

Family Reunion FAQs



Asilomar specializes in bringing families together in a natural environment that sets the scene for adventure while reconnecting with the ones you love. Ideal for multi-generational families, you'll find a wide range of activities that keep everyone enjoying each moment—from riding bicycles to singing campfire songs next to the crashing waves of the Pacific Ocean.

Accommodations

- 313 Guest Rooms
- Heated outdoor swimming pool
- Bicycle rentals
- Sand volleyball court
- Bonfire and s'mores package
- State Park Ranger Tours
- Many buildings feature a common living room with a fireplace
- Complimentary Wi-Fi in all guest rooms
- Free parking
- Airport shuttle service from San Jose or San Francisco available through Monterey Airbus
- State-of-the-art audio/video equipment and technical expertise
- Complete meal packages

Q How much will it cost to hold my family reunion at Asilomar?

A We can offer pricing information and/or a customized cost estimate for your reunion, if you provide the following information:

- Event dates
- Total estimated number of rooms and how many people will be in each room*
- Meeting Space needs (if any)

*Our guest room rates are charged per person, depending on the total occupancy in each room. Youth rates are available for children ages 3-12.

Q We want all of our guest rooms in the same building or near each other – is this possible?

A While we will make every effort to accommodate your requests, we cannot guarantee room location in advance.

Q What is included in the guest room rate?

A We offer guest room rates as part of a Complete Meal Plan (CMP), which includes meals served in our Crocker Dining Hall (begins with dinner on your arrival date; breakfast, lunch and dinner for each full day; and breakfast and lunch on your departure date). Our guest room rates are also inclusive of all applicable taxes and fees. For more information about Crocker Dining Hall visit www.visitasilomar.com/dining/crocker-dining-hall.

Q Can we arrange a private or enhanced meal, or do we have to eat in the Dining Hall?

A Yes, you may arrange a private or enhanced meal in one of our Meeting Spaces. There will be Meeting Room Rental (price will depend on the size of your group and our availability), and the food and beverage options are outlined in our Catering Menus. Please note, these types of functions are not included in the Complete Meal Plan, and will be additional costs.

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Q I've received a quote and I want to book my reunion - what are the next steps?

A Contact the Sales Manager who sent you the proposal and he/she will prepare a contract for you to secure the dates and space you'd like to confirm. Here are few things you should know about the contract:

- The total estimated charges will need to be prepaid prior to your event. The contract will outline a deposit schedule with specific dates and amounts, and an initial deposit will be due with the signed contract.
- The group contact will be responsible for fulfilling all the contract terms. For instance, if the actual number of guest rooms and/or number of people (age three and older) falls short of what is contracted, the group contact will be liable for the cost difference.
- Once a contract is signed, the reunion cannot be canceled without a cancellation fee. The amount of the fee will depend on when the cancellation occurs.

Q If we rent a Meeting Space, can we bring our own food?

A We do not allow any outside food and/or beverages in our Meeting Spaces, as we offer a variety of options onsite. Please refer to our Catering Menus.

Q How do we book our individual guest room reservations?

A There are two options for booking the individual guest room reservations:

- **Rooming List:** Our Housing Bureau will provide you with a form that you can use to outline each guest's name, dates of stay, number of people sharing each room, dietary restrictions as well as any other pertinent notes for your guest rooms. Your Rooming List will be due 30 days prior to your event start date.
- **Housing Bureau:** With this option, guests can book their own reservation online through a unique link that is specific to your group. There will be a \$20 per person reservation fee that will apply, and reservations must be made at least 30 days prior to your event start date in order to confirm the group rate.

