

FLORIDA DEMOCRATIC PARTY

2011

**JEFFERSON
JACKSON**

DINNER

JUNE 11TH, 2011

Westin Diplomat

GUEST INFORMATION PACKET



JEFFERSON-JACKSON WEEKEND SCHEDULE

JUNE 11TH - JUNE 12TH, 2011

**ALL EVENTS HELD
AT
THE WESTIN DIPLOMAT HOTEL & CONVENTION CENTER
3555 SOUTH OCEAN DRIVE - HOLLYWOOD, FL**

SATURDAY – JUNE 11th, 2011

8:00 AM - 9:30 AM

**STATE CHAIR'S BREAKFAST
WITH DEMOCRATIC CLUBS & CAUCUS PRESIDENTS**

Location: Room 303

Attendance: Open to Democratic Club & Caucus Presidents.

9:00 AM - 10:00 AM

**SPECIAL SESSION
VOTER REGISTRATION: 2011 LEGISLATIVE CHANGE**

Location: Room 312/313

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

10:30 AM-11:00 AM

JJ DINNER WILL-CALL/EARLY TICKET PICKUP & PURCHASE

Location: Outside of Room 312/313

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

DEMOCRATIC HAITIAN /CARIBBEAN CAUCUS

Location: Room 307

Attendance: Caucus Members.

10:00 AM – 11:00 AM

VOTE BUILDER TRAINING - BASIC

Location Room 319

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

SATURDAY – JUNE 11th, 2011 (continued)

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION COMMITTEE MEETING

Location: Room 312/313

Attendance: Committee Members.

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

VOTE BUILDER TRAINING - ADVANCED

Location Room 319

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

COMMITTEE ON CLUBS, CAUCUSES, & ORGANIZATIONS MEETING

Location: Diplomat Ballroom 1 (2nd Floor)

Attendance: Open to all Democrats & Committee Members.

12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

LUNCH (On Your Own)

1:00 PM - 2:30 PM

STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Location: Room 307

Attendance: State Executive Committee Members.

2:30 PM - 3:00 PM

DEMOCRATIC HISPANIC CAUCUS

Location: Room 320

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

3:00PM – 7:00PM

JJ DINNER WILL-CALL TICKET PICKUP & PURCHASE

Location: Outside of Great Hall (3rd floor)

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

DEMOCRATIC BUSINESS CAUCUS

Location: Room 307

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.



SATURDAY – JUNE 11th, 2011 (continued)

3:00 PM - 4:00 PM

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN'S CLUB

Location: Rooms 312/313

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

DEMOCRATIC VETERANS CAUCUS

Location: Room 218

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

DEMOCRATIC GLBT CAUCUS

Location: Rooms 312/313

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

DEMOCRATIC BLACK CAUCUS

Location: Room 314

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

4:00 PM - 5:30 PM

NETROOTS

Location: Diplomat Ballroom 2 (2nd Floor)

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

DEMOCRATIC LABOR CAUCUS

Location: Diplomat Ballroom 1 (2nd Floor)

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

4:30 PM - 5:30 PM

DEMOCRATIC STUDENT CAUCUS

Location: Room 218

Attendance: Open to all Democrats.

SATURDAY – JUNE 11th, 2011 (continued)

6:30 PM (DOORS OPEN)

JEFFERSON-JACKSON DINNER

Location: Great Hall (3rd Floor)

Attendance: TICKETED GUESTS ONLY

7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

JEFFERSON-JACKSON DINNER

Location: Great Hall (3rd Floor)

Attendance: TICKETED GUESTS ONLY

SUNDAY – JUNE 12th, 2011

10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Location: Diplomat Ballroom 1 (2nd Floor)

Attendance: Open to all Democrats & Committee Members.

11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

**DEMOCRATIC COUNTY CHAIRS ASSOCIATION / SMALL COUNTY
COALITION**

TARGETING AND PUTTING DEC'S TO WORK

Location: Rooms 312/313

Attendance: DEC Chairs/Vice Chairs and Small County Coalition Members.

