



MEETING AND EVENT PLANNING GUIDE

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GIVE THEM A MEETING TO REMEMBER

Sarasota County, located on Florida's Gulf Coast, is a boutique beach destination plethora of arts and entertainment options, a top 5 Best Small City accolade by Conde Nast Traveler (2018) and a vibrant downtown district, as well as endless waterfront views and gorgeous sunsets create the perfect recipe to turn any type of program into an unforgettable experience.

Groups familiar with the coastal destination have found a special draw in its coveted combination of big city amenities and sophisticated small-town charm. Meeting professionals can choose from a diverse and growing array of meeting hotels. Group activities and unique venues abound, including the famed Ringling Museum, Marie Selby Botanical Gardens, an authentic Circus Sarasota big top, and Mote Marine Laboratory and Aquarium, just to name a few. Groups will receive the personal attention, hospitality and warm welcome that is often uncommon in larger cities.

TOP 10 REASONS TO MEET IN SARASOTA COUNTY

- 1 With more than 35 miles of coastline, attendees are provided ample opportunities to watch a Sarasota sunset or wake up to waterfront views.
- 2 Sarasota Bradenton International Airport (SRQ), located just five miles from downtown, offers 38 nonstop flight paths to major cities across the US and Canada.
- 3 VSC Incentive program, provided by Visit Sarasota County, offers up to \$3,750 in rebates.
- 4 With 37 meeting hotels, 4,900 total guest rooms and 110,000 sq. ft. of meeting space, our destination is ideal for small to mid-sized groups; and eight meeting properties have debuted within the last three years.
- 5 Highest concentration of restaurants per capita - perfect for dine-arounds and private dining events.
- 6 Unique venues, varying in style and atmosphere, include rooftop settings restaurant for open-space gatherings, Circus Arts Conservatory for a taste of Sarasota history or the Sarasota Opera House for a posh event.
- 7 Award-winning beaches include Lido Key, Longboat Key, and Siesta Beach, which consistently rank among the top beaches in the world.



- 8 Vibrant, walkable dining, arts and entertainment districts include St. Armands Circle, historic downtown Sarasota, Siesta Key Village and Towles Court Artist Colony, to name a few.
- 9 Team building, CSR training and tour opportunities geared toward every groups' needs – from kayaking through mangrove tunnels to sipping through a brewery to county-wide culinary tours.
- 10 Seasonal group values in many destination hotels are found from May through December.

MEETINGS AT A GLANCE

- More than 80 hotels
- 500 to 26,000 sq. ft. of meeting space
- Up to 294 rooms per hotel
- Valuable meeting incentives offered by Visit Sarasota County give groups a choice of credits toward group dining/events, transportation, wellness initiatives or room rebates. *See eligibility requirements

GETTING HERE

DRIVING DISTANCES

Tampa: 51 miles north
 Orlando: 127 miles northeast
 Miami: 211 miles southeast
 Jacksonville: 236 miles northeast
 Tallahassee: 283 miles northwest

MAJOR ACCESS ROADS:

Interstate 75 (North-South) and
 US Highway 41 (North-South)

AIRPORT INFORMATION

SARASOTA BRADENTON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (SRQ)

- 5 miles from downtown Sarasota
- Airline Carriers: Air Canada, Allegiant, American Airlines, Delta, Elite Airways, Frontier, JetBlue, United Airlines, Sun Country
- **Year-Round, Nonstop Destinations*:** Allentown, PA (ABE); Asheville, NC (AVL); Atlanta, GA (ATL); Baltimore, MD (BWI); Charlotte, NC (CLT); Chicago, IL (ORD); Cincinnati, OH (CVG); Cleveland, OH (CLE); Columbus, OH (LCK); Dallas/Ft. Worth, TX (DFW); Des Moines, IA (DSM); Detroit, MI (DTW); Dulles, VA (IAD); Flint, MI (FNT); Fort Wayne, IN (FWA); Grand Rapids, MI (GRR); Harrisburg, PA (MDT); Indianapolis, IN (IND); Knoxville, TN (TYS); Louisville, KY (SDF); Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN (MPS); Nashville, TN (BNA); New York, NY (JFK & LGA); Newark, NJ (EWR); Philadelphia, PA (PHL); Pittsburgh, PA (PIT); Portland, ME (PWM); Richmond, VA (RIC); Rockford, IL (RFD); St. Louis, MO (BLV); South Bend, IN (SBN); Syracuse, NY (SYR); Traverse City, MI (TVC); Trenton, NJ (TTN); Washington, D.C. (DCA)
- **Seasonal, Nonstop Destinations*:** Boston, MA (BOS); Denver, CO (DEN); Toronto, CA (YYZ)

OTHER NEARBY AIRPORTS

- Tampa International Airport (TPA) - 55 miles north
about 1-hour drive
- Southwest FL International Airport (RSW) - 90 miles south about
1-hour and 20-minute drive
- St. Pete-Clearwater International Airport (PIE) - 47 miles north
about 45-minute drive
- Punta Gorda Airport (PGD) - 55 miles south
about 50-minute drive



*As of December 2019

VISIT SARASOTA COUNTY GROUP SERVICES

- **Complimentary RFP creation and distribution:** We are the experts in our destination and work closely with our hotels, venues and service suppliers, such as photographers, transportation companies, etc. We can help create an effective RFP for you to get the most accurate bids for your event. We have a robust database of area suppliers and we can distribute your RFP to all the service providers that fit your needs with just the click of a button.
- **Complimentary Attendance Building Assistance:** We will design and create a "Save The Date" postcard that will relay the character of the destination with professional imagery and include your personalized event messaging on the back of the card. With your attendee database, we will print, mail and postmark the cards to your potential attendees on your behalf. *Up to 500 person database.
- **Complimentary Visitor Services:** Let us help you quickly acclimate your attendees to the destination. From giving a welcome presentation to your group to providing services from welcome bags filled with destination information to staffing on-site destination experts at event check-in. Visit Sarasota County can help your attendees make the most out of their downtime with area recommendations for just about anything, we are here to assist.
- **Complimentary "Wow Factor" Referrals:** Let us help you create an event that attendees will rave about! We have the connections and insight to help you create unique Sarasota experiences. Looking for transportation, photographers, local expert speakers on topics you care about, team building ideas? We have those too!
- **Incentive Programs:** We understand you have many destination choices to hold your event. Visit Sarasota County is pleased to offer eligible groups a choice of incentives that will elevate the success of your meeting. With your choice of incentive including transportation credits, offsite dining/events financial support, wellness initiative credit or a room night cash rebate – you have the flexibility to pick the best option for your group needs.

INCENTIVES

Let us help you make your first meeting experience in Sarasota County even sweeter! The following incentives are open to new groups booking any time of the year.

Incentive Levels	Incentive Options			
Peak Rooms	Offsite Group Dining/Events	Transportation	Cash Rebate	Wellness Initiative
10 -35	Up to \$625	Up to \$625	N/A	Up to \$625
36 - 60	Up to \$915	Up to \$915	\$15 Room Rebate	Up to \$915
61- 85	Up to \$1,250	Up to \$1,250	\$15 Room Rebate	Up to \$1,250
86 - 250	Up to \$3,750	Up to \$3,750	\$15 Room Rebate	Up to \$3,750

ELIGIBILITY

- Group must not have held the conference/meeting in Sarasota County within last 3 years.
- Interest form must be received and acknowledged by Visit Sarasota County prior to hotel contract date.
- Room blocks must be booked at hotel(s) located in Sarasota County.

GROUP HOTEL & UNIQUE VENUE LOCATOR MAP



FULL SERVICE HOTELS

The Ritz-Carlton Sarasota

1111 Ritz-Carlton Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-309-2000 | RitzCarlton.com/Sarasota

Location Map C4



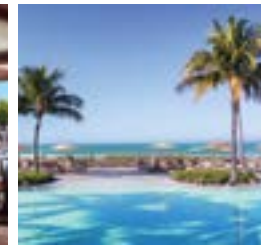
266 Guest Rooms

31 Suites

11 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room 12,100 sq. ft.

