GENERAL INFORMATION

1. YOUR CONTACT

If you have questions or need further information, please contact

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617.253.6451

2. TENTATIVE TIME SCHEDULE

Friday, September 14th
3:00 p.m. Check in
8:00 p.m. Pizza Party (Location TBA)

Saturday, September 15th
12:00 p.m. Lunch (MIT will cover)
1:00 p.m. Volleyball Tournament
4:30 p.m. Break
6:30 p.m. Dinner at Beneditto’s (MIT will cover)

Sunday, September 16th
9:00 a.m. Group Breakfast (MIT will cover)
11:00 a.m. Trip to Martha’s Vineyard (on your own)
Explore Chatham and the Cape (on your own)

3. ACCOMMODATION

Chatham Bars Inn
Shore Road
Chatham, Massachusetts 02633

Phone (800) 527-4884 / (508) 945-0096
Fax (508) 945-6785

e-mail: Welcome@chathambarsinn.com
website: http://chathambarsinn.com
Room List:

**Room 1:**
*Suite - 3 beds*
- Tom Lancaster
- Pemakorn Pitukmanorom
- Neeraj Sangar

**Room 2:**
*Superior - 3 beds*
- Yee San Su
- Steve Weiss
- Markus Wolf

**Room 3:**
*Suite - 3 beds*
- Suniti Moudgil
- Noreen Zaman
- Monica Sircar

**Room 4:**
*Superior - 2 beds*
- Jason Sweeney
- Erin and Ian Sweeney
- Justin McCue (Saturday)

**Room 5:**
*Suite - 3 beds*
- Noreena AbuBaker
- Mohamed-Shariff Mohamed-Arshad
- Prof. Jackie Ying and Kee Chan

**Room 6:**
*Superior - 2 beds*
- Dr. Javier Garcia-Martinez
- Prof. Guangsheng Luo

**Room 3:**
*Suite - 2 beds*
- Tseh-Hwan Yong and Steve Lee
- Jianyi Cui and Hao Wang

**Room 4:**
*Superior - 1 bed*
- Todd Zion
- Karyn Zion

4. **Travel**

**Car 1 – Early PM**
- Neeraj Sangar (Driver)
- Dr. Javier Garcia-Martinez
- Pemakorn Pitukmanorom

**Car 2 – Early PM**
- Hao Wang (Driver)
- Jianyi Cui
- Prof. Guangsheng Luo

**Car 3 – 12:00 PM**
- Todd Zion (Driver)
- Karyn Zion
- Tom Lancaster
- Suniti Moudgil

**Car 4 – 12:00 PM**
- Jason Sweeney (Driver)
- Erin and Ian Sweeney

**Car 5 - 7:00 PM**
- Kee Chan (Driver)
- Prof. Ying
- Noreena AbuBakar
- Shariff Mohamed-Arshad

**Car 6 - 6:00 PM**
- Steve Lee (Driver)
- Tseh-Hwan Yong
- Noreen Zaman
- Markus Wolf

**Car 7 - 6:00 PM**
- Yee San Su (Driver)
- Steve Weiss
- Monica Sircar

**Car 8 – Saturday PM**
- Justin McCue (Driver)
Located at the elbow of Cape Cod, Chatham is reached by:

From the Boston Area: pick up Route 93 South to Route 3 to the Sagamore Bridge. Cross the Cape Cod Canal on to Route 6 (the Mid Cape Highway)

From Route 6 on the Cape: Proceed to Route 6 East to Exit 11 marked for route 137 Chatham. Turn left onto Route 137 and proceed South for 3 miles to the Route 28 intersection. Turn left onto Route 28 and proceed to the small rotary (3 miles). Continue straight through the rotary onto Main Street, Chatham, passing the Chatham Hardware Store on the left.

Take the next left onto Seaview Street. The entrance to Chatham Bars Inn is just beyond the golf course on the right. Enter at the Lobby Level Entrance sign on the right.

Please visit [www.mapquest.com](http://www.mapquest.com) to obtain more detailed directions. Use “Shore Road, Chatham, MA 02633” as the destination.

