

SOLAGE CALISTOGA: WINE COUNTRY'S FRESH NEW DESTINATION FOR MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Spring 2007's Venue for Groups Large and Small

CALISTOGA, CALIFORNIA – Nestled in the world-renowned Napa Valley with picturesque views of the Palisades and Mayacamas Mountains, Solage Calistoga, a contemporary

89 studio-style room resort described as “Napa Barn meets San Francisco loft,” will serve as the perfect destination for meetings, corporate retreats, weddings and special events. Opening in the spring of 2007, Solage Calistoga will be the first resort from Solage Hotels and Resorts, a new brand from Auberge Resorts, the award-winning creators of Auberge du Soleil, Esperanza, Calistoga Ranch and The Inn at Palmetto Bluff. Bringing a fresh, innovative and relaxed approach to the wine country experience, Solage Calistoga will offer unique and versatile meeting locations designed to accommodate both large and small groups.

Solage Calistoga will offer up to 16,200 square-feet of flexible indoor and outdoor function space hosting groups ranging from 10 to 300 people. The 11,500 square-feet of outdoor space will provide a variety of breathtaking views as well as exposure to Napa Valley's envied climate, while the indoor settings, totaling 4,700 square-feet, will warmly embrace guests with a unique ambience and charming decor.

Representing the heart of Solage Calistoga's meeting space, **Solstice**, a stylish 3,500 square-foot barn-like venue featuring 25-foot high ceilings and polished cement floors, will serve as an excellent setting for large business events and cocktail receptions. Accommodating 230 seated guests or up to 300 person cocktail receptions, the Solstice will feature panoramic windows overlooking a 7,000 square-foot lawn, named the **Solstice Lawn**. Serving as the ideal setting for weddings and outdoor receptions while providing views of the Palisades mountains, the Solstice Lawn will be available to use in addition to Solstice.

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There are several outdoor locations surrounding the Solstice for smaller outdoor events with terraces ranging from 1,250 square –feet to 1,425 square-feet. Two additional indoor rooms, named **Spectera East** and **Spectera West**, will provide function space for moderate to intimate sized meetings and accommodate up to 80 people.

Innovative meeting options will be available utilizing the spa, outdoor adventure and environmental influences, which will all be part of the Solage experience. Solage Calistoga will also be able to arrange guided tours to some of the best local wineries.

ENVIROMENTAL FOCUS

Supporting a philosophy of sustainability, Solage Calistoga will also offer a green approach to meetings by incorporating environmentally focused practices and services. Likewise, various initiatives, such as landscape preservation, water and lighting conservation, and use of cruiser bikes throughout the property, will be integral to the resort.

RESORT ACTIVITIES

Guests looking to relieve stress from a day of meetings will be able to escape to **Spa Solage**, a full-service 20,000 square-foot spa equipped with 14 treatment rooms, a bathhouse, a spa boutique, and a manicure and pedicure studio. Playfully and therapeutically updating Calistoga's hot springs and mud bath tradition, Spa Solage will feature a signature "mud bar," where guests can rest on tile slabs after being painted or painting themselves with nutrient-rich local volcanic mud. Guests will also have the luxury of visiting the fitness center, which will offer a variety of classes such as spinning, yoga, Pilates, cardio boxing and body sculpting. For groups in search of nightlife activity, the resort's pool area will transform into a hip lounge where guests can gather and mingle, while enjoying live music, cocktails and food.

AREA ACTIVITIES

Walking distance to the town of Calistoga and a short drive to the town of St. Helena, Solage Calistoga's location will allow guests to easily explore and enjoy the local culture of Napa Valley.

Offsite activities include everything from wine tasting at more than 270 local wineries, visiting COPIA, The American Center for Wine, Food, & the Arts, and partaking in cooking classes at the Culinary Institute of America to recreational activities such as hot-air ballooning, horseback riding, hiking and cycling. With all that the resort itself and Napa Valley have to offer, Solage Calistoga will be a perfect destination for business attendees to bring along their spouses and families.

Solage Calistoga is located approximately 75 miles from the San Francisco International Airport, Oakland Airport and San Jose Airport.

To make reservations for Solage Calistoga, please call 1-866-942-7442 or visit www.solagecalistoga.com.

About Solage Hotels & Resorts:

Solage Hotels & Resorts is a new brand from Auberge Resorts, the award-winning creators of Auberge du Soleil, Esperanza, Calistoga Ranch and The Inn at Palmetto Bluff. Solage will offer contemporary, design-focused properties that are stylish, yet welcoming, creative dining and bar destinations and inviting social spaces with a fresh attitude. Taking an energetic approach to wellness, Solage will put a creative spin on traditional spa concepts and offer extensive fitness programs. Solage will prove that luxury can be compatible with sustainability by incorporating environmentally sensitive design and green practices at every property. The brand will debut in 2007 with the opening of its first resort, Solage Calistoga, in Napa Valley. For more information about Solage Hotels & Resorts, please visit www.solagehotels.com.

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