- c. Take the **PATCO Speedline** to Lindenwold and connect to the AC line. Cost is \$3.00 one-way; about 25-30 min. The Speedline runs from 16th and Locust to Lindenwold where you can transfer to the NJ Transit AC line.
- d. From Lindenwold, take the **NJ Transit AC Line** to AC. Cost \$5.00; 55-60 min.
  - If you do decide to use these 2 trains, please be aware that each train has a different ticketing system as they are different agencies, so buy your train tickets accordingly.
- e. Once you arrive at the Atlantic City Train terminal, you can either walk to the Marriott (about 13 minutes) or take a bus. Take AC Bus 501, 502, 504, 505, 507, 508, or 509 (buses depart every 6 minutes; \$1.50 one way) to the South Carolina Street stop (1 stop, about 5 minutes; \$1.50) then walk to South Chalfonte and head to the Marriott (about 3 minutes).

### 3. By Bus

(Train to bus; about 2 hours; \$18.50-23)



- a. From the airport, take the **SEPTA Regional Rail Line** (entrances on pedestrian bridges and commercial roadway) \$6.50 weekday/\$7 weekend one-way to Jefferson Street Station. It's a 30 minute ride.
  - b. Take the **NJ Transit 551 bus** from the Greyhound Terminal in Philadelphia (10th and Filbert), costs \$16.50 one way, direct into Atlantic City Bus Terminal, just a couple of blocks from the Marriott. Greyhound buses also run from the Greyhound Terminal and are \$12 (standard fare) or \$16 (refundable fare) one way, also going direct to Atlantic City Bus Terminal. (All buses stop in Camden and Sicklerville while some also stop at the Farley service Plaza.)
  - c. Once you arrive at the Atlantic City Train terminal, you can either walk to the Marriott (about 13 minutes) or take a bus. Take AC Bus 501, 502, 504, 505, 507, 508, or 509 (buses depart every 6 minutes; \$1.50 one way) to the South Carolina Street stop (1 stop, about 5 minutes; \$1.50) then walk south to South Chalfonte and head to the Marriott (about 3 minutes).
- SEPTA: <http://www.septa.org/schedules/rail/index.html>
  - PATCO: <http://www.ridepatco.org/schedules/sc>
  - NJ Transit: [http://www.njtransit.com/pdf/rail/R00 ...](http://www.njtransit.com/pdf/rail/R00...)

#### **Approximate Schedules for the Weekend of April 10-12, 2015**

(Please make sure to check the schedules.)

#### **For Friday, April 10, 2015 (From Philly Airport to Atlantic City)**

##### **A. From Philadelphia Airport to 30<sup>th</sup> Street Station**

Weekdays: Every half hour

From Terminals E & F: at 9 and 39 minutes past the hour (9:09, 9:39, 10:09, 10:39, etc.)

From Terminals C & D: at 11 and 41 minutes past the hour (9:11, 9:41, etc.)

From Terminal B: at 12 and 42 minutes past the hour (9:12, 9:42, etc.)

From Terminal A: at 13 and 43 minutes past the hour (9:13, 9:43, etc.)

Arrive in 30<sup>th</sup> Street Station on the hour and half hour.

**B. From 30<sup>th</sup> Street Station to Atlantic City (SEPTA & NJ Transit)**

Depart 30 <sup>th</sup> St		Arrive AC	
10:55 AM	Atlantic City Line #4670	12:33 PM	98 minutes
12:31 PM	Atlantic City Line #4674	02:04 PM	93 minutes
02:44 PM	Atlantic City Line #4678	04:22 PM	98 minutes
03:40 PM	Atlantic City Line #4680	05:14 PM	94 minutes
04:38 PM	Atlantic City Line #4682	06:12 PM	94 minutes
05:48 PM	Atlantic City Line #4684	07:26 PM	98 minutes

**For Sunday, April 12, 2015 (From Atlantic City to Philly Airport)**

**A. NJ Transit from Atlantic City to 30<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia**

Depart AC		Arrive 30 <sup>th</sup> St.	
10:55 AM	Atlantic City Line #4670	12:33 PM	98 minutes
12:31 PM	Atlantic City Line #4674	02:04 PM	93 minutes
02:44 PM	Atlantic City Line #4678	04:22 PM	98 minutes
03:40 PM	Atlantic City Line #4680	05:14 PM	94 minutes
04:38 PM	Atlantic City Line #4682	06:12 PM	94 minutes
05:48 PM	Atlantic City Line #4684	07:26 PM	98 minutes

**B. 30<sup>th</sup> Street to Philadelphia International Airport**

Sunday: Every half hour (at 4 minutes past the hour and 34 minutes past the hour)

To Terminal A: 15 minutes

To Terminal B: 16 minutes

To Terminals C & D: 18 minutes

To Terminals E & F: 20 minutes

**Optional: Take NJ Transit from Atlantic City to Lindenwold and switch to PATCO to get to Philly**

Take NJ Transit from AC to Lindenwold (55 minutes); Switch to PATCO and go to 8<sup>th</sup> and Market (24 minutes); Switch to Market Frankford line to 30th Street; take Regional line to airport.