Total Square Footage 26,000 sq. ft.



- Unique indoor & outdoor event spaces
- Private beach club & golf club access
- Full-service on-site spa
- Shuttle service to Lido Beach & St. Armands Circle
- On-site restaurant with private dining

Hyatt Regency Sarasota

1000 Blvd of the Arts, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-953-1234 | Sarasota.Hyatt.com

Location Map C3



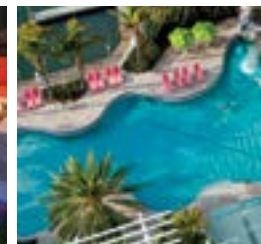
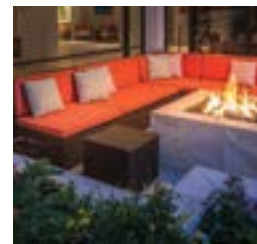
294 Guest Rooms

12 Suites

14 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room 9,879 sq. ft.

Total Square Footage 20,000 sq. ft.



- Unique indoor & outdoor event spaces
- Private 32-slip marina & on-site boat rentals
- Shuttle service to Lido Beach & St. Armands Circle
- Close to area attractions

Westin Sarasota

100 Marina View Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-706-1607 | WestinSarasota.com

3 Location Map C4



- 255 Guest Rooms
- 15 Suites
- 11 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 5,510 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 12,053 sq. ft.



- Opened in late summer 2017
- Unique indoor and outdoor event spaces
- Rooftop event venue with panoramic views
- On-site spa and wellness concierge
- On-site restaurant with private dining

Courtyard Bradenton Riverfront

100 Riverfront Dr W, Bradenton, FL 34205
941-747-3727 | Courtyard.com/SRQB

5 Location Map B1



- 153 Guest Rooms
- 57 Suites
- 5 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 3,440 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 9,446 sq. ft.



- Riverfront location along Manatee River
- Walking distance to Downtown Bradenton

**outside of Sarasota County*

Hotel Venezia

425 US 41 Bypass N, Venice, FL 34285
941-308-7700 | HotelVeneziaFL.com

4 Location Map D8



- 146 Guest Rooms
- 18 Suites
- 7 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 6,000 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 10,000 sq. ft.



- Heated outdoor resort style zero entry pool and hot tub
- Full service on-site restaurant and poolside tiki bar
- Scenic outdoor event spaces
- Lounge area featuring a fire pit

Lido Beach Resort

700 Ben Franklin Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-388-2161 | LidoBeachResort.com

6 Location Map B4



- 223 Guest Rooms
- 56 Suites
- 9 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 3,000 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 6,400 sq. ft.



- Unique indoor & outdoor event spaces with gulf views
- Beachfront with private beach access
- Shuttle service to St. Armands Circle
- Poolside tiki bar
- Three on-site restaurants

Art Ovation Hotel, Autograph Collection

1255 N Palm Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-316-0808 | ArtOvationHotel.com

7 Location Map C4



162 Guest rooms

2 Suites

7 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room 6,109 sq. ft.

Total Square Footage 6,447 sq. ft.



- › Opened March 2018
- › Unique indoor & outdoor event space
- › Rooftop pool bar & event space
- › On-site restaurant & private dining
- › Downtown Sarasota location

Legacy Hotel at IMG Academy*

5450 Bollettieri Blvd, Bradenton, FL 34210

941-245-1900 | IMGLegacyHotel.com

9 Location Map A1



150 Guest rooms

5 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room 4,637 sq. ft.

Total Square Footage 5,197 sq. ft.



- › › Opened Fall 2018
- › › Flexible indoor spaces and 14,000 sq. ft. of exterior space
- › › Corporate team building workshops on IMG Academy campus

*outside of Sarasota County

The Resort at Longboat Key Club

220 Sands Point Rd, Longboat Key, FL 34228

941-383-8821 | LongboatKeyClub.com

8 Location Map B3



223 Guest Rooms

198 Suites

7 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room 5,250 sq. ft.

Total Square Footage 12,000 sq. ft.



- › Unique indoor & outdoor event spaces
- › Beachfront with private beach access
- › Harborside- and island-side golf & tennis gardens
- › On-site spa and deep-water marina
- › Eight on-site restaurants and lounges

The Carlisle Inn and Conference Center

3727 Bahia Vista St, Sarasota, FL 34232

941-296-1343 | CarlisleInns.com

10 Location Map D4



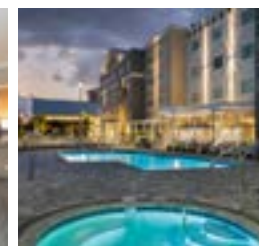
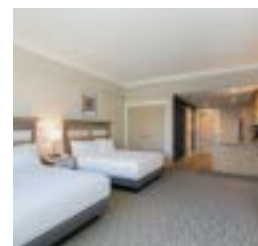
100 Guest Rooms

12 Suites

12 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room 4,800 sq. ft.

Total Square Footage 4,800 sq. ft.



- › Opened Spring 2018
- › Oversized Guest Rooms – 425+ sq. ft.
- › Complimentary full hot breakfast
- › Complimentary Self-Parking & WiFi
- › State of the Art Audiovisual

Embassy Suites by Hilton Sarasota

202 N Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-256-0190 | EmbassySuitesSarasota.com

 Location Map C4



180 Guest rooms

171 Suites

5 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room **2,816 sq. ft.**

Total Square Footage **3,646 sq. ft.**



- Opened December 2018
- All-suite hotel
- Complimentary full breakfast & evening reception
- Shuttle service to SRQ Airport & St. Armands
- On-site restaurant

The Sandcastle Resort at Lido Beach

1540 Ben Franklin Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-388-2181 | SandcastleLidoBeach.com

 Location Map B4



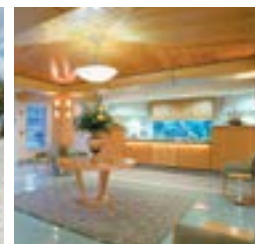
177 Guest Rooms

5 Suites

5 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room **2,050 sq. ft.**

Total Square Footage **2,800 sq. ft.**



- Two on-site restaurants
- Private beach access
- Two beachfront pools
- Poolside tiki bar
- St. Armands Circle nearby

The Sarasota Modern

1290 Blvd of the Arts, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-906-1290 | TheSarasotaModern.com

 Location Map B3



89 room luxury boutique hotel

7 Suites

2 Meeting Rooms

Largest Meeting Room **2,500 sq. ft.**

Total Square Footage **10,500 sq. ft.**




- Opened December 2018
- Shuttle service in The Modern Volkswagen van
- On-site restaurant and juice bar
- Downtown location

Holiday Inn Lido Beach

233 Ben Franklin Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-388-5555 | LidoBeachHolidayInn.com

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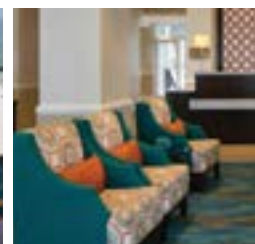
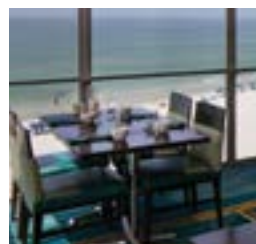
135 Guest Rooms

3 Suites

2 Meetings Rooms

Largest Meeting Room **2,080 sq. ft.**

Total Square Footage **2,840 sq. ft.**



- Beachfront
- Lobby/Pool Bar
- Rooftop Restaurant
- Free parking & Wi-Fi

Zota Beach Resort*

4711 Gulf of Mexico Dr, Longboat Key, FL 34228

855-660-6266 | ZotaBeachResort.com

15 Location Map A3



- 187 Guest Rooms
- 30 Suites
- 1 Meeting Room
- Total Square Footage 2,750 sq. ft.

- › Opened summer of 2017
- › Private beach access
- › Gulf-front and private dining
- › Two on-site restaurants



*outside of Sarasota County

Aloft Sarasota

1401 Ringling Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-870-0900 | AloftSarasota.com

17 Location Map C4



- 139 Guest rooms
- 2 Meeting rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 1,845 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 2,395 sq. ft.