5. ATTIRE

Casual for the most part. Please bring enough warm clothing, though, as the evenings and nights on the cape can get quite brisk. Also bring swimwear if you’re interested in taking advantage of the on-site pools, and by all means please bring some recreational wear if you’d like to use the fitness center.
6. **EXPENSES**

Please note that MIT will cover the following expenses only:

- Lodging – Friday, September 14\textsuperscript{th} through Sunday, September 16\textsuperscript{th}
- Pizza Party – Friday, September 14\textsuperscript{th}
- Breakfast – Saturday, September 15\textsuperscript{th} and Sunday, September 16\textsuperscript{th}
- Lunch – Saturday afternoon, September 15\textsuperscript{th}
- Dinner – Saturday evening, September 15\textsuperscript{th} (off-site)

7. **MEDICAL CARE**

Medical care will be available 24 hours at the hotel.

8. **HEALTH AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES**

The Chatham Bars Inn offers its guests a complete range of facilities:

- Fully equipped health club & spa – must pay on own
- Outdoor (heated) swimming pool, sauna, solarium, steam bath, hot and cold jacuzzis
- (9) Hole Golf Coarse (club – no reservations needed, first come first serve – Club House available to rent clubs if needed…
- Bike rentals on site

9. **MISCELLANEOUS**

- [http://www.capecodchamber.org](http://www.capecodchamber.org)
- [http://www.chathamcapecod.org](http://www.chathamcapecod.org)
- [http://www.capecodonline.com](http://www.capecodonline.com)
- [http://www.capecodlife.com](http://www.capecodlife.com)

10. **CLIMATE**

Current Cape Cod Weather:
Call 508-771-5522 (WQRC)
Web: [http://www.capecod.net/mondo/w.html](http://www.capecod.net/mondo/w.html)

**Average temperatures in September:**

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11. SAFETY AND SECURITY

Chatham is considered a very safe town both at night and during the day. As everywhere, however, protect yourself from pickpockets and carry as little cash as possible. Use a hotel safe-deposit box to store valuables.

12. ELECTRICITY SUPPLY
INTERNET INFORMATION

All rooms are equipped with sufficient power and data ports for computers. There is also a business center with a high speed internet access available from 8:00am - 5:00pm each day (complimentary).

14. SIGHTSEEING

On Sunday, September 16th, we offer you an optional tour to Martha’s Vineyard:

Named in 1602 by Bartholomew Gosnold in honor of his baby daughter, Martha, and the profusion of wild grapes he found there. There are six towns on Martha's Vineyard, the largest island in New England; three up-Island towns: Aquinnah, Chilmark and West Tisbury and three down-Island towns: Vineyard Haven, Oak Bluffs and Edgartown (which includes Chappaquiddick). The terms up-Island and down-Island are nautical references to degrees of longitude designated on a maps and charts.

Edgartown was the Island's first colonial settlement and has been the county seat since 1642. The town is renowned for its stately, white Greek Revival and Federal houses built by whaling captains. The distinctive, museum-piece architecture preserves the ambience of the 19th century seaport to the present day.
The town of **Tisbury**, also known as **Vineyard Haven**, was one of New England’s busiest ports in the 1800s. At that time, the area around the harbor was known as Holmes Hole and was a convenient anchorage for ships traveling between the East Coast of the United States and Europe. In those days, most of the coastwise shipping traveled through Vineyard Sound. In 1845 13,814 vessels were counted.

**Oak Bluffs**, formerly known as Cottage City from the many gingerbread cottages which are still found there, is also home to the Flying Horses Carousel, the oldest operating merry-go-round in the United States. The horses were hand-carved in New York City in 1876. This Historic Landmark is maintained by the Martha's Vineyard Preservation Trust that manages this and several other historic sites on the Island.

**Chilmark** is known for its rolling hills and unmatched coastline. Before the days when the Coastguard looked out for shipwrecked vessels, Vineyarders took it upon themselves to form volunteer groups that provided assistance to sailors in times of need. The open dories, one of which was provided by the Massachusetts Humane Society, were launched into stormy seas from Squibnocket Landing, the only beach on the south shore shallow enough for boats to be landed or launched in heavy weather.

