



Hilton Sandestin Beach Golf Resort & Spa – So Many Stories to Tell

Shop the Shore

Sun, surf, sand and – shopping? Lounging poolside or with your toes in the sand, it's hard to imagine the abundance of shopping just a hop, skip, and a jump from this secluded beach paradise, but it's there. Just a few short miles from the Hilton Sandestin Beach Resort is one of the largest factory outlets in the nation – Silver Sands Premium Outlets – with more than 100 name brand designers of apparel, shoes, electronics, jewelry and more. And located just other side of the Sandestin® gates is the Village of Baytowne Wharf. The Village of Baytown Wharf is home to more than 30 world-class shops and specialty boutiques offering colorful choices, local treasures and unique gifts. The Village is also home to enough restaurants and eateries to go somewhere new every day of the week. At nearby Grand Boulevard, visitors can wander exclusive shops such as Pottery Barn, Lilly Pulitzer, Orvis and more arranged in a charming Town Center atmosphere, a weekly Farmer's Market, 10 Movie Theater, enjoy live musical performances in the Grand Park and more.

World Class Courts and Courses

For raising a racquet or swinging the sticks, guests of Hilton Sandestin Beach have full access to world class tennis and golf. Winning more than 30 awards from respected golf publications and organizations, a collection of four championship golf courses offer an ideal blend of features and fun – Baytowne Golf Club, Burnt Pine Golf Club, Raven Golf Club and The Links Course. Also located on property at the Sandestin® Tennis Center are 15 tennis courts, including 12 HydroGrid clay and three hard courts. The Center's clubhouse features dressing rooms, lockers, showers and the latest in tennis apparel, while the professional staff keeps active players busy year round with daily activities and a variety of special events.

Four Diamonds, Fine Wines

Located at Hilton Sandestin Beach, Seagar's Prime Steak & Seafood is the first AAA Four-Diamond restaurant on Northwest Florida's Gulf Coast. Specializing in the finest prime beef and freshest seafood available, Seagar's is also a wine-lover's dream come true, repeatedly winning *Wine Spectator's* Best of Award of Excellence. With more than 3,700 bottles on site and 600 labels, the talented and knowledgeable wait staff, along with one of Northwest Florida's certified sommeliers, will work with each guest for a fabulous evening of gourmet food and wine pairing. Wineries from all over the world frequently share a few bottles of library wine with Seagar's from their private collections, and occasionally diners will find exclusive cases of wine that can't be purchased anywhere else.

Beach Brides

For obvious reasons, Hilton Sandestin Beach is a popular location for romantic wedding ceremonies and receptions. Couples can choose the lush palm trees and colorful gulf sunsets as an unforgettable backdrop to their most special of days, or one of our elegant, well-appointed ballrooms with oversized sparkling chandeliers. Whether planning a simple, intimate ceremony for two, or a fabulous banquet designed for a queen and king, Hilton Sandestin Beach assigns two wedding coordinators to work with in-house staff and local vendors to help make that special day even more memorable. During beach ceremonies, a trained security staff ensures a private venue for the couple and their guests until the last picture is snapped – a service unique to Hilton Sandestin Beach, and popular among photographers, wedding planners and other local vendors. Hilton Sandestin Beach skillfully handles each celebration under one roof, from the rehearsal dinner and ceremony, to the reception and honeymoon. And Hilton Sandestin Beach is the only upscale resort situated directly on the Gulf of Mexico offering pools, restaurants, banquet facilities and a full-service spa, ideal for entertaining brides, grooms and wedding guests alike.

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