- › WXYZ bar and lounge
- › Outdoor pool and hot tub
- › Downtown Sarasota location
- › Located minutes from the Sarasota bayfront



EVEN Hotel Sarasota-Lakewood Ranch

6231 Lake Osprey Dr, Sarasota, FL 34240

941-782-4400 | IHG.com/EVENHotels

16 Location Map E3



- 128 Guest rooms
- 4 Suites
- 3 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 2,550 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 2,550 sq. ft.

- › Opened December 2017
- › Convenient to UTC dining and shopping
- › Complimentary Parking & Wi-Fi
- › On-site restaurant and wellness focused

*outside of Sarasota County

Holiday Inn Sarasota-Bradenton Airport

8009 15th St E, Sarasota, FL 34243

941-355-9000 | HISRQ.com

18 Location Map C2



- 135 Guest Rooms
- 14 Suites
- 3 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 1,800 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 2,000 sq. ft.

- › Additional reception space for 200+ available under hotel's atrium
- › Winner of chain's most elite honor, the IHG Torchbearer Award
- › 2.2 miles from airport



*outside of Sarasota County

Bentley's Boutique Hotel

1660 S Tamiami Trl, Osprey, FL 34229

941-966-2121 | BentleysSarasota.com

 Location Map D7



- 138 Guest rooms
- 4 Suites
- 5 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 1,350 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 2,000 sq. ft.




- Poolside tiki bar and cabanas
- On-site restaurant

Hotel Indigo

1223 Blvd of the Arts, Sarasota, FL 34236

941-487-3800 | HotelIndigoSarasota.com

 Location Map B3



- 95 Guest Rooms
- 12 Suites
- 3 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 500 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 1,200 sq. ft.




- Award-Winning Full Service Boutique Hotel
- Downtown Sarasota Location
- On-Site Full Service Restaurant
- Complimentary Airport Shuttle to SRQ

Hilton Garden Inn Sarasota-Bradenton Airport

8270 N Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34243

941-522-1100 | HiltonGardenSarasota.com

 Location Map 2B



- 115 Guest Rooms
- 10 Suites
- 3 Meeting Rooms
- Largest Meeting Room 1,848 sq. ft.
- Total Square Footage 1,850 sq. ft.



- 1 mile from the Sarasota Bradenton International Airport
- 1 mile from The Ringling
- Complimentary Wi-Fi & self-parking
- On-site restaurant



Location Map	Company & Address	Phone / Website
1 C4	Comfort Suites 5985 Brookhill Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34232	941-500-9960 ChoiceHotels.com
2 D5	Comfort Suites Sarasota- Siesta Key 5690 Honore Ave, Sarasota, FL 34233	941-554-4475 ComfortSuitesSarasota.com
3 D1	Country Inn & Suites* 5610 Manor Hill Ln, Bradenton, FL 34203	941-363-4000 CountryInns.com/bradentonfl
4 D2	Courtyard by Marriott Sarasota Lakewood Ranch* 8305 Tourist Center Dr, University Pkwy, FL 34201	941-360-2626 CourtyardSarasota.com
5 D2	Courtyard Sarasota Bradenton Airport 850 University Pkwy, Sarasota, FL 34234	941-355-3337 CourtyardSarasota.com
6 D1	Hampton Inn & Suites Sarasota/Lakewood Ranch* 8565 Cooper Creek Blvd, University Park, FL 34201	941-355-8619 HamptonInnSarasota.com
7 D4	Hampton Inn Sarasota I-75 Bee Ridge 5995 Cattleridge Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34232	941-371-1900 HamptonInnSarasota.com
8 D5	Holiday Inn Express & Suites - Sarasota East 5730 Gantt Rd, Sarasota, FL 34233	941-925-0631 HExpress.com/SarasotaEast
9 D1	Holiday Inn Express East Lakewood Ranch* 5464 Lena Rd, Bradenton, FL 34211	941-755-0055 HExLakewoodRanch.com
10 D4	Homewood Suites by Hilton Sarasota 3470 Fruitville Rd, Sarasota, FL 34237	941-365-7300 Sarasota.HomewoodSuites.com
11 D2	Homewood Suites by Hilton Sarasota/Lakewood Ranch 305 N Cattlemen Rd, Sarasota, FL 34235	941-309-3904 Hilton.com/en/hotels/srqunhw-homewood-suites-sarasota-lakewood-ranch
12 B2	Hyatt Place Sarasota/ Bradenton Airport 950 University Pkwy, Sarasota, FL 34234	941-554-5800 SarasotaBradenton.PlaceHyatt.com
13 D4	Hyatt Place Sarasota/Lakewood Ranch* 6021 Exchange Way, Bradenton, FL 34202	941-748-3100 Hyatt.com/en-US/hotel/florida/hyatt-place-sarasota-lakewood-ranch/srqzl
14 D4	La Quinta Inn & Suites-I75 5931 Commercial Way, Sarasota, FL 34232	941-342-8778 LQ.com
15 C3	Residence Inn by Marriott 1040 University Pkwy, Sarasota, FL 34234	941-358-1468 ResidenceInnSarasota.com
16 D4	Sleep Inn/MainStay Suites Sarasota 5965 Brookhill Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34232	941-500-4700 SarasotaSleepInnMainstay.com
17 C3	SpringHill Suites by Marriott Sarasota 1020 University Pkwy, Sarasota, FL 34234	941-358-3385 Marriott.com/SRQSH

*outside of Sarasota County

# of Guest Rooms	# of Double / Double Rooms	# Meeting Rooms	Total Square Footage	Largest Meeting Room	AAA Diamond Rating	Breakfast Included	Airport Shuttle
109	70	1	750 sq. ft.	750 sq. ft.	3.3	Yes	Yes
97	41	1	468 sq. ft.	468 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
79	40	1	675 sq. ft.	675 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
132	65	1	980 sq. ft.	980 sq. ft.	3	No	No
81	43	1	572 sq. ft.	572 sq. ft.	3	No	Yes
102	31	1	650 sq. ft.	650 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
121	64	2	1,200 sq. ft.	1,200 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
101	54	1	750 sq. ft.	750 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
78	39	2	875 sq. ft.	625 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
100	52	3	2,360 sq. ft.	1,025 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
133	N/A	2	1,044 sq. ft.	960 sq. ft.	3	Yes	No
114	43	2	900 sq. ft.	900 sq. ft.	3	Yes	Yes
122	N/A	1	910 sq. ft.	910 sq. ft.	3	No	No
111	83	3	1,200 sq. ft.	690 sq. ft.	2.5	Yes	No
79	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3	Yes	Yes
86	N/A	1	350 sq. ft.	350 sq. ft.	2.8	Yes	Yes
84	39	1	600 sq. ft.	600 sq. ft.	3	Yes	Yes

Circus Arts Conservatory

2075 Bahia Vista St, Sarasota, FL 34239
941-355-9335 | CircusArts.org

1 Location Map C4



This climate controlled, multi-purpose circus arena includes a concession area and an immense rehearsal/performance space. Pair your event with a performance; or have attendees get a feel for circus life with trapeze and tight-rope lessons.

INDOOR SPACE

- **Arena:** Permanent Big Top tent with 15,000 sq. ft. suitable for groups up to 400 people banquet-style, and over 1,700 fixed theater-style space to Grand Foyer for 1,500 people.

Marie Selby Botanical Gardens

900 S Palm Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-366-5731 | Selby.org

2 Location Map C4



INDOOR SPACE

- **Michael's by the Bay Room:** 4,800 sq. ft. flexible space, suitable for 300 people seated and 500 reception-style.

OUTDOOR SPACE

- **Bay Lawn:** located in front of Michael's on the Bay, cap. varies for cocktail parties and receptions
- **Schimmel Wedding Lawn and Pavilion (South):** seating cap. for up to 1,000 guests
- **Christy Payne Mansion Lawn (North):** Varies for smaller ceremonies
- **The Banyan Tree:** Tree canopy with nearby patio provides an enchanting southern charm atmosphere, cap. varies

The Ringling

5401 Bay Shore Rd, Sarasota, FL 34243
941-359-5700 | Ringling.org

3 Location Map B2



The Ringling offers a variety of spectacular venues along Sarasota Bay. The picturesque grounds include the Museum of Art, the Circus Museum, Asian Art Center and Ringling's historic mansion, Ca' d'Zan.

