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**Waldorf Astoria® Orlando Makes Summer Magical with Enchanted Evenings**

*Disney®-area Luxury Resort Celebrates Extraordinary Experiences  
with Special Events and Programming*

**ORLANDO, Fla. – May 3, 2016** – Waldorf Astoria Orlando welcomes the 2016 summer season with Enchanted Evenings, offered weekends from May 27 through September 4. A dreamy schedule of special programming includes ongoing events and magical activities that are sure to enchant all guests staying at Waldorf Astoria Orlando, surrounded by the *Walt Disney World*® Theme Parks.

Kicking off the summer season, Enchanted Evenings will feature live entertainment, distinctive culinary experiences and special programming, from transformative Mediterranean meals and family scavenger hunts across the resort to the indulgent Bar du Chocolat with housemade sweets and champagne pairings.

“Enchanted Evenings serve as an opportunity for our guests to pursue passions and follow dreams, whether learning how to create a signature drink or being treated like a royal during our afternoon tea service,” says Waldorf Astoria Orlando general manager Sean McCarron. “We want Waldorf Astoria Orlando to serve as a magical escape where guests of all ages can create unforgettable memories with friends and family.”

Between days spent navigating a drone maze and evenings roasting s’mores by poolside fire pits, guests can enjoy hotel amenities including two pool complexes and a three-acre lazy river, twelve dining outlets, luxurious spa services at Waldorf Astoria Spa and golf on the 18-hole Rees Jones-designed course. Conveniently located near the *Walt Disney World*® Resort, guests can also take advantage of complimentary transportation to all Disney theme parks.

This summer save up to 25% on stays May 27 and September 6, 2016. To make a reservation or receive more information, visit [www.waldorfastoriaorlando.com](http://www.waldorfastoriaorlando.com) or call +1-888-353-2009. For full terms and conditions visit [www.hhonors.com/sale](http://www.hhonors.com/sale).

**Enchanted Evenings highlights include (additional fees per event may apply):**

**Water Walkers (Fridays, 1-3 p.m.)**

Guests may experience the pool in a whole new light with water walkers. (\$)

**Champagne Check-In (Fridays, 3-6 p.m.)**

Celebrating guests' arrival with a complimentary glass of champagne.

**Scavenger Hunt (Fridays, 4 p.m.)**

Children and parents alike will enjoy searching the resort grounds on a scavenger hunt.

**Weird Science Ice Cream Social (Fridays, 4-6 p.m.)**

Guests can watch the hotel's mad scientist create the most magical ice cream flavors, thanks to liquid nitrogen (which is more than 300 degrees below zero) and out-of-this-world ingredients. (\$)

**Fireside S'mores (Fridays, 8:30-10 p.m.)**

Families gather around the poolside fire pits to roast marshmallows and make iconic summertime s'mores. (\$)

**Cocktail Creations at Peacock Alley (Saturdays, 4:30-5:30 p.m.)**

Muddle, mix and sample! Guests partake in an interactive experience creating refreshing summer cocktails. (\$)

**Tapas Al Fresco – Music, Fun and Afternoon Dining (Saturdays, 1-4 p.m.)**

Families can celebrate the summer season and dine al fresco during Tapas Al Fresco every Saturday at Aquamarine, where chefs will create Mediterranean dishes such as shawarma and house-made naan bread. Specialty wines will be available. (\$)

**Drone Maze Obstacle Course (Saturdays, 5-7 p.m.)**

Families can test their piloting skills and enjoy a little friendly competition with a drone obstacle course on the cabana lawn.

**Build Your Own Poolside Cocktail (Sundays, 11 a.m.–2 p.m.)**

While lounging poolside, guests can enjoy a Bellini or Mimosa mixed to their liking by Aquamarine pool attendants. (\$)

**Royal Tea (Sundays, 2-4 p.m.)**

Families will treasure time together in Peacock Alley as they savor finely-prepared tea sandwiches and house-made pastries while sipping premium hot tea and listening to live piano music. Reservations are required 24-hours in advance and can be made through the Concierge. (\$)

**Spa Happy Hour (Fridays and Saturdays, 6-8 p.m.)**

Spa guests may extend the bliss of a spa treatment as they wind down with complimentary champagne and chocolate in the Waldorf Astoria Spa lounge. (\$)

**Kids Club Astoria After Dark: Kids Night Out (Fridays and Saturdays, 6-10 p.m.)**

Kids get to take a break from parents and enjoy an evening of kid-friendly fun, including scavenger hunts, surrey bike obstacle course, crafts, bingo, make-your-own pizza dinner, S'mores and more. A \$50 discount will be applied to the Kids Club program fee for guests of Waldorf Astoria® Spa or Bull & Bear®. Reservations are required by 3 p.m., and may be made through the Concierge. (\$)

**Bar du Chocolat (Select Fridays and Saturdays, 6:30-9:30 p.m.)**

A decadent selection of à la carte chocolate treats hand-crafted by Waldorf Astoria Orlando's world-class pastry team. A selection of champagnes are available. Highlights include chocolate truffles, exotic chocolate cakes and bowls of beautiful bon-bons. Priced per piece; offered on select dates. (\$)

**Poolside Yoga (Saturdays and Sundays, 8-9 a.m.)**

Guests of all skill levels are welcome to join this one-hour morning poolside yoga class. \$15 per person, which includes a yoga mat. (\$)

**Evening Entertainment at Peacock Alley (Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, 6-10 p.m.)**

Guests are invited to enjoy live music while taking in the fabulous vibe of Peacock Alley.

**Special Golf Experiences**

For tee times and more information, guests may contact the Waldorf Astoria® Golf Club at 407-597-3780.

**Twilight Golf at Waldorf Astoria Golf Club (Daily, after 2 p.m.)**

Guests can test their skill on the course with the Twilight Golf package. Nike® rental clubs are included with golf play for 18 holes after 1 p.m. for \$85. (\$)

**Family Golf (Daily)**

An opportunity for junior golfers to play from the resort's Family Tees, where each hole measures between 100-200 yards. Juniors, 15-years-old and younger, play for \$25 when playing with a paying adult. (\$)

**Saturday Golf Clinics, (Saturdays, 10-11 a.m.)**

Beginner to moderate-level golfers can enjoy small group instruction from PGA golf staff at Waldorf Astoria Golf Club; Nike® golf clubs are available for use, if needed. \$35 per person, sleeve of logo golf balls included. (\$)

**Specialty Weekend Celebrations**

For even more fun throughout the summer, the resort will feature several specialty weekends with additional activities or entertainment

Memorial Day Weekend Fireworks (Saturday, May 28, 9:30 p.m.)

Fourth of July Weekend Fireworks (Saturday, July 2, 9:30 p.m.)

Enchanted Evenings activities are reserved for guests staying at Waldorf Astoria Orlando and Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek and may require an additional fee. To make a reservation, please visit <http://www.waldorfastoriaorlando.com/enchanted-evenings> or call +1 888 353 2009.

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