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GALVESTON GIFT WRAPPED

Ring in the Holiday Season with The San Luis Resort

GALVESTON, TEXAS — The San Luis Resort, Spa & Conference Center is decking the halls for a Christmas and New Year's Eve to remember. "The San Luis is so privileged to host Santa before Christmas this year and we are excited to share him with our guests," said Paul Schultz, Vice President of Hospitality for Landry's Hotel Division. To celebrate the holidays, the hotel is hosting an assortment of fun activities for guests and visitors of all ages.

Beginning on Friday, December 5, The San Luis will be serving Hot Wassail in the lobby every Friday and Saturday evening throughout December.

On Thursday, November 20 and Thursday, December 11, gather your friends for "Michelangelo & Meatballs," a holiday evening of painting, dining and drinking. Paint your own masterpiece, while enjoying meatballs and merlot. For more information and to make reservations, please email SLHTreservations@ldry.com.

On Thursday, December 4, guests are invited to a relaxing evening at "SPArkletini" in Spa San Luis from 4 p.m. – 8 p.m. Indulge in appetizers and bellinis while pampering yourself with mini spa treatments and services, including chair massages, hydrating hand and foot treatments, makeup touch ups and more. Visitors can shop for friends and loved ones at the Brighton Trunk Show (4 – 6 p.m.) in Style Boutique. At the end of the evening, guests will also receive holiday gift bags from vendors including MoroccanOil, Butter London, Farm House Fresh and SkinCeuticals. For reservations to the complimentary open house, please RSVP to cperez@ldry.com.

Wednesday evenings throughout the holiday season, guests are invited to warm up at the H2o firepit for homemade whoopie pies during "Makin' Whoopie Wednesdays." The event is complimentary and will be held December 3, 10 and 17 beginning at 6 p.m.

H2o turns into an adults-only evening of live music, dancing, snow blower and a shot luge during the "White Wonderland Party" on Saturday, December 20 from 8 p.m. – 2 a.m. White attire is strongly encouraged. Santa and Mrs. Claus will also be in attendance, so be sure to bring your wish list!

On Sunday, December 21, Santa and Mrs. Claus are taking a break from their busy schedules at the North Pole to hear last minute holiday wishes at Blake's Bistro! Children of all ages and their families are welcome to enjoy a fantastically festive, fun-filled morning—complete with a lavish holiday breakfast buffet. Reservations can be made by calling (409) 744-1500 and ask for Blake's Bistro.

On Christmas Day, enjoy an exquisite buffet featuring a variety of appetizers, classic holiday entrees, a full carving station and a sweet confectionary corner. Tickets are \$62 for adults and \$25 for children, ages four - twelve. Seating times are 10:30 a.m., 11:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 1:30 p.m. For reservations, please call (409) 744-1500 and ask for Blake's Bistro.

This New Year's Eve, join us for "An Evening in Old Havana" celebration in our Grand Ballroom, featuring

an award-winning four-course meal from Executive Chef Phil Bouza, premium bar selections, entertainment by The Billie Ledbetter Orchestra, party favors and a champagne toast balloon drop at midnight. The New Year's Eve Celebration costs \$199 per person. Luxurious overnight accommodations and two extravaganza event tickets cost \$599 per couple. Grotto Ristorante and The Steakhouse will be open on New Year's Eve with special menus available to ring in the new year. For more information and to confirm reservations, please call (409) 744-1500.

Be sure to be on the lookout for The San Luis' Elf on the Shelf! When you spot him at various places around the hotel, be sure to tag #TheSanLuisResort throughout the month of December.

About San Luis Resort, Hilton Galveston Island Resort and Holiday Inn Resort Galveston- On the Beach:

Stretching eight blocks along the island's renowned Seawall Boulevard, the 32-walkable-acre property offers beautiful, unobstructed views of the Gulf of Mexico as well as meeting space in each of its three hotels – The San Luis Hotel, Hilton Galveston Island Resort, and Holiday Inn Resort Galveston – On the Beach. Together, the hotels include a total of 700 luxurious rooms and 10 restaurants. The 16-story San Luis Hotel is comprised of 250 guestrooms, each complete with a private balcony overlooking the Gulf of Mexico. The San Luis Hotel also offers a luxurious spa, salon, fitness facility and boutique stores. For a mix of poolside mingling and innovative libations, H2o ultra-lounge offers stunning Gulf views aside a roaring fire pit with access to an extensive tropical menu. Neighboring The San Luis Hotel, Spa & Conference Center, Hilton Galveston Island Resort features sophisticated beachfront suites along with luxurious dining experiences that are each set in convenient locations for those who want to explore the city. Holiday Inn Resort Galveston – On the Beach is the third integral part of the extensive property. With an array of endless entertainment and activities set in relaxing environments, these beachfront properties offer a variety of fun for all ages. For more information, please call 409-744-1500.

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