INDOOR SPACE

Exhibits including art galleries and Circus Museum may be open for event guests to enjoy self-guided tours, however food and drink is not permitted indoors.

OUTDOOR SPACE

- › **Museum of Art Courtyard:** Suitable for up to 800 people
- › **Ca' d'Zan Terrace and Bayfront:** Suitable for up to 250 people
- › **Circus Museum, Tibbals Learning Center:** Suitable for up to 80 people, museum is indoors with adjacent exterior, tented event space.

Van Wezel Performing Arts Hall

777 N Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-953-3368 | VanWezel.org

4 Location Map C4



A true pioneer in the cultural development of Sarasota, the Van Wezel presents a broad spectrum of the world's finest performers in an iconic waterfront venue along Sarasota Bay.

INDOOR SPACE

- › **Auditorium:** 1,700 fixed seats with stage
- › **Grand Foyer:** 6,000 sq. ft. flexible space, connecting to Bayfront Lawn

OUTDOOR SPACE

- › **Bayfront Lawn:** Provides adjacent space to Grand Foyer for 1,500 people

Big Cat Habitat & Gulf Coast Sanctuary

7101 Palmer Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34240
941-371-6377 | BigCatHabitat.org

5 Location Map E4



Host your event in a nonprofit sanctuary home to hundreds of exotic creatures and big cats.

INDOOR SPACE

- › Arena: Seats up to 400

OUTDOOR SPACE

- › Covered areas and open land: With 10 acres of land, 1.5 acres of parking, outdoor events can accommodate up to 1,500 people.



Cool Today Park

14906 Tamiami Trl, North Port, FL 34287
941-413-5000 | MLB.com/braves/braves-spring-training

6 Location Map G9



The Atlanta Braves Spring Training Facility in south Sarasota County offers a customizable venue that can match your event needs and help you break away from traditional meeting spaces.

INDOOR SPACE

- › Terrace Club: Cap. 75
- › Climate-Controlled Suites: Cap. 30
- › Conference Rooms: Cap. 20
- › Stadium Clubhouses: Cap. 50
- › Training/Meeting Room: Cap. 750

OUTDOOR SPACE

- › Outdoor Patio Suites: Cap. 90
- › Tomahawk Tiki Bar: Cap. 150
- › Super Suite: Cap. 100
- › Stadium Seating: Cap. 6,500 fixed seats and over 1,500 variable seats



Ed Smith Stadium

2700 12th St, Sarasota, FL 34237
941-893-6300 | MLB.com/orioles/spring-training/ballpark

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INDOOR SPACE

- › Third Base Lounge: Cap. 100 to 125 guests
- World Series Suites (3): Cap. 35/suite
- › Home Plate Suite: Cap. 50
- › Orioles Clubhouse Major League Locker Room: Cap. 120
- › Orioles Clubhouse Major League Dining Room: Cap. 120
- › Café 54: Cap. 75
- › Visitors' Clubhouse: Cap. 50

OUTDOOR SPACE

- › Stadium Seating Bowl: Cap. 7,500
- › Left Field Picnic: Cap. 125
- › Right Field Picnic: Cap. 75
- › Left Field Pavilion: Cap. 500



Michael's on the Bay at Selby Gardens

811 S Palm Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-214-9007 | BestFood.com/catering/selby-gardens

8 Location Map C4



INDOOR SPACE

- › Michael's by the Bay (North): A 4,800 sq. ft. contemporary indoor venue holding up to 300 guests banquet or 450 guests reception

OUTDOOR SPACE

- › Bay Lawn (North): The Michael's on the Bay indoor venue is enhanced by 5,000 sq. ft. outdoor pre-function space along the bayfront



Mote Marine Laboratory & Aquarium

1600 Ken Thompson Pkwy, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-388-4441 | Mote.org

9 Location Map B4



This multi-faceted venue offers a departure from the ordinary with spectacular animal exhibits and breathtaking views of Sarasota Bay.

INDOOR SPACE

- **The New Pass Room:** 4,300 sq. ft. of flexible space with a balcony overlooking Sarasota Bay, Cap. 150
- **Wave Center:** 2,800 sq. ft. theatre style, Cap. 250
- **Aquarium Gallery:** 2,000 sq. ft., Cap. 50 (banquet), 150 (reception)

OUTDOOR SPACE

- **Aquarium Courtyard:** 4,000 sq. ft. of covered, open-air space; Cap. 350 (banquet), 400 (reception)
- **The Chickee:** Outdoor tiki hut picnic area; Cap. 56 (banquet) and 100 (reception)

Sarasota Opera House

61 N Pineapple Ave, Sarasota, FL. 34236
941-328-1300 | SarasotaOpera.org

11 Location Map C4



This renovated 1926 opera house is home to an internationally respected professional opera company. The opera complex includes a pavilion with five multi-purpose banquet, reception and meeting rooms.

INDOOR SPACE

- **William E. Schmidt Opera Theatre:** Cap. 1,119 (theatre); On stage seating Cap. 120
- **Felding Hall, Worthington Board Room, Jonas Kamlet Library, Joy Culverhouse Room:** Cap. 24 - 125
- **Lee and Bob Peterson Great Room:** Cap. 339; largest flexible space

OUTDOOR SPACE

- **Donna Wolf Steigerwaldt Courtyard:** Cap. 125 (reception), 80 (banquet)

Sarasota Classic Car Museum

5500 N Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34243
941-255-6228 | SarasotaCarMuseum.org

10 Location Map B2



This distinctive event venue houses about 100 vintage cars.

INDOOR SPACE

- **The Museum:** 300 guests banquet-style and 500 guests cocktail-style
- **The Theatre Room:** 150 – 200 guests

OUTDOOR SPACE

- **The Outdoor Courtyard:** 85 guests
- **Total Cap.:** 500 guests



Company and Address	Phone / Website	Capacity
Anna Maria Princess* 402 Church Ave, Bradenton Beach, FL 34217	941-778-2288 AnnaMariaPrincess.com	75
Asolo Repertory Theatre 5555 N Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34243	941-351-9010 AsoloRep.org	500
Bird Key Yacht Club 301 Bird Key Dr, Sarasota, FL	941-953-4455 BirdKeyYC.com	200
Children's Garden 1670 10th Way, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-330-1711 SarasotaChildrensGarden.com	40+
Dakin Dairy Farms 30771 Betts Rd, Myakka City, FL 34251	941-322-2802 x 303 DakinDairyFarms.com	50+
Finish Tower at Nathan Benderson Park 5851 Nathan Benderson Cir, Sarasota, FL 34235	941-358-7275 NathanBendersonPark.org	250
Florida Studio Theatre 1241 North Palm Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-366-9017 FloridaStudioTheatre.org	237
Historic Spanish Point 337 N Tamiami Trl, Osprey, FL 34229	941-966-5214 HistoricSpanishPoint.org	150
LeBarge Tropical Cruises 2 Marina Plz, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-366-6116 LebargeTropicalCruises.com	120
Marina Jack II Cruises 2 Marina Plz, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-365-4232 x 5 McCurdysComedy.com	149
McCurdy's Comedy Theatre 1923 Ringling Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-925-3869 McCurdysComedy.com	300
Mixon Fruit Farms* 2525 27th St E, Bradenton, FL 34208	941-748-5829 Mixon.com	250
Sage SRQ 1216 1st St, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-445-5660 SageSRQ.com	150
The Bazaar on Apricot & Lime 821 Apricot Ave, Sarasota, FL 34237	941-343-2712 BazaarOnApricotAndLime.com	150
The Bishop Museum of Science and Nature* 201 10 St W, Bradenton, FL 34205	941-746-4131 BishopScience.org	225
The Overton 1420 Blvd of the Arts, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-500-9175 TheOvertonSRQ.com	70
Westcoast Black Theatre Troupe 1012 N Orange Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-366-1505 WestCoastBlackTheatre.org	125

