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SUMMER SEASON SAVINGS AT GRANDE LAKES ORLANDO

“New Fly-fishing and Eco-tour Programs Offer More Choices for Summer Fun”

Orlando, FL – May 26, 2006 – Experience luxury, superior accommodations and impeccable dining at great prices when visiting Orlando this summer. Grande Lakes Orlando is offering unbeatable rates at both The Ritz-Carlton and JW Marriott from June 28 through September 7, 2006. Summer rates at The Ritz-Carlton start at \$189 per night while the JW Marriott rates start at \$179 per night. Families can also take advantage of packages at both hotels offering up to 30% savings as follows:

Rates for The Ritz-Carlton Family Package begin at \$438 per night, and include:

- Two connecting rooms (connecting king to double/double) with a confirmed upgrade to Lake View at the time of booking
- Children (up to age 12) eat at no charge from the children’s menu in all Ritz-Carlton restaurants (except for Norman’s) with every adult entrée purchased
- Complimentary Ritz-Carlton logo photo album and disposable camera
- Complimentary Ritz Kids for up to 2 children (ages 5 to 12) or breakfast buffet for 2 adults and 2 children (up to age 12) at The Vineyard Grill
- Ice cream passport for up to 2 children (up to age 12) for unlimited ice cream at The Ritz-Carlton
- Guaranteed 2 p.m. late checkout

Rates for the Family Package at JW Marriott Orlando start at \$418 per night and include:

- Two connecting Deluxe Rooms (connecting king to double/double)
- Breakfast for two adults and two children (up to age 12) in Citron
- Four signature specialty drinks at Quench (souvenir cup included)
- Complimentary self parking
- Unlimited pool amenities (noodles/floats, etc.)
- 25 game tokens for use at the JW Marriott game room
- Unlimited ice cream for children (up to age 12) at the JW Marriott
- Guaranteed late 2 p.m. checkout

The resort continues to expand its myriad of activities with the introduction of Grande Lakes Outfitters, a program that features an Orvis-endorsed Fly Fishing School as well as eco-tours on Shingle Creek, the headwaters of the Everglades. This is one of the few luxury resorts in the U.S. to offer such a program on site and managed by the resort.

Starting at **\$60 per person**, fly fishing and eco-tour adventures are available to guests at both The Ritz-Carlton and JW Marriott hotels, as well as to all outside visitors. Grande Lakes Outfitters offers private fly fishing instructions, full-day fly fishing seminars, fly fishing tours with professional guides and private guided eco-tours on Shingle Creek. Fly fishing activities take place on the 12-acre Shingle Pond (parallel to Shingle Creek), which sits on the most remote section of Grande Lakes. Here, Hyde Drift boats take guests out to the picturesque waters, where fly fishing enthusiasts reel in the catch of the day. During their adventure, guests can also catch a glimpse of bobcats, deer and wild turkey roaming at the shoreline.

For those who want to experience Florida's natural preserves, Grande Lakes Outfitters' interpretive eco-tours offer guided canoe or kayak tours of Shingle Creek. Guests can learn about the history of Shingle Creek and observe the native species in their natural habitat, such as alligators, bald eagles and bobcats.

Guests at both hotels can enjoy all the facilities and services at the 500-acre Grande Lakes Orlando, including the 18-hole championship golf course, designed by Greg Norman and the 40,000-square-foot Ritz-Carlton Spa offering a wide selection of natural treatments, baths and hydrotherapies.

For reservations, call: **The Ritz-Carlton Orlando** at 1-800-576-5760/ **JW Marriott Orlando** at 1-800-576-5750. For more information about Grande Lakes Orlando, visit www.grandelakes.com.

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