Suggested Attire for Events

Business Attire

Contact for Event RSVP Questions or Concerns

Phone: Milli Smith (850) 222-3411

Email: msmith@fladems.com

Location/Maps of The Westin Diplomat

THE WESTIN DIPLOMAT RESORT & SPA

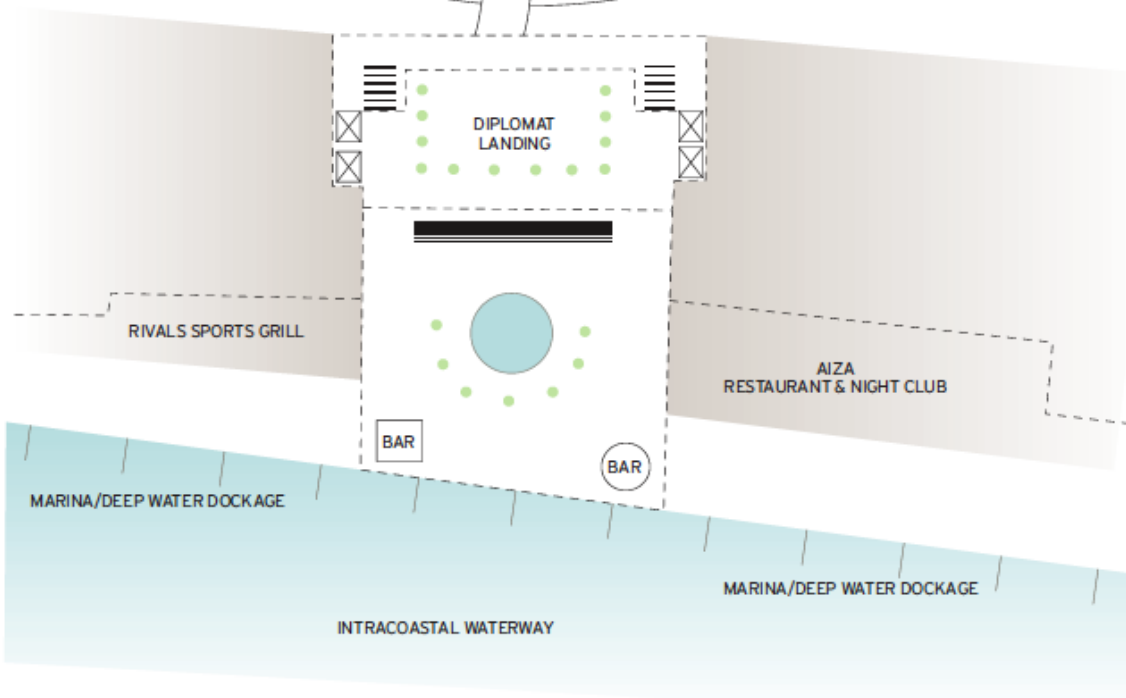
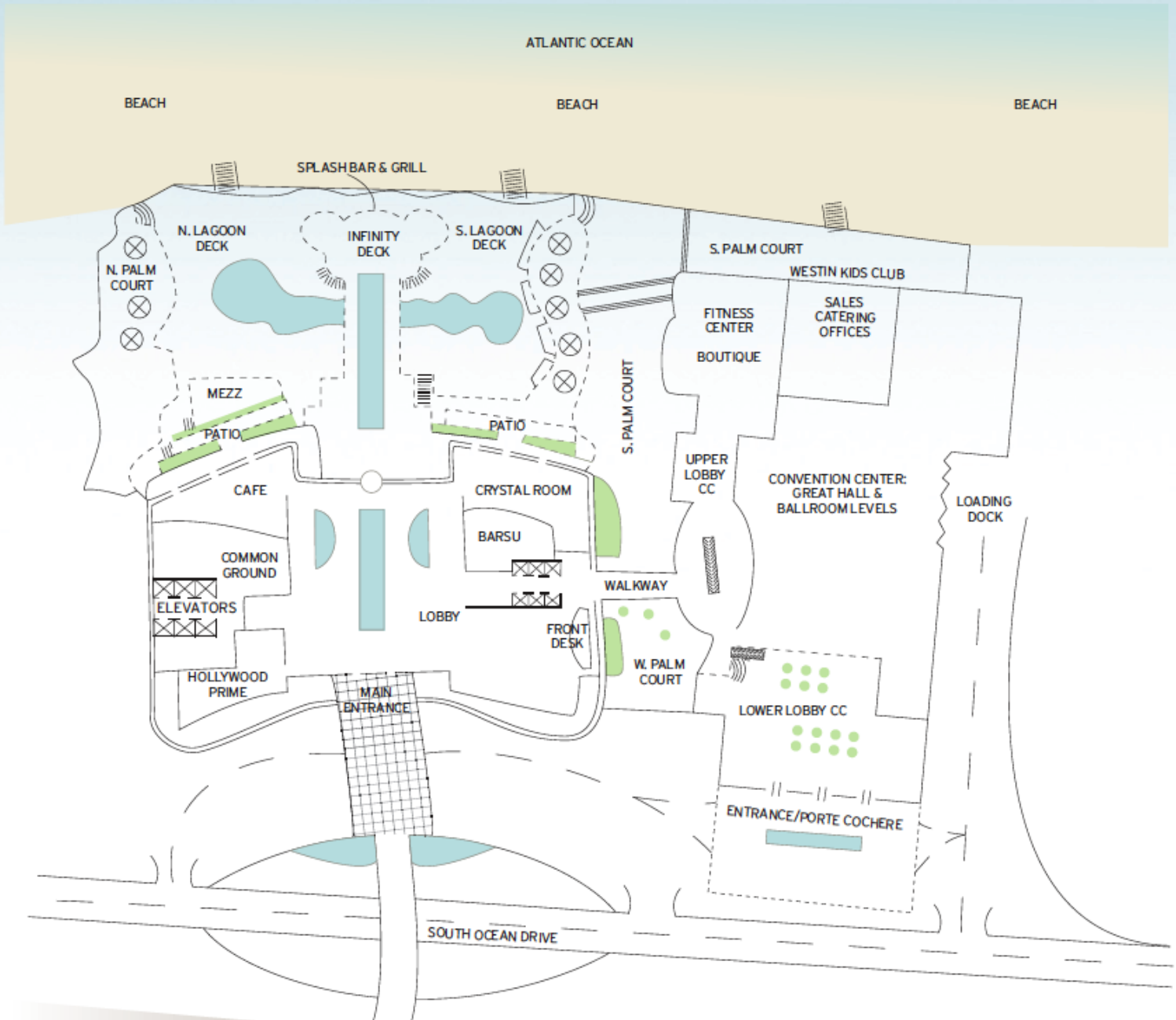
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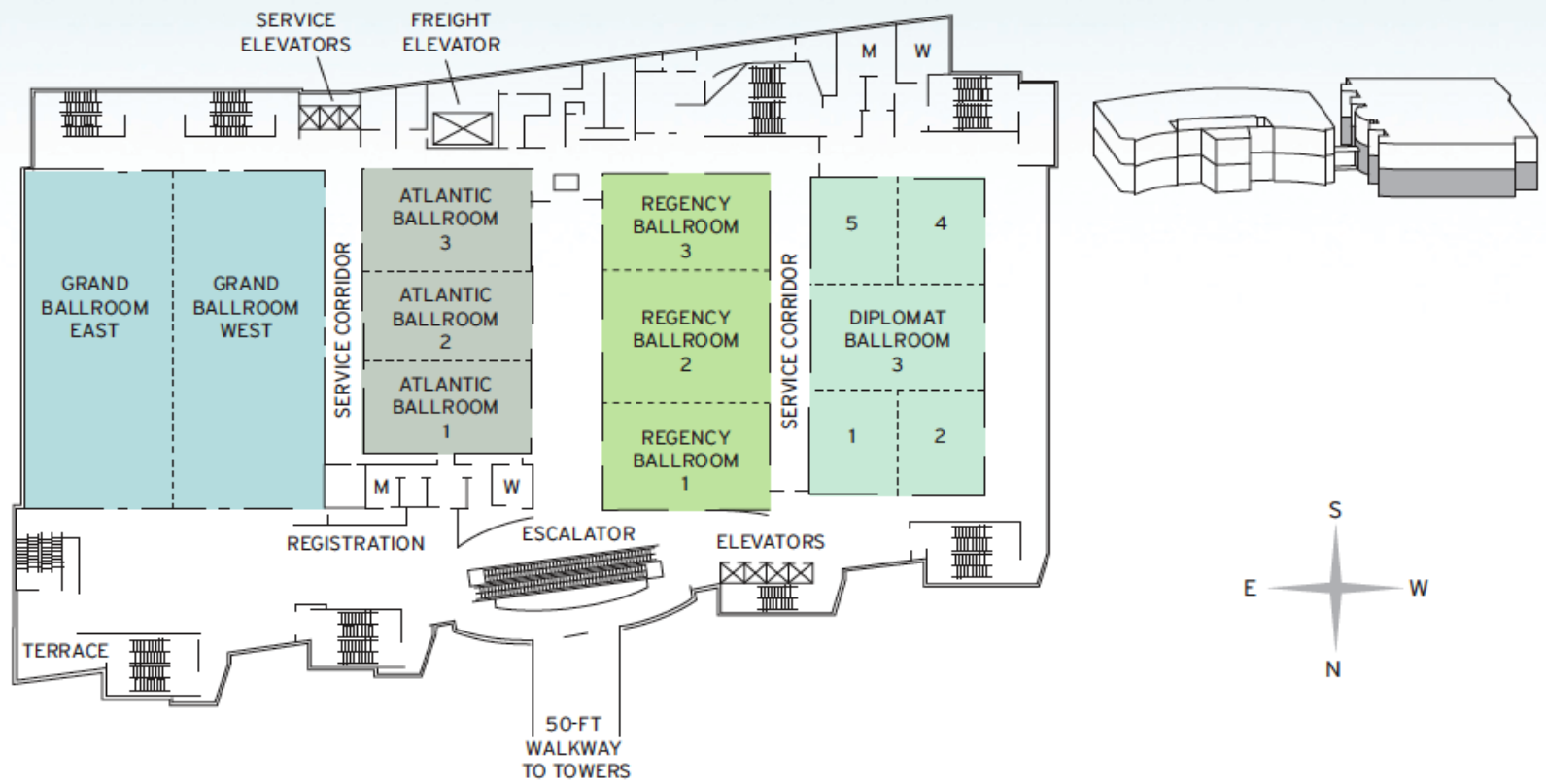