*outside of Sarasota County



Amore Restaurant

446 S Pineapple Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-383-1111 | AmoreLBK.com



- Buyout Cap: 165 guests
- Spacious outdoor dining patio
- Two indoor dining rooms, from smaller groups up to 44 guests

Beulah Restaurant

1766 Main St, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-960-2305 | BeulahRestaurant.com



- Downtown Sarasota location
- Romantic baroque influences with a casual dining nature
- Covered private garden terrace with bar seats up to 50 guests
- Total Cap. 120 guests

Anna Maria Oyster Bar*

6906 14th St W, Bradenton FL 34209
941-758-7880 | OysterBar.net



- oyster bar
- Family-friendly atmosphere
- Private Room: The Captain Room seats 34 guests

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Bevardi's Salute! Restaurant

23 North Lemon Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-365-1020 | SaluteSarasota.com



- Charming indoor dining and breezy outdoor patio
- In-house catering for parties of 10 to 200
- Private room seats more than 50 guests

Bavaro's Pizza Napoletana & Pastaria

27 Fletcher Ave, Sarasota, FL 34237
941-552-9131 | BavarosPizza.com



- Located in downtown Sarasota
- Authentic Neapolitan pizza
- Private upstairs with handicapped accessibility seats 50 guests
- Private outdoor patio seats 60 and total buyout accommodates 150 guests

Boca Kitchen Bar

19 S Lemon Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-256-3565 | BocaSarasota.com



- Strong farm-to-table focus
- Located in downtown Sarasota
- Environment inspires conversation and community
- Upstairs mezzanine seats up to 40 guests

Chianti Ristorante Italiano

3900 Clark Rd, Bldg M, Sarasota, FL 34233
941-952-3186 | ChiantiSarasota.com



- imported Italian ingredients
- Live music 7 days a week
- Private banquet room seats up to 75 banquet style and over 100 reception style

Der Dutchman Restaurant

3713 Bahia Vista St, Sarasota, FL 34232
941-955-8007 | DhGroup.com/restaurants



- In the heart of Pinecraft Village, Amish and Mennonite community
- Genuine Amish kitchen cooking
- Private room seats up to 35 guests
- Total Cap.: 630 guests

Columbia Restaurant

411 St Armands Cir, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-388-3987 | ColumbiaRestaurant.com



- oldest restaurant in Sarasota
- Award-winning Spanish/Cuban cuisine on St. Armands Circle
- Two private dining rooms seating 20 – 40 guests

Element Modern Mediterranean Grill

1413 Main St, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-724-8585 | ElementSRQ.com



- Steakhouse
- Private Dining: seats up to 25 guests
- Buyout: seats up to 74
- Downtown Sarasota Location

Crab & Fin

420 St Armands Cir, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-388-3964 | CrabFinRestaurant.com



- Located on St. Armands Circle
- Fresh seafood arriving every day
- Private dining: Lido room seats 20 to 25 guests
- Private upstairs: out of season rental only, seats 70 to 80 guests

Fins at Sharky's

1600 Harbor Dr S, Venice, FL 34285
941-999-3467 | FinsAtSharkys.com



- Located on the Venice beachfront
- Upscale dining in a casual atmosphere
- Private room seats up to 25-50 comfortably

Fleming's Prime Steakhouse & Wine Bar

2001 Siesta Dr, Sarasota, FL 34239
941-358-9463 | FlemingsSteakhouse.com/locations/fl/sarasota



- Warm, casually elegant open concept room
- Seasonally inspired dishes
- Locally selected wine and hand-crafted cocktails and spirits
- Private dining up to 70

Michael's on East

1212 East Ave South, Sarasota, FL 34239
941-366-0007 | BestFood.com



- Michael's Wine Cellar: 125 seated
- Michael's On East Ballroom: 550 seated or 1,000 reception
- Private dining room: 48 guests
- AAA Four Diamond Award Restaurant and top Sarasota caterer

Marina Jack

2 Marina Plz, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-365-4232 | MarinaJacks.com



- Waterfront dining on Sarasota Bay
- Casual, Blue Sunshine Patio and upscale options in the Deep Six Lounge and Marina Jack Dining Room
- Seats up to 170 guests

Muse at The Ringling

5401 Bay Shore Rd, Sarasota, FL 34243
941-359-5700 | Tableside.com/muse



- Upscale local cuisine with international flair
- Muse treats food as art
- Private room upstairs accommodates 30 guests

Mattison's Forty-One

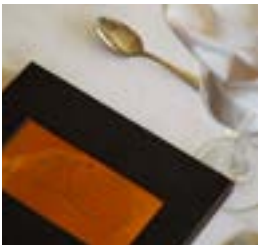
7275 S Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34231
941-921-3400 | Mattisons.com/mattisons-forty-one



- Local, chef-owned restaurant group
- Committed to using all natural, sustainably sourced produce, seafood and meats
- The Galleria seats about 80 guests buffet style and 125 reception

Roessler's Restaurant

2033 Vamo Way, Sarasota, FL 34238
941-966-5688 | RoesslersRestaurant.com



- Classic continental cuisine features steak, and seafood
- Private wine room seats 16 guests and Fireplace room seats 38 guests
- main dining room seats up to 100 guests

Ruth's Chris Steak House

6700 S Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34231
941-924-9442 | RuthsChris.com



- An award-winning steakhouse restaurant
- Four private rooms: Casey Room seats 10; Siesta Room seats 30; Longboat Room seats 40; combined Siesta and Longboat seats 75 with A/V capabilities

Selva Grill

1345 Main St, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-362-4427 | Seasons52.com



- Located in the heart of Downtown Sarasota
- cuisine with an emphasis on Peruvian dishes
- 20 guests and buyouts available Sunday through Thursday

Sage

1216 1st St, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-445-5660 | SageSRQ.com



- Luxurious open rooftop lounge with fire pit
- Private event floor seats 150 guests
- Semi-private inside balcony space seats 25 guests

Speaks Clam Bar

29 N Blvd of the Presidents, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-232-7633 | SpeaksClamBar.com



- Speakeasy ambiance with fine homemade Italian meals on St. Armands Circle
- Private upstairs seats 90 and semi-private downstairs room seats 30
- Buyouts available

Season's 52 Sarasota

170 University Town Center, Sarasota, FL 34243
941-702-9652 | Seasons52.com



- Seasonal, handcrafted menus at the peak of freshness
- Extensive wine list & complimentary A/V
- Private dining (2): Seats 36 and 26
- Buyouts available

The Bijou Café

1287 1st St, Sarasota, FL 34236-5507
941-366-8111 | BijouCafe.com



- Continental-American Cuisine
- Quaint, modern European décor
- Private dining for up to 40 guests
- Buyout functions for over 150 guests

The Capital Grille

180 University Town Ctr Dr, Ste 105, Sarasota, FL 34243
941-256-3647 | TheCapitalGrille.com



- Comfortable elegance
- Chef's Table for up to 10 guests
- Private spaces: The University Room seats 20; The Wine Room seats 20; The Board Room seats 16

The Melting Pot

1949 Ringling Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-365-2628 | MeltingPot.com



- Convenient downtown location
- Flavorful, gourmet fondue
- Large private room seats up to 22 guests

Umbrellas 1296

1296 1st St, Sarasota, FL 34236
941-500-4810 | Umbrellas1296.com



- electric atmosphere
- Speakeasy style
- Outdoor patio seats 80
- 2nd floor private space seats up to 75



