

The Genealogical Society of Hispanic America 2009 Conference

We are returning to The Sagebrush Inn and Conference Center in Taos NM for “***The Genealogical Society of Hispanic America 2009 Conference***” during June **19-21, 2009**. More information to follow.

SAGEBRUSH INN AND CONFERENCE CENTER

The Sagebrush Inn is a Taos landmark built in 1929 of adobe and huge, hand-hewn timbers called vigas. The original adobe structure now the Cantina and Lobby still houses an impressive collection of Indian artifacts, rungs, and artwork. Family owned and operated by Kenneth and Louise Blair for over twenty years, the Sagebrush Inn has grown from a handful of guest rooms to 100 guest rooms while maintaining the peaceful, shaded courtyards and portal-lined garden areas. The most recent additions to the 20 acre property include 18,000 square foot conference center and 60 additional two-room guest suites. Your meeting attendees can relax in our unique rooms and suites decorated with hand-carved furniture, Mexican tiled baths and local artwork to enjoy the experience that is Taos. Your team will be able to start their days with a full, cooked to order breakfast each day and in the evenings enjoy fine dining in our Los Vaqueros Dining Room and dancing and cocktails in the Cantina, the hottest nightspot in Taos.

Walk through our puerta and enter a different world- the world of historic, culturally rich, Taos. Our special touches and down home, part of the family attitude are designed to make your meeting memorable

The Sagebrush Inn has many amenities for your group to enjoy, including property wide complimentary wireless internet, complimentary high speed internet in conference center, two on site restaurants, an outdoor pool, two indoor hot tubs, and live entertainment and dancing in our cantina Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights.

WHY TAOS?

The Sun shines 300 days a year in New Mexico, and Taos is wonderful rain, snow, or shine. Turquoise blue skies against a backdrop of mountains soaring to 14,000 feet high are home to a centuries old community. Taos Valley was home to Pueblo Indians as long ago as 900 years. The people of Taos Pueblo and Picuris Pueblo were probably living in their present villages by 1350 AD. The Spanish Conquistadors found Taos Valley in 1540 and by 1615 many Spanish families had settled in the area bringing with them the ways of the Western World with new concepts such as the cultivation of wheat and the use of the wheel. The Indian and Spanish populations learned to live together but not until after many conflicts had been resolved. In the 1800's when 2 artists stopped to have a broken surrey wheel repaired, became enchanted with the area and decided to stay. Taos thrives as this cultural “melting pot” even into the modern era, which by Taos standards began in 1955 when Ernie and Rhoda Blake opened Taos Ski Valley.

Situated at 7000 feet above sea level, Taos experiences relatively mild temperatures year round, while low humidity levels make warm summer days feel cool. During spring and autumn, light sweaters are welcomed. In winter, ski jackets are standard attire for ski buffs enjoying perfect powder conditions. Temperatures in June range from highs in the low 80's to lows in the mid 40's. January high temperatures are usually in the low 40's with lows at night in the teens.

ROOM RATES

The following room rates at the Sagebrush Inn and Comfort Suites:

Standard Rooms at \$79.00 per night single or double occupancy

Fireplace Rooms \$89.00 per night single or double occupancy

Small Suites \$99.00 per night single or double occupancy

Deluxe Suites \$109.00 per night single or double occupancy

Executive Suites \$119.00 per night single or double occupancy

Comfort Suites \$89.00 per night single or double occupancy

Rooms are subject to city lodgers' tax currently at 12.94%. The above rates are based on single or double occupancy. Each additional person is \$10.00 per night. Children 17 & under are free when sharing with an adult. A hot cooked to order breakfast is included for guests of the Sagebrush Inn. A hot deluxe continental breakfast is included for guest of the Comfort Suites.

Sagebrush Inn

Reservations 1-800-428-3626

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Comfort Suites – next door to Sagebrush Inn/Conference Center 1500 Paseo del Pueblo Sur Hwy 68Taos, NM 87571 505-751-1555*Fax 505-751-1991 Reservations 1-888-751-1555 email: comfort@newmex.com

Quality Inn 1043 Paseo del Pueblo Sur Taos, NM 87571 505-758-2200 - Fax 505-758-9009 Reservations 1-800-845-0648

RESERVATION METHOD

Reservation will be made on an individual basis, we honor a thirty-day cutoff date at which time any unreserved rooms will revert back to the hotel to sell. Any reservation requests from your organization after the cut-off date will be based on availability at the hotel's prevailing rates.

Individual reservations may be made online by visiting our website www.taoshotels.com and referencing your group code GSHA, or by calling the hotel directly.

CHECK IN TIME IS: 3:00 PM

CHECK OUT TIME IS: 11:00 AM