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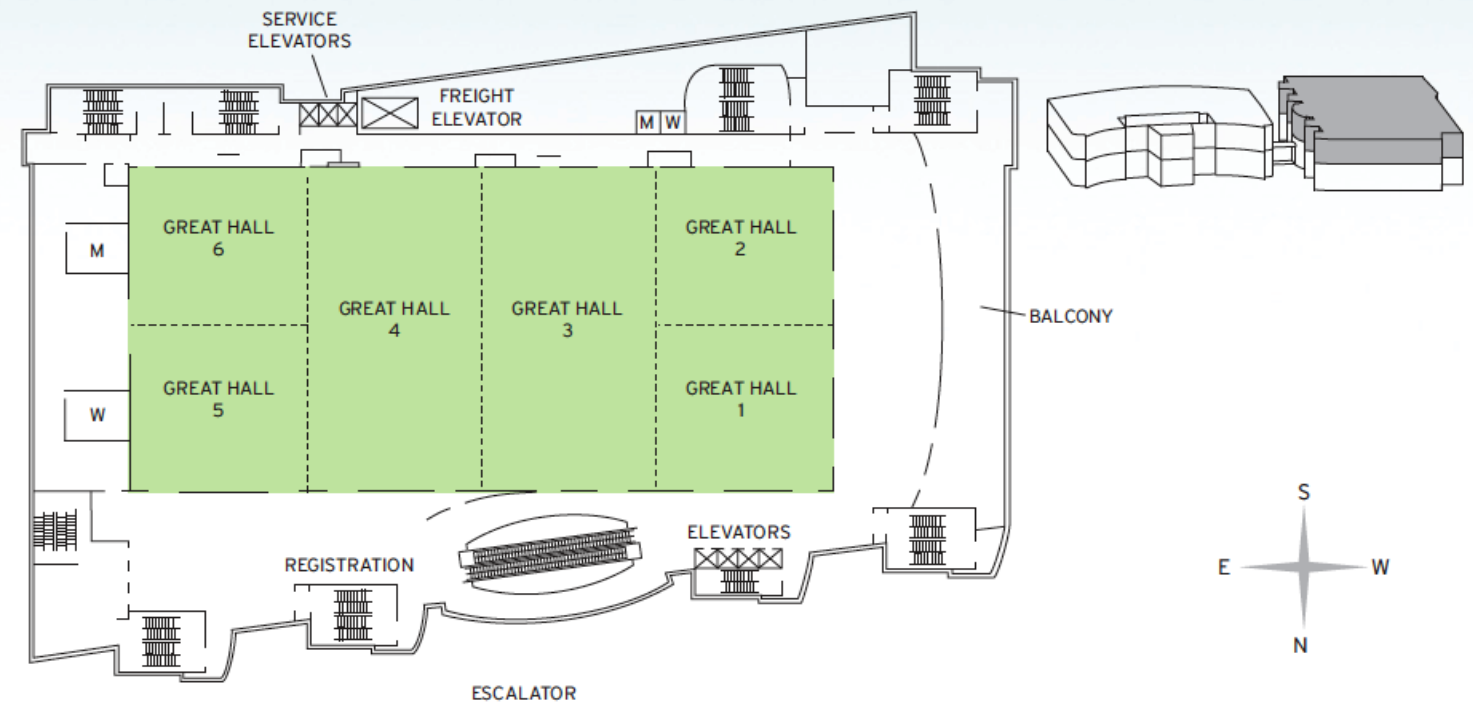
floor plans & capacity charts - beach location