Restaurants		
Company and Address	Phone / Website	Private Dining Capacity
Andrea's 2085 Siesta Dr, Sarasota, FL 34239	941-951-9200 AndreasRestaurantSRQ.com	18-20 guests
Apollonia Grill* 8235 Cooper Creek Blvd, University Park, FL 34201	941-359-4816 ApolloniaGrill.com	18-20 guests
Bravo Italian Mediterranean 3501 S Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34239	941-316-0868 BravoItalian.com/ Siesta-Key.html	14 guests; 32 guests
Brio Tuscan Grille 190 University Town Ctr Dr, Sarasota, FL 34243	941-702-9102 BrioItalian.com	20 guests
Cafe Baci 4001 S Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34231	941-921-4848 CafeBaciSarasota.com	40-50 guests
Café Gabbiano 5104 Ocean Blvd, Siesta Key, FL 34242	941-349-1423 CafeGabbiano.com	8 guests; 14 guests
Café L'Europe 431 St Armands Cir, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-388-4415 CafeLEurope.net	60 guests
Cassarano Italian Eatery 313 W Venice Ave, Venice, FL 34285	941-786-1000 Cassarano.com	40 guests
Chef Rolf's New Florida Kitchen 2001 Siesta Dr, Ste 100, Sarasota, FL 34239	941-806-6820 ChefRolf.us	30-50 guests
Crow's Nest Marina Restaurant 1968 Tarpon Ctr Dr, Venice, FL 34285	941-484-9551 CrowsNest-Venice.com	16 guests
Euphemia Haye Restaurant & The Haye Loft 5540 Gulf of Mexico Dr, Longboat Key, FL 34228	941-383-3633 EuphemiaHaye.com	12 guests
Evoq at The Westin Sarasota 100 Marina View Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-260-8255 EvoqSarasota.com	12 guests
Harry's Continental Kitchens 525 St. Jude's Dr, Longboat Key, FL 34228	941-383-0777 HarrysKitchen.com	100 guests
Hyde Park Prime Steakhouse 35 South Lemon Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-366-7788 HydeParkRestaurants.com	6-60 guests
Howards Restaurant 70 N Indiana Ave, Englewood, FL 34223	941-473-0171 HowardsInEnglewood.com	14 guests
Icon Eatery & Bar at Legacy Hotel* 5450 Bollettieri Blvd, Bradenton, FL 34210	941-245-1900 IMGLegacyHotel.com	65 guests
Jack Dusty at Ritz Carlton Sarasota 1111 Ritz-Carlton Dr, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-309-2266 JackDusty.com	16 guests
Libby's Neighborhood Brasserie 1917 S Osprey Ave, Sarasota, FL 34239	941-487-7300 Tableside.com	10 guests
Lolita Tartine 1419 5th St, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-952-3172 LolitaTartine.com	19 guests
Overture Restaurant & Gallery Lounge in Art Ovation 1255 N Palm Ave, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-316-0808 ArtOvationHotel.com/dining	12 guests
Sardinia Restaurant 5770 S Tamiami Trl, Sarasota, FL 34231	941-702-8582 SardiniaSRQ.com	10 guests
Sophies at Saks Fifth Ave. 120 University Town Ctr Dr, Level 2, Sarasota, FL 34243	941-444-3077 Sophies.com	18 guests
The Chart House 201 Gulf of Mexico Dr, Longboat Key, FL 34228	941-383-5593 Chart-House.com/locations/ longboat-key	285 guests
Tommy Bahama Restaurant & Bar 300 John Ringling Blvd, Sarasota, FL 34236	941-388-2888 TommyBahama.com	Banquet style - 150 guests; Reception style - 175 guests

*outside of Sarasota County

Catering		
Company	Cuisine	Phone / Website
Alpine Steakhouse	Steakhouse, Meats & Deli	941-922-3797 AlpineSteak.com
Apollonia Mediterranean Grill	Mediterranean	941-359-4816 ApolloniaGrill.com
Bevardi's Salute!	Italian	941-365-1020 SaluteSarasota.com
Boca Kitchen Bar	Fresh, Local, Sustainable, Seafood	941-256-3565 BocaSarasota.com
Brick's Smoked Meats	FL-Influence Texas BBQ	941-993-1435 BricksSmokedMeats.com
Brio Tuscan Grille	Italian	941-702-9102 BrioItalian.com
Café Barbosso	Italian	941-922-7999 CafeBarbosso.com
Café Venice Restaurant & Wine Bar	Upscale, Gourmet	941-484-1855 CafeVeniceRestaurantandBar.com
C'est la Vie	French	941-906-9575 (Main St); 941-355-2323 (University Park) CestLaVieSarasota.com
Cha Cha Coconuts	Casual Caribbean	941-388-3300 Chacha-Coconuts.com
Der Dutchman	Amish Homecooking and Bakery	941-955-8007 DHGroup.com/restaurants/ der-dutchman-sarasota-fl
Duval's Fresh Local Seafood	Seafood	941-312-4001 DuvalsFreshLocalSeafood.com
Evergreen Café	Fresh, Local, Healthy	941-412-4334 CafeEvergreen.net
Harry's Continental Kitchen	Globally Inspired Coastal Cuisine	941-383-0777 HarrysKitchen.com
La Petit Jardin	European-style fare	941-244-3231 LePetitJardinCafe.com
Lolita Tartine	French Breakfast/ Lunch/Dinner	941-952-3172 LolitaTartine.com
Mattison's Catering	Upscale, Gourmet	941-921-3400 Mattisons.com/mattisons-catering/
Metz Culinary Management	Casual and Elegant	941-202-3684 MetzCulinary.com
Michael's On East Catering	Upscale, Gourmet	941-214-9003 Bestfood.com/catering/catering-menus
Morton's Gourmet Market	Gourmet	941-955-9856 MortonsCatering.com

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Catering		
Company and Address	Cuisine	Phone / Website
Pazzo Southside	Italian	941-960-8831 PazzoSouthside.com
Reyna's Taqueria	Authentic Mexican	941-260-8343 ReynasTaqueria.com
Speaks Clam Bar	Italian	941-232-7646 SpeaksClamBar.com
Tandoor Indian Cuisine	Authentic Indian	941-926-3077 TandoorSarasota.net
The Original Egg	American Breakfast/ Brunch/Lunch	941-922-2868 TheOriginalEgg.com
Webber's Hot Dogs	American Grill Out	941-925-9608 WebbersHotDogs.com
Peak Performance Catering	Healthy, Local, Diet-Aware	941-363-1709 ZildjianCatering.com
3 Peppers Burrito	Mexican	941-866-6142 3PeppersBurrito.com

Schools and Universities			
Company and Address	Phone / Website	# Rooms Available	Seating Capacity
IMG Academy* 5650 Bollettieri Blvd Bradenton, FL 34210	1-800-872-6425 IMGAcademy.com	9	180
State College of Florida, Manatee-Sarasota Locations in Venice, Lakewood Ranch and Bradenton	941-752-5693 SCF.edu	Varies by location	1,000+
University of South Florida Sarasota-Manatee 8350 N Tamiami Trl Sarasota, Florida 34243	941-359-4251 USFSM.edu	1	185
Transportation			
Company and Address	Phone / Website	Services	
All Aboard Charters Serving Sarasota County and surrounding areas	941-365-3676 AllAboardCharters.net	Motorcoach charters	
Academy Bus	727-592-0377 AcademyBus.com	Multiple motorcoach charters	
Gulf Coast Destinations, Transportation & DMC Serving Sarasota County and surrounding areas	941-927-3737 GCDMC.com	Ground Transportation (Sedans, Vans, Minibuses, Motor Coaches, Limousines, SUV's and specialty vehicles such as Rolls Royce, Trolleys, and custom vehicles), Airport meet and greet, DMC, Weddings	

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Transportation		
Company and Address	Phone / Website	Services
National Charter Bus Tampa	813-328-8085 NationalBusCharter.com/ tampa-charter-bus	Full-sized motorcoach and compact minibus charters
Practical Car & Scooter Rentals 3416 S Osprey Ave Sarasota, FL 34239	941-365-7333 PracticalCar.com	Car & Scooter Rental
Sarasota Bradenton International Airport 6000 Airport Cir, Sarasota, FL 34243	941-359-2770 SRQ-Airport.com	Airport
Sarasota County Area Transit (SCAT)	941-861-5000 Scgov.net/SCAT	Siesta Key Breeze Trolley, public bus service
Sarasota Trolley	941-346-3115 SarasotaTrolley.com	Trolley
Siesta Trolley	941-915-3232 SiestaTrolley.com	Trolleys, Minibuses, Limousines, Motor Coaches, Specialty Vehicles, Airport Transfers
SRQ Services Limousine Transportation MC	941-925-7733 SRQServices.com	Limo and Transportation Services, Event & Destination Management, Multimedia Production Services



