

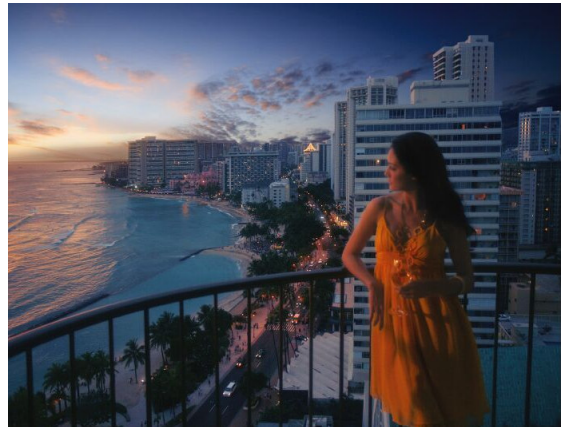


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SUMMER STAYCATION FOR KAMAAINA WITH SPECIAL ROOM RATE AT WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA

WAIKIKI, OAHU – June 15, 2009 – Kamaaina can rediscover Waikiki with a special room rate starting from \$129 at Waikiki Beach Marriott Resort & Spa.

Featuring newly renovated guestrooms and suites in the resort's Kealohilani Tower, the oceanfront resort is home to local favorites Sansei Seafood Restaurant & Sushi Bar, d.k Steak House, and Kuhio Beach Grill offering daily breakfast and dinner buffets with great summer promotions. Perfect for those who want to surf Canoes or Queen's during the south summer swells, the resort fronts the best stretch of Waikiki Beach.



For live, Hawaiian entertainment nightly, and daily pauhana drink and pupu specials from 5-7 p.m., there's the open-air Moana Terrace overlooking Kalakaua Avenue.

The summer rate is valid through August 31, 2009. Valid Hawaii State identification must be presented upon check-in. The rate is subject to availability and restrictions may apply.

For reservations, please call the resort at 922-6611.

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WAIKIKI BEACH MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA fronts the best stretch of Waikiki Beach. Conveniently located in the heart of Waikiki, the hotel offers 1,310 refurbished guest rooms and suites with private lanai providing spectacular views of world-famous Diamond Head and Waikiki Beach. Other amenities include Kuhio Beach Grill, featuring the best in Pacific Rim cuisine; Sansei Seafood Restaurant & Sushi Bar and d.k Steak House; Arancino di Mare Italian Restaurant; contemporary sushi bar; Moana Terrace, offering live Hawaiian entertainment nightly; Seattle's Best Coffee; Paul Brown's Spa Olakino * Salon; Faith Riding Company Surf School; two freshwater, heated swimming pools; 10-person whirlpool; 24-hour fitness facility; business center with 24-hour Internet access; high-speed and wireless Internet access throughout the resort's guest rooms and public spaces; shops and boutiques; and Hawaiian cultural activities. For more information, visit www.marriottwaikiki.com.

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