CONVENTION CENTER, SECOND FLOOR



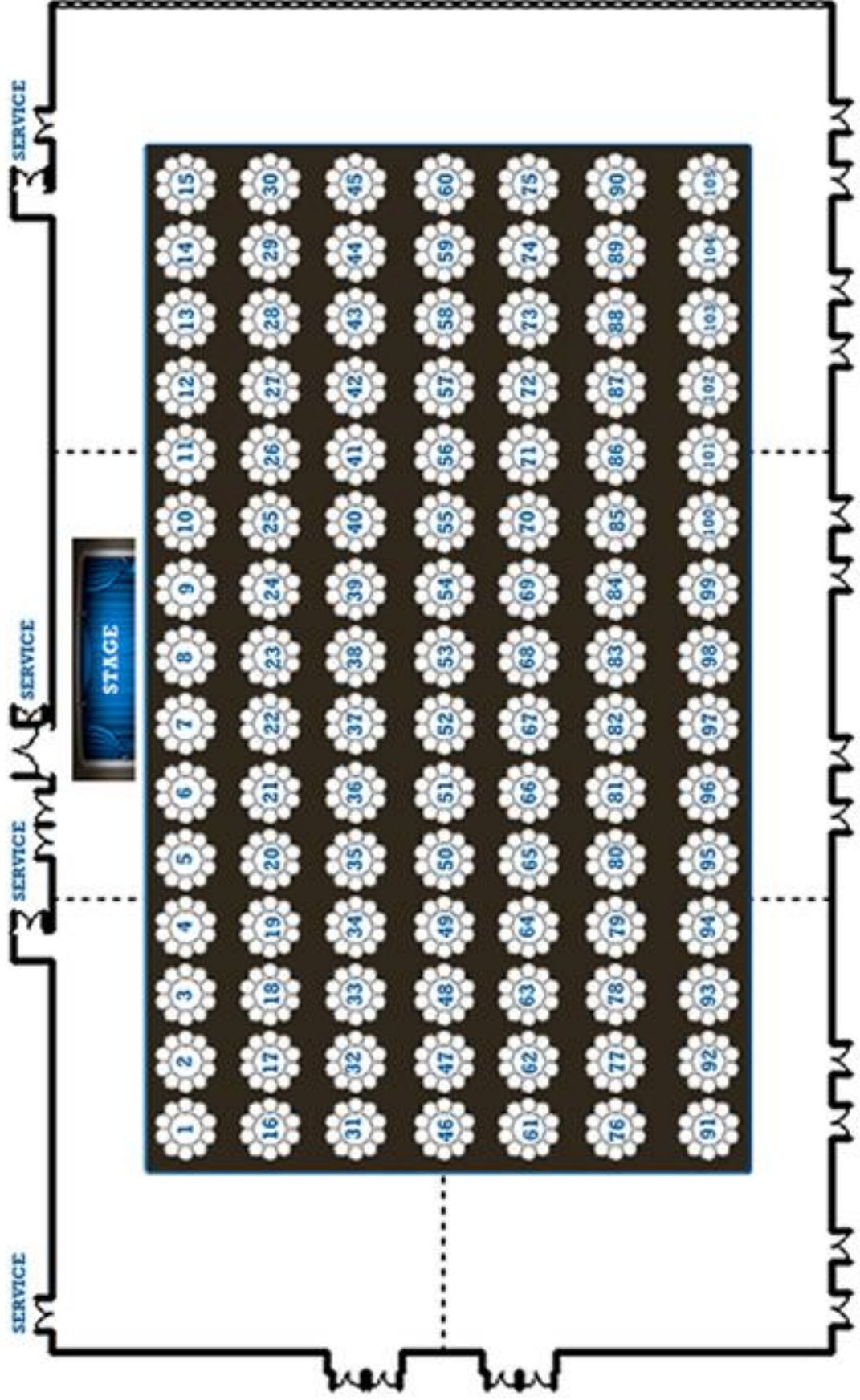
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CONVENTION CENTER, THIRD FLOOR