Teambuilding ON LAND				
Business	Category	Website	Phone	Services
Around the Clock Fitness	Fitness	MyAroundTheClockFitness.com	941-210-3247	24-hour fitness club offering free 3 day pass to new clients
Atlanta Braves	Spring Training Baseball Games	MLB.com/braves/braves-spring-training	941-413-5000	Group ticket blocks at CoolToday Park starting in March of 2020
Axe & Bull	Indoor Activities	AxeAndBull.com	941-894-8595	Sarasota's only indoor axe throwing facility, guests are encouraged to bring food and drinks to enjoy; unique activity for corporate events or private party
Baltimore Orioles	Spring Training Baseball Games	MLB.com/orioles/spring-training	941-893-6300	Group ticket blocks at Ed Smith Stadium with season starting in March
Bobby Jones Golf Club	Golf	BobbyJonesGolfClub.com	941-954-4163	45-hole municipal facility named for the legendary Robert Tyre Jones, Jr, who dedicated the club in 1927
Dakin Dairy Farms	Farm Tours	DakinDairyFarms.com	941-322-2802	Learn about the farm to table experience, the milking process and taste testing via group farm tours, teambuilding or employee appreciation events
Discover Sarasota Tours	Trolley and Walking Tours	DiscoverSarasotaTours.com	941-260-9818	Air-conditioned trolley offering over 8 types of tours
Endless Summer Eco Tours and Rentals	Bike and Eco-Bike Tours, Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	EndlessSummerSRQ.com	941-539-1741	Electric bike rental and group tours with free delivery and pickup to your hotel
Escape Countdown	Indoor Activities	EscapeCountdown.com/sarasota-location/	941-202-5288	Corporate events and team building with up to 8 people per team; multiple teams can play
Evie's Golf Center	Golf	EviesGolf.com	941-377-0990	Driving range, miniature golf course and golf lessons
Game On Nation	Indoor Activities	GameOnNation.com	941-462-1981	Communication, leadership, resiliency and teambuilding training
Golf In Venice.com	Golf	GolfInVenice.com	941-484-6621	Courses include 18-hole Calusa Lakes, 18-hole Capri Isles, 27-hole Waterford Golf Club
JDub's Brewing Co.	Adult Tours	JDubsBrewing.com	941-955-2739	Craft brewery and tap room tour; if more than 10 people need to reserve at least 2 weeks prior
Jumpin Fun Inflata Park	Indoor Activities	JFIPark.com	941-809-6361	Horse shows including Grand Prix (highest level of show jumping) series running January to March; VIP tables available for 6 people during Grand Prixes
Key Culinary Tours	Trolley and Walking Tours	KeyCulinaryTours.com	941-893-4664	Custom group and specialty food tours in St. Armand's Circle, Downtown Sarasota, Venice and Anna Maria Island
Livingston's Amusements	Indoor Activities	LivingstonsAmusements.com	941-925-7665	Group & corporate packages available including food and choice of activities: Go Karts, billiards, bumper cars, arcade, bazooka ball;
Pineapple Yoga Studio	Fitness	PineappleYogaStudio.net	941-210-3739	Private, corporate and group classes available along with yoga to serve opportunities via Dharma Footprint Project and other nonprofits
PopCycles	Bike and Eco-Bike Tours	SarasotaPopCycles.com/rentals	941-921-2453	Regular bicycle rental located 2 miles from Legacy Trail and 5 miles from Siesta Key
Sara Bay Country Club	Golf	SaraBayCC.com	941-355-7658	Founded in 1926 and designed by architect Donald Ross, Sara Bay is one of the most historic golf clubs in Florida
Sarasota Bike Tours	Bike and Eco-Bike Tours	SarasotaBikeTours.com	941-313-0613	Group bicycle tours with kayaking option around historic downtown, Siesta Key, Lido, Ringling and more.

Teambuilding ON LAND				
Business	Category	Website	Phone	Services
Sarasota Honey Company	Farm Tours	SarasotaHoney.com/ the-beekeeper-experience-tour	941-726-8755	Beekeeper Experience Tour or private adult tour about beekeeping, benefits of the hive, agriculture and honey taste testing
Sarasota Sea Lion Preserve	Animal Activities	SarasotaSeaLionPreserve.com	941-219-3583	Feed, play and paint with sea lions on group tours, corporate events, facility tours. Seasonal
Sarasota Ski-A-Rees	Outdoor Activities	SkiARees.com	941-388-1666	Free Sunday shows during season, which run from February until May
Sarasota Suncoast Tours	Trolley and Walking Tours	SarasotaSuncoastTours.com	941-893-4664	Variety of private tours available for special events or corporate celebrations
Sarasota Walking Tours	Walking Tours	SarasotaWalkingTours.com	941-400-8583	Professionally guided walking tour
Siesta Key Rum	Adult Tours	SiestaKeyRum.com	941-702-8143	Free distillery tour and samples in tasting room
Smuggler's Cove	Outdoor Activities	SmugglersCove.com	941-351-6620	Group and corporate rates for adventure style mini golf with minimum 10 guests
Southwest Florida Beach Yoga	Fitness	SouthwestFloridaBeachYoga.com	941-313-0358	Morning, sunset and full moon beach yoga classes on Nokomis/North Jetty Beach, Manasota Beach and Venice Beach
SRQ Fun Trolley Tours	Trolley and Walking Tours	SRQFun.com	941-400-4162	Trolley tours for guests 21 and over including pub crawls, comedy tours, scenic routes or custom tours
Tatum Ridge Golf Links	Golf	TatumRidgeGolfLinks.com	941-378-4211	Ted McAnlis-designed 18-hole course
The Circus Arts Conservatory	Indoor Activities	CircusArts.org/programs/ corporate-opportunities	941-355-9335	Variety of circus-themed group-packages and custom events to fit your organization needs
The Founders Club	Golf	TheFoundersGolfClub.com	941-371-9720	18-hole championship course follows the ancient contours of traditional Scottish Links courses
TPC Prestancia	Golf	TPCPrestancia.com	941-922-2800	Features the Stadium Course and the Players Course, each an 18-hole championship golf course
TreeUmph! Adventure	Outdoor Activities	TreeUmph.com/team-building	941-322-2130	No group too large for this adventure course ideal for groups looking to connect, boost confidence, enhance motivation and build bonds
University Park Country Club	Golf	UniversityPark-FL.com	941-359-9999	27 holes of championship golf designed by architect Ron Garl
White Buffalo Saloon	Indoor Activities	TheWBSaloon.com/line-dancing	941-927-6655	Weekly Line Dance Lessons, along with food, drinks and live music performances; private teachers available for group classes
Teambuilding ON LAND AND WATER				
Business	Category	Website	Phone	Services
Epic Equine Experiences	Animal Activities	EpicEquineExperiences.com/trailexperiences	941-705-3884	Trail riding experiences servicing retreats, corporate and groups/Group trail riding, kayaking, swamp buggy experiences to service groups up to 30 people
Myakka Outdoors	River Excursions	MyakkaOutdoors.com	941-923-0220	Offers group tours in Myakka State Park via river boats seating 100, backcountry swamp buggys, horsebacks, or horse-drawn carriages
Peace River Charters	River Excursions	PeaceRiverCharters.com	863-444-0693	Airboat tours, Swamp buggy rides, horseback rides, charter fishing, canoe rentals, group tours
Sip-N-Cycle Cruises	Adult Cruises & Adult Tours	SipnCycleCruises.com	833-747-2929	Pedal bike accommodates 12 (adult tours) and Cycleboat accommodates 16 (adult cruises)

