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MONTAGE LAGUNA BEACH BECKONS TRAVELERS TO HOLIDAY MERRIMENT ALONG THE PACIFIC OCEAN

Seasonal Holiday Packages, Family Events, Special Spa Treatments and Celebratory Dining

LAGUNA BEACH, Calif. (October 24, 2017) – Destination travelers who believe holiday vacations should be fun, relaxing, luxurious, delicious and extra memorable, will want to make plans to visit Montage Laguna Beach. The Forbes Travel Guide Five-Star/AAA Five Diamond award-winning resort is also cited as a "Top Hotel in Southern California" by Condé Nast Traveler Readers' Choice Awards – excellent recommendations for enjoying either the Holiday Shopping Experience or Holiday Memories package. Also, pre-Christmas family events including Gingerbread Decorating on December 3 and 10; Santa Claus Tuck-in and Holiday Stocking Delivery from December 20 to 24; and Christmas Eve Magic on December 24 are sure to delight the younger vacation set. No top-resort trip is complete without a visit to Spa Montage, which offers five new seasonal treatments. For fine holiday dining, The Loft and Studio restaurants have created celebratory tasting menus for Christmas and New Year's Eve. And, there will be a Masterpiece Holiday Celebration on Christmas Day complete with live entertainment and a Paintbox New Year's Eve Party just for children.

2017 Holiday Packages at Montage Laguna Beach:

Holiday Memories

Valid through December 18, 2017

Vacationers will create lifelong memories by the sea this holiday season at Montage Laguna Beach. They'll capture magical moments with family and loved ones with a complimentary photo session and \$100 print credit with Pacific Dream Photography, \$60 daily dining credit for breakfast at The Loft or in-room dining, complimentary resort fee and valet parking. For those who want to linger longer, they can enjoy a fourth night free when booking the Holiday Memories package.

Restrictions apply. Package starts at \$790 per night; book three nights and the fourth night is free

Holiday Shopping Experience

Valid November 27 through December 27, 2017

Montage Laguna Beach has partnered with Southern California's premier shopping destination, South Coast Plaza, to bring an exclusive experience with all the trimmings. This holiday wonderland features 250 boutiques and department stores to inspire extraordinary gift giving. Guests who reserve two nights in an

oceanfront guestroom will receive a daily \$60 breakfast credit at The Loft or in-room dining, complimentary resort fee, a \$100 gift certificate to South Coast Plaza and entry to its VIP ACCESS Suite.

Restrictions apply. Two-night package starts at \$1,520.

For room reservations, call (866) 271-6953 or visit www.montagehotels.com/lagunabeach.

Just for the family, Holiday Events at Montage Laguna Beach include:

Family Gingerbread Decorating in the Gallery Ballroom

Sunday, December 3 and 10, from 1 to 3 p.m.

The entire family can show off their creativity during Montage's gingerbread house decorating class led by the resort's pastry team. Attendees will leave with their own gingerbread houses, a Montage apron and cookie recipe to relive the magic in their kitchens at home. Beverages, hot chocolate, cider and light bites will be provided.

\$45 per adult, \$35 per child; reservations are required by calling (949) 715-6420.

Santa Claus Tuck-In

December 20 to 24

Santa Claus will visit younger guests in their rooms and read the holiday classic, "Twas the Night Before Christmas," wishing them sweet dreams with milk and cookies.

24-hour advanced notice required; \$95 per room.

Holiday Stocking Delivery

December 20 to 24

Little ones will be thrilled with a personalized Holiday Stocking delivered directly to their room.

24-hour advanced notice required; \$95 per stocking.

Christmas Eve Magic

December 24 from 6 to 8 p.m.

Families are invited to snuggle up around the fire pit for s'mores, cocoa and cider while enjoying the music of live carolers. Children can write a letter to Santa and take away a professional photo as a holiday keepsake. At 7 p.m. sharp, one of Santa's helpers will read "Twas the Night Before Christmas." Families will have the opportunity to meet Santa Claus himself!

No reservations required; complimentary.

Spa Montage Welcomes Five New Holiday Treatments and a Day-Long Spa Experience

Available November 1 to December 31

Stunning Spa Montage Laguna Beach set along its coveted beachfront perch introduces five new treatments based on holistic principles and noninvasive techniques to help guests feel healthy and vital and look their best during the holiday season. The treatments are Warming Ginger Massage; Lemon Juniper Detox Massage; 'Tis the Season to Spa and Shop; Blissful Bubbles Package; and Healthy Through the Holidays. Guests who book a treatment at Spa Montage are invited to the resort's oceanfront fitness facilities, the adult-only spa pool, the relaxing and tranquil lounge and steam and sauna areas.

For Spa reservations, call (949) 715-6010 or email mlbspareception@montagehotels.com.

World-Class Celebratory Dining and Holiday Season Culinary Events at Montage Laguna Beach Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, New Year's Eve and special events

Montage always celebrates the joys of fine dining and beverage merriment during the holiday season. On Sunday, December 10, is a decadent **Champagne Holiday Brunch** on the Studio Lawn. **The Balvenie Whisky Dinner** in The Loft is Thursday, December 14, and there will be a special **Cheese and Wine Tasting** event on Saturday, December 16, on The Loft Patio. Both acclaimed signature restaurants, Studio and The Loft, will serve exquisite holiday or tasting menus on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Year's Eve. On Christmas Day the resort is throwing a **Masterpiece Holiday Celebration** with live entertainment, complimentary champagne toast, 12-station holiday buffet and more. Also, for the kids, Paintbox will throw its annual New Year's Eve Party.

For holiday dining reservations, call (949) 715-6420. For Paintbox party, call (949) 715-6005.

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About Montage Laguna Beach

Montage, set on a coastal bluff overlooking the Pacific in the heart of the vibrant arts community of Laguna Beach, offers 30 acres of oceanfront luxury. The 250-room craftsman-style resort features beachfront accommodations; a 20,000-square-foot spa; destination dining at Studio; a wealth of outdoor recreation, including three pools, beach and water sports; a fine art collection; and more than 20,000 square feet of indoor and outdoor meeting space. For information and reservations, please contact Montage, toll-free, at 1-888-715-6700; or visit www.montagehotels.com/lagunabeach.

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