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**TEXAS RESORT OFFERS BUDGET-FRIENDLY
SUMMER GETAWAY**

THE WOODLANDS, TX (June 16, 2009) . . . Looking for a summer getaway for the entire family that offers a full range of activities *and* the best rates in Texas? Then check out The Woodlands Resort's Destination Fun package, which includes full breakfast for two, use of the Forest Oasis Waterscape, plus unlimited access to the Fitness Center, Sauna, Eucalyptus Steam Room and Whirlpool. Starting at just \$169 you'll have plenty of cash left to splurge on a spa treatment or perhaps a round of golf on one of the property's two championship courses.

Additionally, stay any night Sunday through Thursday and earn resort credits towards golf, spa or dining. Stay two nights and earn a \$50 resort credit; three nights to earn a \$100 resort credit; and four nights to earn a \$150 resort credit.

Located just 30 minutes north of Houston, The Woodlands Resort offers all the elaborate amenities expected at a family-friendly resort, yet is more affordable than other Texas properties because it doesn't charge daily resort fees.

Plus, there are plenty of fun activities at the Forest Oasis Waterscape™ to keep the kids busy for hours. Race down 30-foot water slides or explore "Crescent Bay," an underwater marine mural. Puffy's Sprayground™ amuses toddlers with its waterspouts and fountains while adults relax in the lagoon-style pool. Live music, face painting, a balloon artist and organized games will entertain adults and kids alike. If you must come up for air, enjoy build your own S'mores on Friday and Saturday nights with a family-friendly dive-in movie.

In addition to the Destination Fun package, travelers can take advantage of the Resort's packages which offer inclusions such as golf, spa and shopping by visiting www.woodlandsresort.com.

About The Woodlands Resort

Nestled in 28,000 acres of forest preserves north of Houston, yet easily accessible from I-45, The Woodlands Resort is a destination of fun and relaxation. Just steps from 440 deluxe guest rooms are two championship golf courses and the property's signature Forest Oasis Waterscape™ with waterfalls, synchronized water spouts, waterslides, and a S'mores pit. Guests enjoy seasonal poolside dining, dive-in movies and scheduled family-friendly entertainment. Other resort amenities include a full-service spa and fitness facility, 145 miles of nature and bike trails, and indoor and outdoor tennis courts. Explore the property's four restaurants or lounge, plus nearby shopping and entertainment. Visit www.woodlandsresort.com or call 866-361-5674.

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