Teambuilding ON WATER				
Business	Category	Website	Phone	Services
Anna Maria Princess	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	AnnaMariaPrincess.com	941-778-2288	Tours, charters and cruise weddings on waterways of Anna Maria Island Sound and Sarasota Bay
Bay and Gulf Adventures	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	SarasotaKayaking.com	941-893-7221	Sarasota kayaking tours and rentals
BluWave Boat Rental LLC	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	BluWaveBoatRental.com	813-258-9283	Accommodates business and club outings, dockside dining trips, largest boat holds 11 people, large groups can use multiple boats if needed
Cannons Marina	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	Cannons.com	941-383-1311	Boat rentals on Longboat Key, Anna Maria, Sarasota and Bradenton
Canoe Outpost- Peace River Charters	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	CanoeOutpost.com/peace	800-268-0083	Overnight and day paddle trips on the Peace River; river fishing and kayaking
CB's Saltwater Outfitters	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	CBsOutfitters.com	941-349-4400	Boat and jet ski rentals, parasailing, inshore fishing and fly-fishing charters
Cruisin' Tikis Sarasota	Adult Cruises	CruisinTikisSarasota.com	941-253-5404	Corporate retreats, events and conferences charters; max 6 people per tiki boat; for larger groups, you may rent additional tikis and cruise together
Dolphin Paddlesports	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	EconomyTackle.com	941-922-9671	Fishing, kayak and SUP rentals and lessons
Freedom Boat Club of Sarasota	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	FreedomBoatClub.com	941-781-7363	Fleet of over 20 boats which now include offshore fishing as well as pleasure boats
Fun Boat Tours	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	FunBoatTours.com	941-349-1970	Dolphin and Sea Life Tours, Sunset Tours and One-of-a-kind Adventure tours on custom built 50 passenger boat
Happy Paddler Kayak Tours & EcoVentures	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	HappyPaddler.com	941-773-1920	Top-rated adventure on Anna Maria Island and Longboat Key offering guided tours, rentals, lessons, fishing and SUP yoga
Kathleen D Sailing Catamarans	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	KathleenD.net/sarasota_siesta_key	941-896-6400	Private and corporate charters; Full moon/moon rise sail, dolphin watch; Big Pass Adventure; up to 6 guests; for larger groups, more boats are available
Kayaking SRQ Tours & Rentals	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	KayakingSRQ.com	941-716-2368	Group Kayaking Tours through the Mangrove Tunnels and Sarasota Bay
Key Sailing	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	SiestaKeySailing.com	941-346-7245	Group charter or private charter for max of 12 guests
Key West Express	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	KeyWestExpress.net/groups-traveling-to-key-west	239-463-5733	Day cruise to Key West for work retreats, corporate events or any other group activity
LeBarge Tropical Cruises	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	LeBargeTropicalCruises.com	941-366-6116	All cruises feature full bar and light food; cruises include dolphin and manatee watch, sightseeing, tropical sunset cruises and private charters
Marina Jack II	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	MarinaJacks.com/sightseeing-cruises/the-marina-jack-ii.html	941-365-4232	Sightseeing lunch cruise, sunset dinner cruise, private group cruise
Paradise Yoga Sailing	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	ParadiseYogaSailingRetreats.com	941-685-6427	Group sailing and dining packages; overnight retreats; 45' charter
Sail Venice	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	SailVenice.com	941-554-2190	Sunset sail out of Crows Nest Marina in Venice, for up to 6 guests, with complimentary adult beverages and light snacks provided
Sarasota Bay Explorers	Ocean Excursions and Cruises	SarasotaBayExplorers.com	941-388-4200	Sea Life Encounter Cruise, Guided Kayak Tours, Nature Safari, private charters aboard the Miss Explorer and sunset cruises.
Siesta Kation Charters	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	SiestaKation.com	941-993-7337	Off-shore and near-shore charter fishing, diving excursions, snorkeling, sunset dolphin cruise, site seeing/eco-tour, private charters up to 6 guests
Siesta Key Watersports	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	SiestaKeyWatersports.com	941-921-3030	Parasail rides, Jet ski and boat rentals, dolphin tours, sunset cruises and fishing charters
Son of a Fish Charters	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	BayWalker1.com	941-232-4977	Backcountry and near-shore fishing guide; accommodates up to 4 anglers
Suntex Boat Club & Rental	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	BayfrontExcursions.com	941-349-9449	Boat rentals, waverunners, paddleboards and kayaks
Ultimate Kayak SRQ	Fishing Charters, Kayaking Tours and Equipment Rentals	UltimateKayakSRQ.com	941-720-8807	Kayaking and paddle board rentals and tours throughout the Sarasota area

Meetings Services				
Business	Category	Website	Phone	Services
Beneva Weddings	Florist	BenevaWeddings.com	941-308-3147	From plantscapes to floral arrangements to living walls, Beneva Flowers has been committed to creating stunning wedding flower designs for over 30 years.
Coastal Printing	Printing	CoastalPrint.com	941-351-1515	Offset or digital printing, web-to-print, variable data, direct-mail, personalized URL's, QR Codes, MS Tags
Four Pillars Retreat Center	Wellness	FourPillarsFlorida.com	941-373-3955	Experience four pillars of mind, body, spirit and social connection with spa treatments, hypnosis, sound therapy, yoga, educational workshops and more
Fringe Spa and Salon	Wellness	FringeSpaSalon.com	941-366-3363	Spa services and salon
HBC Event Services	Event Services	HBCEventServices.com	505-346-0522	Housing services, customized hotel reservation website for your organization, clientele emphasis on teams
Howard Stevens Magic	Entertainment	HowardStevensMagic.com	941-404-3630	Transform your private or corporate event into a unique and memorable experience with classic sleight of hand, mystifying closeup illusions and elegant miracles
Krack n' Snacks	Party Favors	KracknSnacks.com	941-320-8847	Handcrafted gourmet puffed corn with custom packaging available
Mandala Med-Spa & Yoga Shala	Wellness	MandalaMedSpa.com	941-927-2278	Med spa and yoga shala
Pro-Motion Notions	Promotional Items	NotionSunLimited.com	941-952-1119	Imprinted promo products, made in USA line, Eco Friendly line
Sir Speedy	Printing	SirSpeedy.com/Sarasotafl250	941-922-1563	Print, signs and marketing materials
Sirius Day Spa	Wellness	LakewoodRanch.SiriusDaySpa.com	941-357-4611	Massage therapy, facials, waxing, blow bar, nail car, eyelash extensions, teeth whitening; offers group spa parties
Three Six and Zero	Videography	ThreeSixandZero.com	310-927-9275	360 degree POV, virtual reality videos, creative storytelling
Tiger Lily Flowers	Florist	TigerLilyFlorist.Wordpress.com	941-955-5661	Intriguing and spectacular flower designs
Your Total Body Wellness Center	Wellness	YourTotalBody.com	914-468-7091	Personal Training, individualized nutrition and wellness programs, group exercise programs
Nonprofit Partners				
All Faiths Food Bank	Hunger	AllFaithsFoodBank.org	941-379-6333	Provides healthy solutions to end hunger in our community
Art Center Sarasota	Arts	ArtSarasota.org	941-365-2032	Engages the Sarasota community through its dedicated volunteers, open call to artists, pop up exhibitions and youth programs
Big Cat Habitat and Gulf Coast Sanctuary	Animals	BigCatHabitat.org	941-371-6377	Since 1987, a permanent home for dozens of exotic animals, offers placement for animals in need and works to educate the public about animal care and conservation
John Hopkins All Children's Hospital	Children	HopkinsAllChildrens.org/get-involved	727-767-3529	Providing patients with expert, compassionate care and latest treatments and medical technology
Mote Marine Laboratory and Aquarium	Animals	Mote.org	941-388-4441 ext.393	World-class marine research institute committed to the conservation and sustainable use of our oceans
Suncoast Charities for Children	Children	SuncoastCharitiesForChildren.org	941-487-7904	Serving children, teens and adults with special needs since 1985
Suncoast Foundation for Handicapped Children, Inc.	Disabilities	SuncoastFoundation.com	941-809-5232	Founded to support local Nonprofits that provide services for people with disabilities
United Way Suncoast	Community Aid	UnitedWaySuncoast.org	941-932-8259	Fights for the education and financial stability of every person in the communities we serve

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