For more information on Martha’s Vineyard, please visit [http://www.mvy.com/](http://www.mvy.com/).

**Directions to Wood’s Hole and Ferry to Martha’s Vineyard:**

Head south on Shore Rd. towards Quasson Rd. and turn right onto Main St. Follow Main St. and take a slight right onto Route 28. Turn right onto Meetinghouse Rd./Route 137 and follow for about one mile. Turn left onto Route 137 and follow for about two miles. Take the US-6 W ramp towards Hyannis/Boston and follow for about 30 miles. Enter next roundabout and take 4th exit onto US-6 W and follow for about four miles. Turn slight right onto US-6 W/MA-28 S. Take the RT-25/RT-28 S ramp towards Providence/Boston/Falmouth. Keep right at the fork in the ramp and merge onto US-6 E. Enter next roundabout and take 2nd exit onto MA-28 S/Gen. Macarthur Blvd. and follow for about four miles. Enter next roundabout and take 2nd exit onto MA-28 S and follow about 10 miles into Falmouth.

We’ll be taking a 45 minute ferry out of Wood’s Hole to Martha’s Vineyard. The roundtrip fare is $11.00, and there is a charge for parking your car in one of the Steamship Authority lots. There is parking available at the Steamship Authority ferry boat docks as well as two satellite lots located on Palmer Ave. and Gifford St. Please refer to the map below for directions:
In addition, you may wish to visit [http://www.islandferry.com/](http://www.islandferry.com/) for more information.

15. ABOUT CHATHAM

Chatham, one of the oldest townships on Cape Cod, was settled in 1656 by a handful of Pilgrims. Their surnames still dominate the town's census list which now lists approximately 6,500 residents. The town was incorporated in 1712. Originally a farming community, its inhabitants found deep sea fishing to be a more successful occupation, and today small boat deep sea fishing and shellfishing continue as important maritime industries. Covering an area of approximately seventeen square miles, it is a happy combination of past and present. Chatham is old-fashioned and picturesque, yet it offers the best in modern facilities.

The flashing beacon of Chatham Light sends its beams out over the cliffs into the mist of fog that frequently bathes this lovely seaside town right at the tip of the Cape’s elbow. Chatham’s Main Street is an exclusive mile of fancy specialty shops festooned with colorful flower boxes, historical buildings, great restaurants specializing in ultrafresh seafood, art galleries and elegant inns. Waterfront properties range from tiny rose-covered cottages to the pricey 20-room mansions with hydrangea-lined circular driveways.
Chatham has carefully preserved the flavor of a small New England town with great style. But Nature is an intimate companion of daily life here—because of its unique location, Chatham is particularly vulnerable to the wild and woolly Nor’easters and tropical storms that pound the Cape regularly, and its shoreline changes dramatically every year. Take a look at the Chatham Break, and you will be awed by what Nature can do when she’s having a bad day.

Chatham is a perfect town to just wander around. Be sure to visit the Monomoy Wildlife Refuge Headquarters on Morriws Island for stunning views of Monomoy and the town. And drive down to Stage Harbor for the Fish Pier—bring your camera! And spend some time at the old Atwood House Museum Complex for a marvelous look at the Cape Cod of yesteryear.

16. PLACES OF INTEREST - CHATHAM

During your free time on Saturday morning or Sunday afternoon, you may want to explore Chatham a bit on your own. Therefore, we have put together a selection of places of interest, dining places and shopping addresses:

- **Information Booth**
  The Information Booth, 533 Main Street, next to the Town Office, is under the supervision of the Chamber of Commerce and is maintained by the Town of Chatham. During the vacation season more than 25,000 visitors take advantage of its facilities. Telephone (508) 945-5199. A Visitor Information Center is located in the Town-owned David T. Bassett House, at the intersection of Routes 28 and 137 in South Chatham.

- **Chatham Lighthouse**
  Located at the end of Main Street. You will find few spots on the entire East Coast of North America that can equal the view at “The Light.”

- **Chatham Fish Pier**
  At the corner of Shore Road and Barcliff Avenue on Aunt Lydia’s Cove.

