

# *Soo Line 1003 Trek to Shriners Hospital for Children® Chicago*



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Chicago

Soo Line 1003, a 103 year old steam locomotive, will be making a special appearance on August 12<sup>th</sup> at the Galewood Metra station (2031 N. Narragansett Avenue, Chicago, IL.) to benefit the Shriners Hospital for Children® Chicago. The Soo Line 1003 is one of only a few steam locomotives still operating in the United States. The locomotive and two cabooses will be on display to allow people the opportunity to tour and learn about the equipment. Please note, because of the age of the historic equipment, the train is **NOT ADA compliant**. Unfortunately, people in wheel chairs will not be able to board the equipment.

The event will take place, rain or shine, on **August 12<sup>th</sup> from 2:15 pm to 4:30 pm**. Parking will be available in the Metra parking lot located on the Southeast side of Narragansett Avenue. Additional public parking is located on the Northwest side of the Metra station on McLean Avenue.

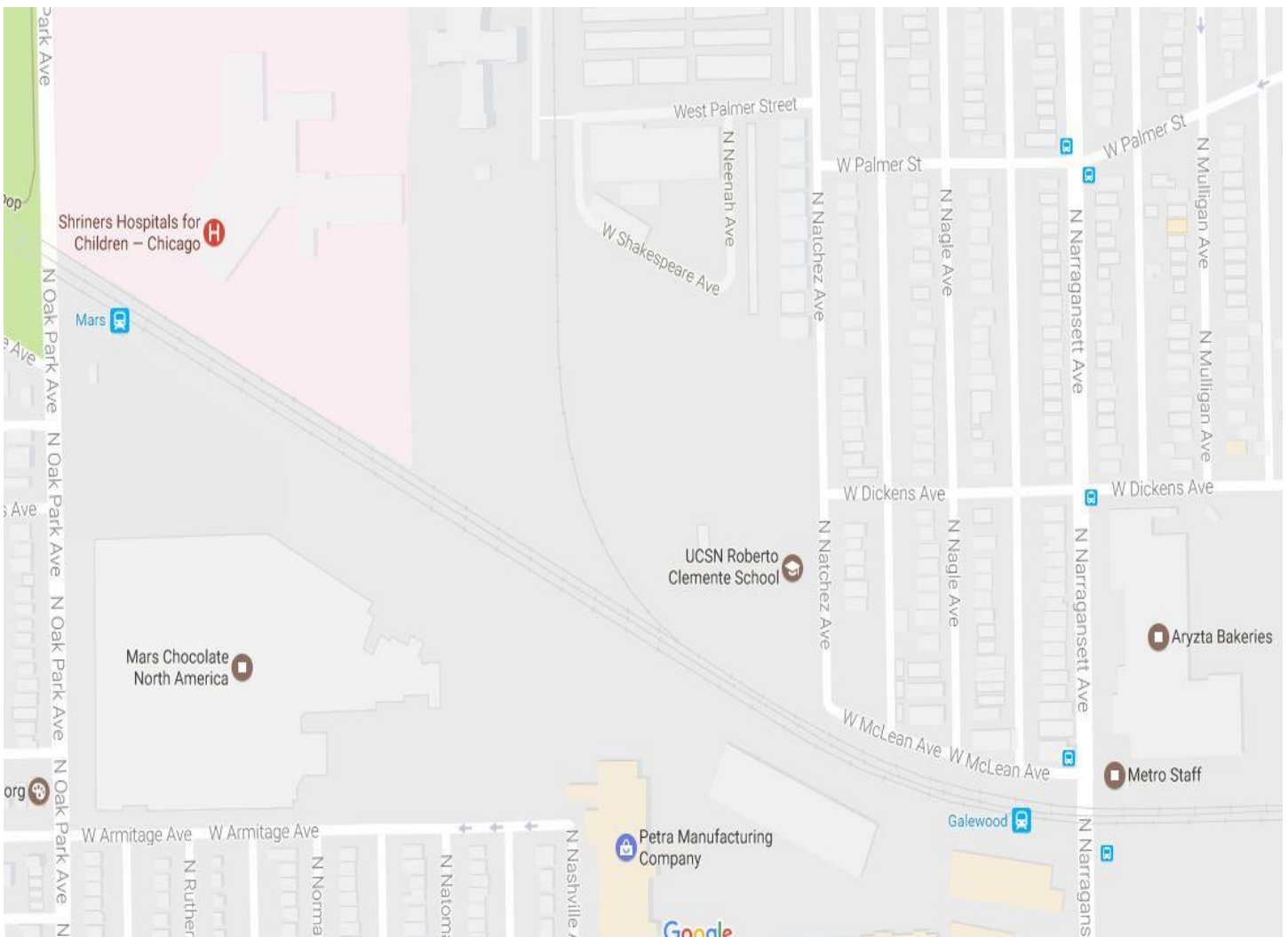
There is no cost for the event but any donations received will benefit the Shriners Hospital for Children® Chicago and the Steam Locomotive Heritage Association (Soo Line 1003). Both organizations are 501 C (3) charities.

Please join us on August 12<sup>th</sup> to experience a bygone era and to brighten the day for some deserving children.

For more information, please see the following websites:

<http://steamlocomotiveheritage.org>

<https://www.shrinershospitalsforchildren.org/Locations/chicago>



Galewood Metra station 2031 N. Narragansett Avenue, Chicago, Illinois

