

La Jolla Hotel Information

1 General Information

Parking at the Darlington House is very limited, so you might want to get a hotel within walking distance. We walked to the Darlington House from all of the hotels in La Jolla proper, and none of them were too far to walk. By “La Jolla proper,” we mean the seaside village of La Jolla. We still live in La Jolla, just close to UCSD and not near the ocean. Estancia and the Marriot are both outside of La Jolla proper, but closer to us. Three hotels are giving us discounted rates: Estancia, La Jolla Cove Suites, and Best Western Inn by the Sea. You have to ask for the Decyk-Holte wedding rate when you call to make a reservation at these hotels. We also list a number of other hotels; they are nice, and sometimes affordable, they just don’t offer discounts.

2 Decyk-Holte Discounted Rates

Estancia La Jolla Hotel and Spa This is a snazzy hotel in what was formerly a horse ranch. It’s very new and has immaculate gardens. It’s not in La Jolla proper, so you can’t walk to the Darlington House, but you can walk to the rehearsal dinner. Reservations must be made more than a month in advance and the rates are good for three days before and after the wedding. The number is 877-437-8262.

- standard room – \$219 + tax + \$25 (parking) + \$12 (hospitality fee)
- suite (two bedroom) – \$369 + tax + \$25 (parking) + \$12 (hospitality fee)

Best Western Inn by the Sea This is a pretty standard Best Western hotel. It’s where Scripps put Jamie up during their open house in 2003. They guarantee the following discounted rate, and claim that they’ll offer any other cheaper rates if they have any when you call. The rate is \$10 more expensive on the weekend. The phone number is 858-459-4461.

- Sunday or Monday – \$139.00 + tax + \$12 (parking)
- Friday or Saturday – \$159.00 + tax + \$12 (parking)

La Jolla Cove Suites This hotel is on the older side with a very 70's-ish style, but it has a great location. We liked the Terraces or any of the ocean-view rooms. Reservations have to be made a month in advance. The number is 888-525-6552.

- studio suite oceanfront – \$199.00 + tax + \$15 (parking)
- mini suite oceanfront – \$185.00 + tax + \$15 (parking)
- full suite oceanfront – \$235.00 + tax + \$15 (parking)
- cove two bedroom oceanfront suite – \$265.00 + tax + \$15 (parking)
- terrace two bedroom suite – \$304.99 + tax + \$15 (parking)

3 Other Hotel Options

Grand Colonial La Jolla This is a historic and fancy hotel in La Jolla proper. Room rates start at \$269. The phone number is 858-454-2181.

Redwood Hollows These cottages range in size from studio to two bedrooms. They look comfortable without being over-done. They are 0.2 mile from the Darlington House and a few blocks from the La Jolla village center. Four person studios start at \$199. The phone number is 858-459-8747.

Bed and Breakfast Inn at La Jolla This is a pretty typical bed and breakfast. It is on the outskirts of La Jolla village and it is only a few blocks from the ocean. It has an artificial turf lawn in the back garden (saves water). Rates start at \$210. The phone number is 858-456-2066

Marriott La Jolla This is a standard Marriott hotel. It's pretty far away from La Jolla proper, but really close to our apartment. Rates start at \$129 for a single bed (AAA discount). The phone number is 858-587-1414.

La Jolla Beach Travelodge This is probably the cheapest option. The rooms look comfortable and clean. When we visited, the Mexican restaurant across the street smelled scrumptious. It is an easy walk to Windansea Beach. Rates range from \$110 to \$249. The phone number is 858-454-0716.

Besides these hotels, there are also many vacation rentals (small houses and such) for rent all over La Jolla. Marika has put together a giant spreadsheet about vacation rentals. If you are interested, you can ask her for this tome.