JEFFERSON-JACKSON DINNER TABLE DIAGRAM

Great Hall 3-6



Local Dining Options

(Please contact Resort Concierge at 954-602-8925 for Reservations)

Nando's Italian Restaurant

This is a guaranteed hit for the first timers! This restaurant offers Italian and Seafood dishes with live music every night. If you come once, you'll more than likely make a return visit. An added bonuses is its proximity to the resort. You can either walk (15 minutes) or drive (4 minutes).

Dining Style: Casual Dining (Piano Bar) **Cuisine:** Italian, Seafood

Distance from resort: Approx 4 minutes (Driving)

Billy's Stone Crab

Take a crack at this Hollywood seafooder/market courtesy of Billy Hershey (who got their start working at the legendary Joe's Stone Crab in Miami Beach); the menu casts a wide net, serving a variety of seafood and landlubber choices, but most are here for the crab claws along with classic pairings such as coleslaw and Key Lime Pie.

Dining Style: Casual Elegant **Cuisine:** Seafood

Distance from Resort: Approx. 4 minutes (Driving)

Giorgio's Grill

Overlooking the intercoastals, Giorgio's fabulous and relaxing Waterfront dining arguably boasts the best Sunset in all of Florida. Wood and Brass are the fixtures giving you that elegant classy feel with surprisingly affordable prices.

Enjoy the Mediterranean cuisine, engage in warm conversation and celebrate life! Specialties include traditional Mediterranean cuisine, including Seafood and Greek appetizers and refreshing Salads. They have an extensive wine list and full bar to compliment your evening of dining. Our homemade desserts and specialty coffee drinks provide a truly memorable finale to your Mediterranean Steaks and Seafood.

Distance from Resort: Approx 4 minutes (Driving)

Local Dining Options (Continued)

Frankie's 124

Frankie's 124 has been serving South Florida since 1971 by chef/proprietor Frank Perrone, and now his son Louis and nephew Peter Perrone. The establishment has been recognized by the Zagat Survey and won year after year the Wine Spectators restaurant award. The restaurant has a rich history in the Hallandale/Hollywood area. Originally Doria's, the Perrone Family has made their mark on South Florida with a contemporary feel to the atmosphere and a classic southern Italian feel to the menu.

Dining Style: Casual Elegant (Italian, Steak, Seafood)

Distance from Resort: Approx 7 minutes (Driving)

Fulvio's 1900

The "aromas of New York City's Little Italy fill the room of this "romantic," "tried and true" Downtown Hollywood Italian where supporters snap up "Delicious" dishes paired with "wonderful" wine selections from the 400 label list: although it may be costly, you will not hear complaints about the friendly service since "hospitality rules" here.

Dining Style: Casual Elegant Cuisine: Italian

Distance from Resort: Approx 10 minutes (Driving)

Il Mulino New York – Sunny Isles

Il Mulino has established its renown old world charm on the south west coast of Florida in Sunny Isles Beach at the fabulous Acqualina. The dining room boasts velvet curtains, burgundy carpet, mahogany millwork and wrought iron chandeliers and sconces. Glass paned French doors run the length of the dining room and look out over the patio and the Atlantic coast, making this a most unique and romantic spot. The menu includes classics from the Abruzzi region, prepared in the traditional ways – from scratch with only the best ingredients available on the market. All pastas are fresh and finished tableside. Both the Dover Sole and Mediterranean Sea Bass are flown in regularly and filleted for you in the dining room. The service staff make their Zabaglione and whipped cream each day to garnish the Ricotta Cheesecake and the Tiramisu that are also made in-house.

