

Over the Edge Celebrity Weekend FAQ VIP Package Holder Edition

What if I have questions about my hotel stay?

Since we are part of a group block, please do not contact the hotel directly. It is best to call or email Anne with any questions you may have.

When will I get my VIP wristband?

Prior to the VIP Welcome Party on Thursday night, everyone will check in at the front entrance to the backyard that can be accessed from the front of the hotel, to the left of the lobby entrance. If you have a VIP package that includes other people as part of your package, they will need to be present with you at the time of check-in in order for your entire party to receive their credentials.

What is the schedule of events for the weekend?

There is a tentative schedule on the Over the Edge Celebrity Weekend website

More schedule details will be provided soon!

How do I schedule my rappel?

You will be given a block of time in which to go to the staging area to suit up and prepare for your rappel. This information will be sent to you prior to Celebrity Weekend. All you need to do is let us know via email if you would prefer late afternoon, early evening or late rappel time and we will do our best to accommodate.

How can I change my rappel time?

If you wish to change your block of time, please let us know prior to the event. We will try to get you rescheduled to a different block of time.

Where do I go for the rappel?

Look for signage at the pool area and take the elevator to the 5th floor.

What should I pack?

- Thursday Night is considered a cocktail party, so attire appropriate for a party of that sort. However, some people are coming straight from the airport, so it is really whatever!
- More info on appropriate clothing for Discovery Cove coming soon!
- For rappelling, please bring comfortable athletic wear and closed-toe shoes that lace. Costumes are also permitted!
- Blue Bash – pack an all blue outfit! Be creative!
- Saturday – be comfortable and ready for whatever type of weather Central Florida may have in December this year!. Sometimes it is chilly, sometimes pretty hot. Be comfortable but it is also the day for Professional Photo Ops so keep that in mind.
- Retro Rave – pack a costume representing your favorite decade! This is a fun one – go all out!
- Also – the hotel has an incredible pool so don't forget swimwear!

How do the Photo Ops work? How will I know when my Photo Op is and where?

The Pro Photo Ops will be in the backyard bar area of the hotel. We will have blocks of time scheduled for those in between the Meet & Greet Sessions. These times will appear on the Over The Edge Celebrity Weekend website "View Full Schedule" button. For your free Pro Photo Op, just show up for the one you want! You will have a paper wristband that will be given to you at the Meet & Greet check-in on Saturday morning and it will be removed at the time of your chosen free Photo Op.

Can I purchase additional Photo Ops?

Yes! These will be available on the website.

Where are the Meet and Greet sessions?

All sessions of the Meet and Greet are at the tented area in front of the hotel.

Do I have to go through the line all over again for each Meet and Greet session?

Yes, because there are different groups of celebrities for each session, in order to meet everyone you will need to get back in the line.

What can I get signed at the Meet and Greet sessions?

As a VIP guest you can bring up to two items per person to autograph during the Meet & Greet Sessions. In addition, we also provide a custom autograph program book that you can get signed!

Can I take selfies with the celebrities at the Meet and Greet sessions?

Yes! There is no additional charge for selfies during the Meet and Greet sessions. We do kindly ask that you do not come around the table on the same side that the guests are seated.

Can I come in a day early?

Yes! You would need to pay for any additional nights upon check-in. Anne can arrange reservations for extra nights for you on our rate. Additional night (s) will be in the same type of room you will be in for the duration of your stay. Please let us know as soon as possible.

Can I stay an extra day?

Yes! Same with coming in early – let us know!

How can I buy tickets to the Discovery Cove excursion on Friday?

<https://tinyurl.com/Discovery-Cove-Tickets>

If I buy tickets to Discovery Cove for the Friday activity, is there transportation provided?

Discovery Cove is around 8.6 miles from Melia Orlando Celebration and would be at least a 30 minute drive by car. To drive yourself if you have a vehicle or taking an Uber or Lyft would be your best options.

Are there activities happening at the hotel for those not going to Discovery Cove?

Poolside activities will be happening throughout the day – schedule TBD.

Will all of the celebrities be at all of the events for the whole time allotted?

While guests are expected to be at all of the events, the best way to meet every celebrity is at the Meet & Greet Sessions.

Most of the celebrities will be at all of the scheduled events, although perhaps not for the entire time. They are encouraged to attend some part of every event, and many will be around and approachable throughout the entire weekend.

Does the hotel offer shuttle service to the airport or to the theme parks?

The hotel website says yes, with restrictions. This service may or may not be readily available or accessible with the Over The Edge Celebrity Weekend VIP Packages. If you are interested in this service, we will find out more information regarding this from the hotel closer to the event dates – let us know!

Can I charge meals, drinks, etc. to my room?

Unfortunately, our room block with the hotel does not include this option.

I'm having trouble at check-in – what do I do?

Call Anne and she will come to the front desk!

Can hotel guests that are staying at the hotel still attend the parties if they do not have a VIP package or individual tickets?

Everyone must have a valid ticket in order to be in the meet and greet and party areas. These are private, ticketed events so entry is only for those who have valid tickets. VIP packages include these tickets, however regular guests at the hotel without these packages would have to purchase tickets or be asked to leave.

Only the Over The Edge Celebrity Weekend VIP wristbands will grant you entry – not Melia hotel wristbands. OTECW wristbands should not be removed or cut as that will make them invalid for entry for the entirety of your stay (with the exception of the Pro Photo Op wristbands mentioned).

***Please be aware that all outside alcoholic beverages must be enjoyed within your hotel room.**

We are always happy to answer any questions you may have!

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