- **Backroads to Provincetown:**
  Enjoy a leisurely ride through Wellfleet, visit a few of the fine art galleries in town, then continue on through scenic Truro. Picnic lunch or dine at a favorite Provincetown eatery, then take in Commercial the Cape has to offer. Meander back with a stop at the Truro Winery and the magnificent Ocean View drive in Wellfleet.

- **The Cape Codders’ Way:**
  Brewster, Dennis, Yarmouthport, Barnstable and Sandwich have a lot to offer in the way of hidden treasures off, on, and around scenic Route 6A. Sit back, relax and enjoy the view…or explore the many antique and gift shops…you can stop as much as you’d like!
Shopping:

- **CHATHAM T CO./MARGE’S PLACE**
  583/585 Main Street, Chatham, MA 02633
  Tel: (508) 945-3051 or 945-5292 Fax: 945-6071
  Sandra Liska
  Original imprinted sportswear and casual wear for the entire family. Sizes 3 mos.–16 at Chatham T Kids; Adult sizes S–XXL at Marge’s Place. Open 7 days. Evenings in the Summer ’til 10 pm.

- **CUFFY'S OF CHATHAM**
  1236 Rte. 28 W. Chatham, MA 02633
  (508) 945-7300 [www.cuffys.com](http://www.cuffys.com)
  No trip to Chatham would be complete without a visit to Cuffy's. Featuring the finest quality T-shirts, sweatshirts and resortwear, and the best prices you’ll find anywhere on Cape Cod. Cuffy's is truly a “One-of-a-Kind” shopping experience.

- **THE CHILDREN’S SHOP**
  515 Main Street, Chatham 02633
  Tel: 945-0234
  Specializing in the finest clothing for children. Infant to pre-teen for girls - Infant to size 16 for boys - Cape Cod’s oldest children’s shop.

Dining Suggestions:

- **ASIAN EATERY**
  Shop Ahoy Plaza 1587 Main Street, West Chatham, MA 02669
  Tel:(508)945-7788 Fax:(508)945-7795
  Fast & Tasty food to go! Featuring authentic Asian, Chinese, Szechuan, Hunan and Cantonese cuisine. Watch each dish being cooked individually in our open kitchen. 100% vegetable oil.

- **THE BISTRO AT CHATHAM**
  595 Main Street, Downtown
  Tel: 945-5033
  Steve & Lynda Vining
  Where the first bite is as good as the last and every bite is different - only at The Bistro. Overlooking Main Street. Moderately priced a la carte menu. Featuring OPEN WOOD GRILLING - healthy, imaginative, herb infused flavors. AN ADVENTURE IN MULTI-ETHNIC DINING.

- **THE CAPTAIN’S TABLE**
  576 Main Street, downtown Chatham
  Tel: 945-1961
  Nathan Road
• **CARMINE'S PIZZA:**
  595 Main Street, downtown in the Gallery
  Takeout: 945-5300 “Voted Best Pizza on Cape Cod.”

  Pizza lovers from all over New England come to Chatham for Carmine's really delicious pizza. Enjoy daily specials by the slice, or order a whole 12- or 18- inch pie with toppings to take home. Salads and soups are also available, as well as soft drinks and Italian ices. Open every day from 11am to 9 pm. On Summer Fridays, order early to avoid the wait.

• **HIGHTIDE RESTAURANT**
  1621 Main Street, Route 28, West Chatham
  Reservations: 945-2582
  George Moore

  Year-round restaurant. Candlelight and warm winter fireplace, featuring homemade clam chowder, fresh local seafood, veal, chicken, charbroiled steaks and Italian specialties. Prepared by Chef Rolf Schmalzer. Functions up to 120. Children's Menu.

  Visa, MasterCard, Discover, Amex accepted.

• **LE PETIT CAFE**
  155 Crowell Road, Chatham, MA 02633
  Tel: 945-0028 Fax: 945-3354
  “Without Bread, without Wine, love is nothing”

  Chef/Owner Michael Marciezyk and wife Pamela have brought a little of France to Chatham in this small unpretentious neighborhood bistro. Confit of Duck, Bouillabaisse and Creme Brulee are just a few of the French dishes available for lunch or dinner. Reservations accepted for dinner.

  *If you have questions or need further information, just let us know.*