Dining Style: Casual Elegant Cuisine: Italian, Continental, European

Distance from Resort: Approx 10 minutes (Driving)

Local Dining Options (Continued)

La Piazza Pasta

La Piazza Pasta features Northern Italian and Southern Italian Cuisine. The menu selections reflect the warm and relaxed atmosphere that makes them a year-round favorite with the locals. The weekends feature live music in the connecting Sosta Lounge.

Dining Style: Casual/Elegant Italian Cuisine

Distance from Resort: Approx 10 minutes (Driving)

Chef Allen's

For the past 20 years Chef Allen Susser has been winning accolades of guests; and culinary critics with his signature Palm Tree Cuisine. The menu reflects a fusion of flavors from the Caribbean, Latin America, Southeast Asia, and the Mediterranean. Signature dishes include local seafood favorites like Bahamian Lobster and Crab Cakes, and Pistachio Crusted Black Grouper with Fricassee of Rock Shrimp, Mango, Leeks, and Coconut Rum. Other favorites include Chef Allen's Tribeca Veal Chop with Toasted Almond Risotto, Wild Mushroom Ragout, Double Mustard Sauce, and Jamaican Blue Mountain Coffee Crusted Filet Mignon Ginger Baked Calabaza, Rum Au Poivre Vert Sauce. Decadent desserts such as the Hazelnut Kit Kat Bars with Espresso Ice Cream or Chef Allen's Chocolate Truffle Soufflé are sure to make a lasting impression.

Dining Style: Fine Dining Cuisine: Contemporary American, Fusion/Eclectic

Distance from Resort: Approx 12 minutes (Driving)

Prezzo Restaurant and Martini Bar

Located in the heart of Aventura, Prezzo Restaurant and Martini Bar has been a fixture on the South Florida culinary scene since 1992. For the local business clientele, visitors and shoppers frequenting the area's many boutiques, Prezzo offers something for every taste. Portions are plentiful and abounding with flavors. Serving lunch and dinner seven days a week, Prezzo also offers a daily Happy Hour, Sunday Brunch and Sunset Dining. Take advantage of the year-round weather by dining on our outdoor patio, where you may choose from a selection of high-end cigars or partake of the popular hookahs, with a choice of 35 flavors of "shisha" tobacco.

Dining Style: Casual Elegant Cuisine (Eclectic/Seafood, Steak, Pasta, Brick Oven Pizza)

Distance from Resort: Approx 10-15 minutes (Driving)



Other Favorite Local Dining Experiences

Joe's Stone Crab

305.673.4611
Joesstonecrab.com
(Miami Beach)

Prime One Twelve

305.532.8112
Prime112.com
(Miami Beach)

The Forge

305.538.8522
Theforge.com
(Miami Beach)

Nobu

305.695.3232
Shoreclub.com
(Miami Beach)

Pearl / Nikki Beach

305.538.1111
penrods.com/pearl.htm
(Miami Beach)

Nemo

305.532.4550
Nemorestaurant.com
(Miami Beach)

Touch Restaurant

Ana – 305.672.9666
Touchrestaurant.com
(Miami Beach, Lincoln Rd)

Wish Restaurant

305.674.9474
Wishrestaurant.com
(Miami Beach)

Fun Around Town

GREATER HOLLYWOOD/FORT LAUDERDALE

Downtown Hollywood - See Concierge

The Historic Downtown is filled with restaurants, sidewalk cafes, unique boutiques and shops. Trolley service from hotel to downtown is available. 954-921-3016

West Lake Park and Anne Kolb Nature Center

954-926-2410

The park includes picnic areas, a biking/jogging path, tennis and racquetball court, volleyball areas, a playground and a marina where kayaks and canoes can be rented.

Fun Around Town (Continued)

Boomers at Dania

954-921-2416

Open 7 days a week, including holidays. Batting Cages, Bumper Boats, Bumper Cars, Game Room, Go-Karts, Kiddie Rides and more.

IGFA Fishing Hall of Fame

954-922-4212

The Hall of Fame captures the thrill, beauty and universal appeal of recreational fishing from prehistoric times into the future.

