



Annual Meetings of the
North American Maple Syrup Council & International Maple Syrup Institute
October 22-25, 2012 - Marriott Mystic Hotel & Spa, Groton, Connecticut

AN INVITATION TO CONNECTICUT

The Maple Syrup Producers Association of Connecticut invites everyone to the 53rd annual meeting of the NAMSC and 38th annual meeting of the IMSI to be held at the Mystic Marriott Hotel & Spa in historic Mystic Connecticut. The convention formally begins on Monday October 22nd and concludes with the annual awards banquet on Thursday October 25th.

This New England shoreline town is rich in historical fame including the home of the first nuclear submarine *The Nautilus* located at the Submarine Force Library & Museum; the *R.M.S Titanic* exhibit at Mystic Aquarium & Institute for Exploration; *B. F. Clyde's Cider Mill* which is the oldest steam powered cider mill in the country; and, the *Charles W. Morgan* which is the last surviving wood constructed whaling ship harbored at *Mystic Seaport Village*. We will visit these and others as part of our Connecticut tour on Thursday. We will also have companion tours planned during the convention as well as companion activities at the Hotel.

All NAMSC & IMSI meetings, workshops and technical sessions will be at the Mystic Marriott Hotel & Spa, 625 North Rd, (RT117) Groton, CT 06340, (exit 88, off I-95). For those of you flying in; the T. F. Green Airport (PVD) in Providence, RI is a 35 minute drive and Bradley International Airport (BDL) in Hartford/Springfield is about a 60 minute drive to the hotel.

We look forward to you joining us in Connecticut in October and are confident you will enjoy your visit to the Constitution State!

Ron Wenzel
2012 Host Committee Chairman

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