

# Kissimme. Meeting Attendee Guide



# Kissimmee, Florida

When you travel for work, we know you want to make the most of your free time. Here in sunny Kissimmee, Florida, that can mean chasing the thrill of coasters and conquering a kayaking excursion, or chilling poolside and playing a few rounds on award-winning golf courses. Kissimmee offers the perfect blend of business and unforgettable experiences to make your next work trip truly worth it. And staying an extra day or two is common practice here, so you can be sure to fit it all in.

Discover a "must-visit" meetings destination that blends your business goals with bucket list experiences. Only in Kissimmee.











# Why Kissimmee

With so many places to meet, we're thrilled you've chosen to make the most of your meeting experience in Kissimmee, Florida. We have many memorable experiences to be had both during and after the meeting, and plenty of reasons why you'll want to stick around for a while.



**25 minutes** from Orlando International Airport (MCO)



**1,200** things to do



**90 minutes** from either coast



**72° F** average temperature



**200+** dining options



**365** days of golf



**160** designer and name-brand stores



**4** World-Famous Theme Parks

- I. Walt Disney World<sub>®</sub> Resort
- 2. Universal Orlando Resort
- 3. SeaWorld® Parks & Resorts $^{\text{TM}}$  Orlando
- 4. LEGOLAND® Florida Resort

Plus, our destination is focused on the safety and hospitality of all guests. You can <u>click here</u> for the latest business updates and safety guidelines.



# Getting Around Kissimmee

This sunny destination is on the doorstep of Central Florida's world-famous attractions and outdoor experiences. Kissimmee is easily accessible by major Florida highways so whether you arrive by plane, train, or car, it's only 10 minutes from *Walt Disney World*® Resort and 20 minutes from Universal Orlando Resort and SeaWorld® Parks and Resorts™ Orlando. And that's just the beginning for this vacation haven.







# What to Do in Kissimmee

Make the most of your time before, during, and after the meeting with the many incredible places to see and things to do in Kissimmee. Whether you choose to relax at a dinner that delights or explore the great outdoors and world-famous theme parks, your business weekend just turned into an adventure you won't forget.







#### Wellness

Whatever wellness means to you, find it at the destination's award-winning spas, along the palm tree-lined running paths, or at a yoga class at Island Grove Wine Company at Formosa Gardens.

#### **Outdoor Adventures**

Choose any of Kissimmee's incredible outdoor experiences for thrilling adventures. From kayaking and paddle boarding to airboat rides and biking, you'll discover something new around every corner.

#### Golf

As a premier location for golfers, Kissimmee is on top of the game for rolling fairways, bright greens, and exquisite sights for your tee time and get-out-and-relax excursions. Take advantage of special packages and renowned golf academies at the greens architected by legendary pro golfers. You can also explore the many mini golf spots and try your hand – or foot – at foot golf.

#### Dining

Enjoy culinary delights for every palate at Kissimmee's prime entertainment districts such as *Disney Springs*®, Universal Citywalk, and Promenade at Sunset Walk. From James Beard award-winning restaurants to charming local cuisine, this destination takes group dining to the next level.

#### Shopping

Take a break and retreat to the area's many unique shopping locations. From signature malls and outlet stores to the charming boutiques of Celebration and lively entertainment and shopping districts, there are plenty of places to pick up souvenirs for others – and something else for you, too.

#### **Entertainment**

Make your time wow-worthy with astonishing entertainment, including Cirque du Soleil at *Disney Springs*, Blue Man Group at Universal CityWalk, Medieval Times Dinner & Tournament, and more.

## Deals & Discounts

With so many things to do and see, it may be difficult to fit it all in. Well, you're in luck because our Industry Partners offer meeting attendees just like you exclusive deals and discounts during and after the meetings. From adding that extra night onto your stay to saving money at the restaurant everyone raves about, see what deals you can use on your next extended trip to Kissimmee.



# Itineraries Made Just for You

We understand that you want to make the most of your time off the clock while you're here, so we want to make it easy for you! Here are a few itinerary ideas to maximize your Kissimmee experience.

### Half Day Itinerary

MEETING IN THE EVENING

If you have the whole day to yourself but have places to be in the evening, how about working in a few exciting adventures early in the day that offer just enough thrill and relaxation to jumpstart your next meeting.

#### **Morning:**

Start the day with some early morning bird watching at Shingle Creek Regional Park or a round of golf. Then stop by Celebration Town Center for a delightful meal with tranquil lake views.

#### **Afternoon:**

Take a stroll around The Mall at Millenia with namebrand stores, or visit the Premium Outlets for your favorite brands without the high price tag.

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MEETING IN THE MORNING

For when your meeting is bright and early in the morning, you'll have all evening to explore the Kissimmee area.

#### **Evening:**

Once your business obligations have ended, it's time to enjoy the evening at Universal CityWalk or *Disney Springs*® for a night out. With shopping, outdoor entertainment, cocktails, and award-winning restaurants, you can't go wrong ending your day here.











## Whole Day Itinerary

LOCAL KISSIMMEE

If you decide to extend your trip once your meetings are complete, you're in for a real treat. With local eateries, antique shopping, and nearby wildlife adventures, vacationing like a local is easy.

#### **Morning**

After sleeping in a bit, begin the day at any of the area's brunch spots. With 32 locally owned eateries, you'll surely find the perfect place to enjoy. We recommend Rockin' John's BBQ – this local spot is the epitome of service hospitality and will fill you up without breaking the bank.

#### **Afternoon**

To walk off all the food, enjoy a walking tour of all the beautiful sculptures and murals around Downtown Kissimmee. You can also stop in the antique shops and search for unique treasures.

#### **Evening**

Finishing the day with a sunset cruise on an airboat ride at beautiful Wild Florida is the perfect mix of calming and exhilarating, especially if you're lucky enough to spot some wildlife.

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KISSIMMEE IN STYLE

Check Kissimmee's hot spots off your bucket list before you leave. From getting a new perspective in the sky to exploring the shores along Shingle Creek or taking a deep sea dive, you can make the most of your day off in sunny Kissimmee.

#### **Morning**

Wake up early for a private hot air balloon ride with Orlando Balloon Rides above the vast landscape of Kissimmee.

#### **Afternoon**

Take advantage of the offerings at SeaWorld's Discovery Cove as you're whisked away from the buzz of this vacation destination and placed in the middle of seaside exploration and beach-style relaxation. From dolphin encounters and snorkeling to private cabanas, you'll feel as though you're on an isolated island paradise.

#### **Evening**

Enjoy a private wine tasting with a few friends or family at Wine Bar George in *Disney Springs*. This exclusive one-on-one experience will be the ultimate "cheers!"

## Looking for more vacation inspiration?

With so much to offer – both in and out of the meetings – Kissimmee welcomes you to explore more adventures and activities for the next time you visit. To learn more about our sunny destination, check out the online blog, deals and discounts, and information on places to stay and things to do at <a href="experiencekissimmee.com">experiencekissimmee.com</a>.