Seminole Indian Casino

954-961-3220

Round the clock poker tables, daily mini tournaments and weekly tournaments. Over 1000 gaming machines to play.

Gulfstream Park Racing & Casino

954-454-7000

Hopping with slots action and a Latin nightclub. Home to the finest winter thoroughbred racing in the nation, with more than 50 feature races that draw attention from around the world.

Mardi Gras Racetrack & Gaming Center

954-924-3200

Vegas style slots. Greyhound racing with live racing video, live race results and wagering. Hollywood Greyhound also simulcasts horse racing and harness racing.

Dolphin Stadium

305-623-6100

Home of the Miami Dolphins and the Florida Marlins

Hollywood ArtsPark

New 10-acre Young Circle ArtsPark, located right in the heart of downtown Hollywood, offers visitors a tranquil, cool spot to spend the afternoon with children's play area

Dania Jai Alai

954-927-2841

Explore the super sport called the world's fastest ballgame by the Guinness Book of World's Records. It is a thrilling game played with a rock hard ball traveling up to 180 mph.

Fun Around Town (Continued)

Butterfly World

954-977-4400

Imagine walking through a lush tropical rain forest with exotic butterflies flying overhead and all around you. Voted one of the best in the country by “Child’s Magazine”.

Festival Flea Market Mall

954-979-4555

Indoor flea market featuring, great bargains and air-conditioning.

Riverfront Cruise

945-467-6030

Las Olas Riverfront Brickell & Las Olas Blvd., Fort Lauderdale. You’ll experience the most comfortable and enjoyable sightseeing cruise in Fort Lauderdale.

Glass Bottom Boat

945-467-6030

Located on Fort Lauderdale Beach, just south of Las Olas Blvd.

Experience the splendor of the underwater world. Explore beautiful coral reefs in Fort Lauderdale.

Museum of Discovery IMAX - See Concierge

Their mission is to promote and increase the understanding and appreciation of science in children and adults. The museum is home of the IMAX Theater.

Sawgrass Mills Mall

945-846-2350

Florida’s largest retail and entertainment center features over 350 brand name stores and outlets offering savings of up to 70%. Find the best selection of designer names at less than designer prices. Experience one mile of shopping.

Wannado City

954-838-7100

America’s first indoor role-playing theme park for kids, where kids can do what they Wannado. From paleontologist to news reporter to everything in between. kids try out tons of grown-up jobs in the first indoor city just their size.

Fun Around Town (Continued)

Billie Swamp Safari

800-949-6101

Ski over glittering waterscapes in an airboat. Experience a swamp buggy eco tour. Learn about the land and history of the Seminole Indians.

Jungle Queen Riverboat

945-462-5596

The “all you wish to eat dinner: and the variety show has made it a must in Fort Lauderdale.

Las Olas Boulevard

1-800-4-LasOlas

Over 100 unique specialty shops and the best in fine dining.

MIAMI

Aventura Mall

305-935-1110

Visit one of the largest malls in Florida, featuring Bloomingdales and a 24-scren movie theater.

Bal Harbour Shops

305 866-0311

Visit one of the most exclusive upscale shopping in South Florida.

South Beach - See Concierge

Visit the Art Deco district or walk on Lincoln Road. Observe a diverse mix or art, shopping, fashion, cuisine and markets.

Parrot Jungle Island

305-2-jungle

Stroll along our tree-shaded jungle trails and encounter exotic animals and birds, great new exhibits and entertaining shows.

Bayside Marketplace

305-577-3344

Over 100 shops are your passports to the best this salsa city has to offer. Try a romantic tour, dance to tropical rhythms or shop at their unique shops.



Fun Around Town (Continued)

Miami Children's Museum

305-373-kids

Learn, play, imagine and create.

Vizcaya Museum

305-250-9133

3251 S. Miami Avenue, Miami

Italian Renaissance Villa nestled in 10 acres of formal gardens of Biscayne Bay.

Miami Seaquarium

305-365-2501

See the powerful and chill-packed performance of Lolita, the killer whale. Enjoy the soaring acrobatics of our high-flying flipper show.

Miami Metro Zoo

305-251-0400

12400 SW 152 Street, Miami

260 species are represented in the zoo's collection of more than 800 reptiles, birds and mammals

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