



# Tailwind Air expands fleet and launches commuter and charter seaplane service between Manhattan and East Hampton, Shelter Island, and Montauk for Summer 2020

Tailwind Air, an experienced New York based FAA part 135 seaplane operator, to expand commuter, charter, and scheduled service to the Hamptons, Montauk, and Shelter Island: Continue to deliver reliable and safe travel for summer commuters.

Full commuter schedule to be announced on May 15. Pre-season discounted commuter packages on sale now starting at \$625 per seat. Individual seats for sale May 18. Limited service available from Memorial Day Weekend to June 17. Full schedule from June 18 through September 8th, 2020.

For ticket book sales or private charter, call Mindy Kahl at 203-214-1324 or email [Mindy@flytailwind.com](mailto:Mindy@flytailwind.com)

## Outline of flights for ticket book holders (exact schedule to be confirmed in mid May)

<b>From East River @23rd Street (East 23rd St.) TO East Hampton (HTO), Shelter Island Beach, and continuing service to Montauk (MTP):</b>	Multiple Departures on Thurs, Fri, and Pre Holiday weekdays from midday through early evening
<b>From HTO, MTP, and Shelter Island Beach TO East 23rd St.:</b>	Sundays and end of holiday: Multiple afternoon and evening flights Mondays and post holidays: Early morning and mid morning flights

## Pre- Season Ticket Book Packages:

**Tailwind Pricing (Shelter/HTO/SAG/MTP) – includes all taxes \*\***

	10 Pack	Cost Per Ticket	20 Pack	Cost Per Ticket
<b>Shelter Island Beach or East Hampton (HTO) *</b>	\$6,490	\$649	\$12,480	\$624
<b>Montauk (MTP)</b>	\$7,490	\$749	\$14,480	\$724

## Individual Seat Pricing:

To/From	Price
Shelter/HTO/Sag	\$745
Montauk	\$845

**\* Savings: Save \$960. when purchasing a 10 pack and \$2,420 when purchasing a 20 pack**

## Charter rates:

In addition to our ticket book holder scheduled services, we offer our seaplanes for charter. Fixed rates for popular routes are below and include taxes and fees \*\*:

Manhattan- East Hampton	\$3,900
Manhattan- Shelter Island	\$3,900
Manhattan- Nantucket	\$7,100
Manhattan- Montauk	\$4,200

Ticket book vouchers may be used toward private charter flights between East 23rd Street and East Hampton, Shelter Island or Montauk. 6 vouchers for one-way travel at peak times, five vouchers off peak. Our seaplanes can serve hundreds of other airports and waterways anywhere from Maine to Virginia direct from Manhattan with reasonable hourly rates.

\*\* Under the CARES act, 7.5% Federal Excise Tax is waived for 2020 for all rates above.

## About Tailwind:

Tailwind is a veteran-owned FAA part 135 licensed and insured operator/manager of aircraft based in White Plains, NY (HPN). We have owned, managed and flown scheduled and charter passenger seaplane service into Manhattan's East 23rd street for over 6 years. We also own and manage a fleet of regional turbo prop and jet aircraft available for charter. Find out more at [www.flytailwind.com](http://www.flytailwind.com) (please be patient, updates reflecting our expanded service are in progress).

## About our Seaplanes:

Tailwind operates a fleet of advanced Cessna Caravan amphibious seaplanes seating 8 Passengers and always using 2 pilot crews. We conform with and often exceed all applicable FAA standards. In addition, we provide real time flight tracking.

## Covid 19 Statement:

Tailwind Air is taking active steps in light of the COVID 19 virus to ensure that our operations remain safe, reliable, and clean. We follow the guidance of the CDC and FAA and have active steps in place to reduce the risk of the virus. These include but are not limited to:

- Enhanced cleaning, pre and post flight checks, and other precautions along with a detailed checklist that is completed before and after each flight.
- Only single use soft goods (sodas, cups, etc) will be used until further notice.
- We encourage passengers to bring their own masks and gloves.

## Contact us:

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