

Business

Staycation temptation

Resorts and hotels offering off-season discounts and deals

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We've reached the dog days of summer, and while Palm Beach is at its hottest, there's no reason to not enjoy them to the fullest. The heat scares off the snowbirds and hotels have more rooms available than usual, so treat yourself to a luxurious staycation at a fraction of the price with nearby summer deals.

The Breakers is the epitome of Palm Beach luxury. Since 1896, the hotel's guest list has included the "who's who" of renowned families like the Vanderbilts, Rockefeller's; United States Presidents; and celebrities including Gwen Stefani, Cameron Diaz and Elton John. People are attracted to the hotel's Italian Renaissance opulence and oceanfront relaxation, which includes nine restaurants, 12 on-property boutiques for shopping, including a Lilly Pulitzer store, tennis courts and a fitness center.

Golfers will be attracted to the recently renovated championship courses including the The Breakers' Ocean Course designed by famed golf-course architect Rees Jones. According to a state golf-heritage program of the Florida Department of State's Division of Historic Resources, the Ocean Course is one of the two oldest Florida golf courses. Nearby is the Family Entertainment Center designed for kids of all ages with an indoor play space, a toddlers' room, arcade, video lounge, an outdoor playground and basketball court.

Pick up a bike next door for

a cruise around the island or take a bike tour to learn all about Palm Beach's history. But for the utmost relaxation, opt for a day at the spa which is also offering special deals this summer including a free 25-minute service through Aug. 31 with the purchase of an 80-minute OSEA, Guerlain and Tammy Fender treatment, a \$99 service until Sep. 30 or a \$150 Swedish massage through Aug. 31.

Until Dec. 15, the hotel is offering a sixth-night-free deal when booking six consecutive nights, and the offer can be bundled with the ongoing complimentary benefits deals, available until Sept. 30, including free breakfast buffet at The Circle or The Beach Club Restaurant, free meals for kids 12 and under, unlimited access to the tennis courts, unlimited access to the fitness center and classes including cycling and yoga.

Other Palm Beach deals

The Brazilian Court

Florida residents can book nights for \$189 in August and \$199 in September. The deal includes complimentary valet parking.

The Chesterfield

Until Sept. 28, The Chesterfield will be offering three nights for the price of two. The deal includes free valet service and WiFi.

Four Seasons

Starting Aug. 21 until Nov. 21 receive the fourth night free when booking three consecutive nights, or opt for the \$200 credit deal to use toward food, beverages and spa treatments when booking two nights.

Deals outside of Palm Beach

Eau Palm Beach



The Breakers is the grande dame resort of Palm Beach; guests can get a sixth night free until Dec. 15. Since 1896, the hotel's guest list has included the "who's who" of renowned families. [COURTESY OF THE BREAKERS]



Eau Palm Beach Resort & Spa is offering the third night free until Sept. 30. Florida residents can also receive complimentary parking and a one-time \$50 resort credit when they book a stay through Oct. 31. [COURTESY OF EAU]

— **Manalapan**
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resort credit when booking a stay through Oct. 31.
Pelican Grand Beach Resort — Fort Lauderdale Florida residents receive

20 percent off best available rates, starting at \$279 a night, for stays through Sept. 22.

Bohemian Hotel

Celebration — Orlando Florida residents receive exclusive room rates for \$159 a night until Sept. 30.

Westgate River

Ranch Resort & Rodeo

— **River Ranch** Florida residents are eligible for \$155 nights through Sept. 30.

Lighthouse Pointe at Grand Lucayan

— **The Bahamas** All-inclusive room rates through Dec. 31 starting at \$340 a night for Florida residents. The deal includes meals, premium drinks, entertainment and activities.

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BUSINESS NOTES

Alpert Jewish Family Services appoints new chief



Jane Fetterly

Marc D. Hopin has been appointed chief executive officer of the Alpert Jewish Family Services of Palm Beach County and Levine Jewish Residential Services. He has worked for the nonprofit for six years, most recently as interim CEO. He has 35 years of experience in operation management.

Michael A. Lampert,

chairman of the board of directors and member of the search committee, stated, "We are confident of what we can accomplish for our community with Marc at the helm."

For information visit alpertjfs.org.

Best lawyers: Palm Beach residents **Larry B. Alexander** and **Ben Alexander**, father and son real estate lawyers, are listed in the publication, "The Best Lawyers in America 2020." **John "Skip" Randolph**, attorney for The Town of Palm Beach, was recognized in the categories of municipal

litigation and municipal law.

All are associates of Jones Foster Law, which has offices at 350 Royal Palm Way. The firm was founded in 1924. Visit jonesfoster.com.

New board members: Meals on Wheels of the Palm Beaches announces the following new members of the board of directors: **Geri Emmett**, **Jim Jenkins**, **Rick Sartory** and **Louis Tomeo**.

Emmett is an owner of Duffy's Sports Grill and a founder of Duffy's Foundation; Jenkins is a founder of Storage Rentals of America and The Alliant Co.; Sartory is president

of Sartory Solutions, a public affairs company focused on the nonprofit industry; Tomeo is director of court operations for the Clerk and Comptroller for Palm Beach County.

Meals on Wheels provides food for seniors living alone. Call 802-6979 or visit mealsonwheelspalmbeaches.org.

On the horizon: The Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches will present the 28th annual Athena Leadership Awards to outstanding area women at 11:30 a.m. Sept. 20 at the Palm Beach County Convention Center, 650 Okeechobee

Boulevard. For information visit palmbeaches.org.

Author alert: Basil Hero, author and former investigative reporter for NBC News, will discuss his new book at 1:30 p.m. Oct. 23 at the Dixon Education Building of The Society of the Four Arts.

The book, "The Mission of a Lifetime: Lessons From the Men Who Went to the Moon," concerns 12 former astronauts known as the Eagles. Reservations are required and will be available Sept. 20. Call the Four Arts' King Library at 655-2766 or email kinglibrary@fourarts.org.

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