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Waldorf Astoria Orlando Hosts Enchanted Evenings for Guests

*Disney®-area Resort Celebrates the Summer Season
with a Schedule of Special Events and Programming*

ORLANDO, Fla. – April 7, 2014 – Waldorf Astoria Orlando is celebrating summer with another season of Enchanted Evenings, running weekends May 23 through September 1, 2014. This summer-long schedule includes ongoing events and special activities from dawn to dusk and into the evening throughout the season for all guests staying at Waldorf Astoria Orlando, located near *Walt Disney World® Resort*.

Daily poolside activities, live entertainment, regatta boat decorating and special culinary experiences are some of the activities planned to enhance the summer vacation experience for every member of the family.

“Summer is a time for families, and Orlando is the land of enchantment for families to play, unwind and relax together,” says John Carns, general manager, Waldorf Astoria Orlando. “At Waldorf Astoria Orlando, we have a number of choices to give everyone a chance to create memories.”

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

Champagne Check-In (*Fridays, 4-6 p.m.*)

Celebrating guests' arrival with a complimentary glass of champagne.

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

Guests can watch the hotel's mad scientist create the most magical ice cream in front of their eyes, thanks to liquid nitrogen (which is more than 300 degrees below zero) and some amazing ingredients. (\$)

Summer Solstice Nights – Music, Fun and Dining at Sunset (*Saturdays, 6-8 p.m.*)

Guests may attend Summer Solstice Nights every Saturday to celebrate the season with savory culinary creations and poolside entertainment at Aquamarine. (\$)

Enchanted Evenings Horse and Carriage Rides (*Saturdays, 7-11 p.m.*)

Enchanting trip around the resort in a lighted horse-drawn carriage. \$85 per carriage for 30 minutes, includes champagne and strawberries. (\$)

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

Muddle, mix and sample! Guests partake in an interactive experience creating their very own refreshing summer cocktails.

Water Walkers (*Fridays, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 6-8 p.m.; Saturdays, 11 a.m.-1 p.m. and 5-6 p.m.*)

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

Regatta Sailboat Decorating (*Fridays and Saturdays, 11 a.m.-8 p.m.*)

During the day, families can purchase and decorate a Regatta sailboat then have fun watching it sail across the pool or create a friendly competition racing each other's boats. (\$)

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

Kids get to take a break from their 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. (\$)

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

Guests may extend the bliss of a spa treatment as they wind down with complimentary

champagne and chocolate in the Waldorf Astoria Spa lounge. (\$)

Family S'mores Night (*Fridays and Saturdays, 7-9 p.m.*)

Families gather around the fire pit to roast marshmallows and make their own S'mores. (\$)

Evening Entertainment at Peacock Alley (*Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays, 8-10 p.m.*)

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

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

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

Waldorf Astoria Orlando Art Tour (*Sundays, 2-2:30 p.m.*)

Guests will explore the history of prized artwork throughout the resort. Contact the Concierge for availability and reservations.

Royal Tea (*Sundays, 3-5 p.m.*)

Guests 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 strongly recommended and may be made through the Concierge. (\$)

Bar du Chocolat (*Select Holiday Weekends, 6:30-10:30 p.m.*)

Guests may enjoy nearly 30 a la carte chocolate treats hand-crafted by Waldorf Astoria Orlando's world-class pastry team. Highlights include chocolate truffles, exotic chocolate cakes and bowls of beautiful bon-bons. Priced per piece. Available May 23, May 24, July 4, July 5, August 26 and August 27. (\$)

Special Golf Experiences

For tee times and more information, guests may contact the Waldorf Astoria® Golf Club at +1 407 597 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 2pm. for \$75. (\$)

- **Family Golf (*Daily*)**

An opportunity for junior or beginner 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.)**

Small group golf instruction from PGA golf staff at Waldorf Astoria Golf Club. Nike® golf clubs provided if needed. Beginner to moderate-based instruction. \$35 per person, sleeve of logo golf balls included. (\$)

- **Golf Getaway Package at Waldorf Astoria Golf Club (Saturdays and Sundays, 9 a.m.-noon)**

Golf enthusiasts can enjoy a relaxing 18 holes for \$95, including rental clubs and a \$20 food/beverage credit at the cart. (\$)

Specialty Weekend Celebrations

Bonnet Creek proudly presents a private fireworks display for resort guests during:

- Memorial Day Weekend Fireworks at 9:30 p.m. (Saturday, May 24)
- Fourth of July Weekend Fireworks at 9:30 p.m. (Saturday, July 5)

Guests are invited to experience Enchanted Evenings with rates starting at \$249. To make a reservation, please visit www.waldorfastoriaorlando.com/enchanted-evenings or call +1 888 353 2009.

Waldorf Astoria Orlando has put the destination on the map for luxury travelers. Nestled in a nature preserve and conveniently located near *Walt Disney World*®, the resort is a sanctuary from the hustle and bustle of neighboring theme parks. Cara Goldsbury, author of *Luxury Guide to Disney World*, calls it “stunningly impressive.” “Swank and sophisticated, Waldorf Astoria has redefined local luxury in Orlando,” she said.

The hotel is part of a unique resort complex that also features the top-rated Hilton Orlando Bonnet Creek, the award-winning Waldorf Astoria® Spa and Waldorf Astoria® Golf Club, the championship golf course artfully designed by Rees Jones and named one of the most “playable” courses in the crowded Florida market by two national golf magazines.

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