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LIDO BEACH RESORT

SARASOTA, Fla. – Located on 300 feet of white sand beach, Lido Key’s largest private stretch of beach, Lido Beach Resort is a relaxing destination for leisure or business. Lido Key sits only two and a half miles west of Sarasota in beautiful southwest Florida.

The beachfront resort has 222 guest rooms including luxury suites offering guests amenities such as Sealy® Posturepedic Elite Plush Top bedding, complimentary high-speed Internet access, data port telephone with voicemail, individual climate control and in-room entertainment system including pay movies, Nintendo® and Web-TV. Guests can relax by two beachfront year-round heated free-form pools -- one for families and one for adults only, three poolside Jacuzzi’s®, or on the tropically landscaped sundeck. While soaking in the warm southwest Florida sun, enjoy a snack or refreshing drink from the beachside Tiki bar. Then, spend the afternoon playing a game of beach volleyball against the backdrop of the blue-green waters of the Gulf of Mexico.

On your way to dinner at the Lido Beach Grille, take a peaceful stroll through the garden area with waterfalls and a Koi pond. Once you arrive at Lido Beach Grille, sip a tropical cocktail in the lounge while you enjoy live entertainment and watch the sun set. Lido Beach Grille specializes in regional American cuisine with a Mediterranean flair. Executive Chef Mario Martinez will tantalize your taste buds with dishes such as veal paillard, Greek braised lamb shanks, paella or Caribbean ratatouille. The Lido Beach Grille is open seven days a week from 5 p.m. until 10 p.m. and on Sundays from 10:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. for the Sunday Bayview Brunch.

With more than 6,000 square feet of flexible function space, Lido Beach Resort is the perfect destination for your personal or business function. Whether you desire an informal event or a formal

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affair, the trained staff of the Lido Beach Resort will take care of every detail and can accommodate your every need.

Situated two and a half miles west of Sarasota, resort guests can enjoy all that Sarasota has to offer as well. Choose from award-winning golf courses, shopping, kayaking, bird watching, fishing, hiking, and spas. Also known as “Florida’s Cultural Coast,” Sarasota County offers opera, ballet, symphonies, galleries, museums and annual festivals.

Located only 60 miles south of Tampa, Lido Beach Resort is easily accessible from four airports: Sarasota – Bradenton International Airport (SRQ), Tampa International Airport (TPA), St. Petersburg – Clearwater International Airport (PIE) and Ft. Myers – Southwest Regional (RSW).

Lido Beach Resort is the perfect destination for a vacation, a business conference or your next big event. For more information, please contact Lido Beach Resort at 941/388.2161 or visit www.lidobeachresort.com.

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About Lido Beach Resort

Located on Southwest Florida’s Gulf Coast in the Sarasota area, the Lido Beach Resort is situated on five acres of prime beachfront. The Resort features an outstanding array of accommodations with 14 distinct floorplans, sweeping views and en-suite kitchens. Offering one of the best beaches on Florida’s west coast, the property is also highlighted with two swimming pools, fitness facilities and 6,000 square feet of flexible meeting space; and is convenient to all the world-class dining and shopping of the fabled St. Armand’s Circle. With its panoramic views of the Sarasota city skyline, the Lido Beach Resort’s restaurant, *the Lido Beach Grille*, is highly acclaimed and serves the finest New American cuisine with inspired seafood selections. For reservations or information on the Lido Beach Resort, please call (877) 801-1398 or (941) 234-0718, or click to www.lidobeachresort.com.