

Old Saybrook, Connecticut, USA

Where the Connecticut River meets Long Island Sound, Old Saybrook delivers a quintessential New England shore day — historic Main Street, lighthouse cruises, and more Katharine Hepburn lore than you can handle.

Docked at Saybrook Point Marina

Typical call: 6–8 hrs

USD

English

Small ships only (American Cruise Lines)

MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____ Arrive: _____ All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Small ships dock at Saybrook Point Marina; large ocean liners do not call here

Best For: History, New England charm, lighthouses, coastal strolls

Walk to Main St: ~1.5 miles from marina — shuttle or bike recommended

Don't Miss: Katharine Hepburn Cultural Arts Center and Fort Saybrook Monument Park

Getting around: Taxi \$8–\$15 · Rideshare Uber, Lyft

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Old Saybrook Main Street Walking Tour** — Stroll one of Connecticut's oldest downtowns, settled in 1635.
- Lighthouse Cruise from Saybrook Point** — Board a Seabird Cruises boat for a narrated tour past Lynde Point Lighthouse and the offshore Saybrook Breakwater Light...
- Katharine Hepburn Cultural Arts Center** — Old Saybrook's most famous resident spent summers in the private Fenwick
- Fort Saybrook Monument Park & Salt Marsh Boardwalk** — Walk the boardwalk over tidal salt marshes at the site of the original 1635 English settlement.
- Harvey's Beach & Long Island Sound** — Old Saybrook's town beach on Long Island Sound — a calm, sandy stretch ideal for a summer swim or a stroll.

BEST WALKS

- Marina to Main Street Stroll** 1.5 miles one way | Easy | ~30 min — Walk from Saybrook Point Marina along College Street to the historic downtown.
- Causeway & Fenwick Peninsula Walk** 0.5 miles | Easy | ~15 min — The scenic causeway connects the marina area to the exclusive Fenwick borough, with panoramic views of Lynde Point Lighthouse, the...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		54°	41°	12d
Jun		73°	60°	11d
Aug		79°	68°	11d
Sep		73°	61°	9d
Oct		63°	52°	11d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:09AM–7:29PM · Jun 5:16AM–8:24PM · Aug 5:59AM–7:47PM · Sep 6:30AM–6:57PM · Oct 7:01AM–6:07PM

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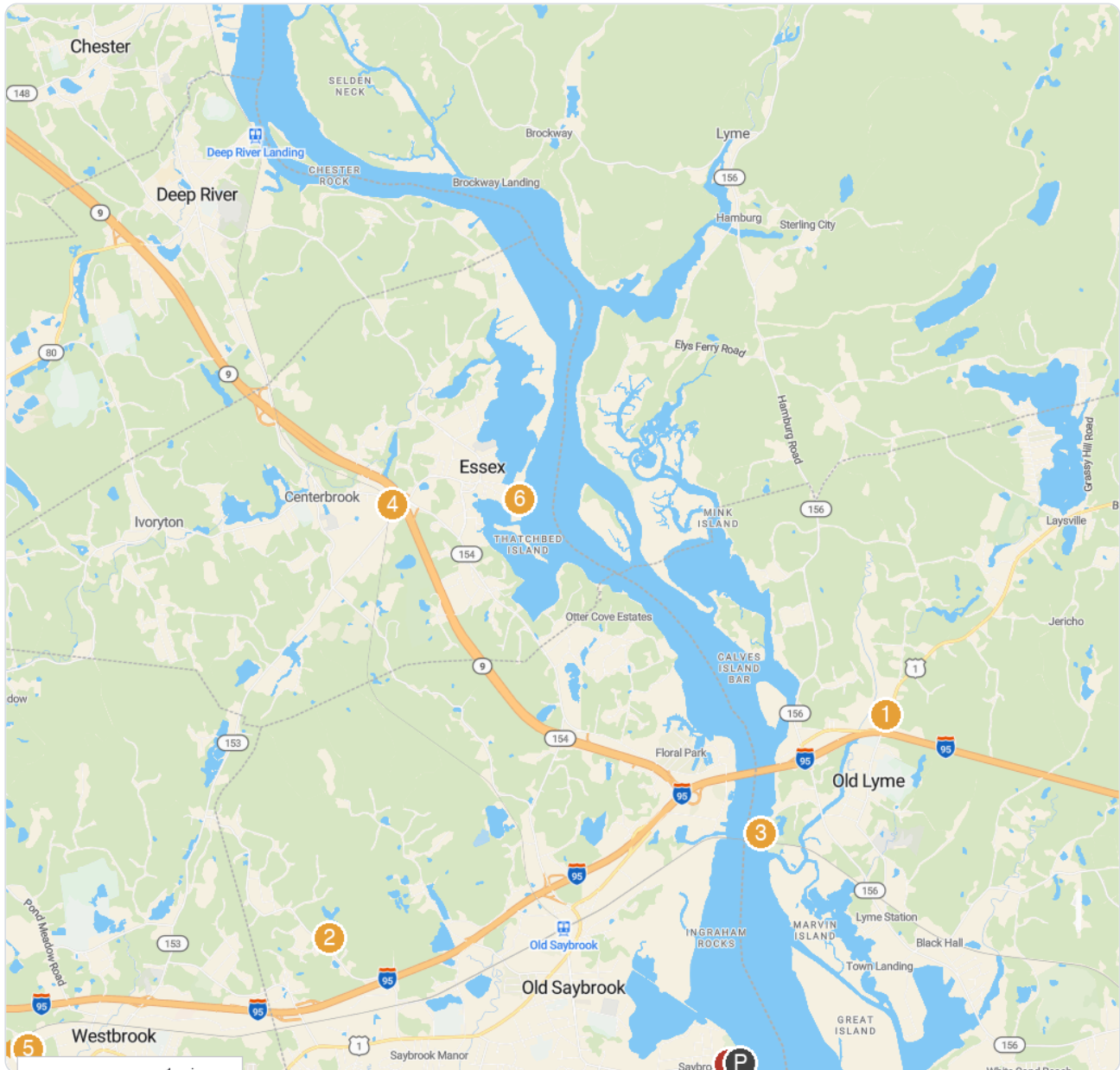
KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Bike it:** Old Saybrook is exceptionally flat — if your ship has bikes, use them. The causeway, Main Street, and beachfront are all easy cycling distance from the marina.
- Shuttle or rideshare:** Main Street is 1.5 miles from the dock. Check with your cruise director for a complimentary shuttle; otherwise...

Old Saybrook, Connecticut, USA — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



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| 1 Florence Griswold Museum | Historic home and art museum of American Impressionism. | 2 Clark Community Park/Town Park | Local park with playgrounds, fields, and walking trails. |
| 3 Ferry Landing State Park | Scenic state park with Connecticut River views and boat launch. | 4 Connecticut Valley Railroad State Park | Preserves historic railroad right-of-way along the Connecticut River. |
| 5 Stewart B. McKinney National Wildlife Refuge - Salt Meadow Unit | Protected salt marsh habitat for diverse coastal wildlife. | 6 RiverQuest | Scenic boat tours exploring the Connecticut River's ecology. |
| 7 Fort Saybrook Monument Park | Historic park marking site of original Fort Saybrook. | P Cruise port / terminal | |