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#### **TUCSON FAMILY RESORT'S SUMMER DEAL SHINES WITH MULTIPLE PERKS** JW Marriott Tucson Starr Pass Resort & Spa offers unlimited golf, free kids' meals, \$50 resort credit among multiple incentives of their Family Swing & Fling Package

Tucson, AZ – Whether a golfer or swimmer, lounger or shopper, every member of the family can be a star on this summer's vacation thanks to the newest deal from a great <u>Tucson resort</u>.

At JW Marriott Tucson Starr Pass Resort & Spa, families of up to four can book deluxe accommodations with rates starting at \$189 per night using the Family Swing & Fling Package. Special perks of this <u>Tucson resort deal</u> include a \$50 per night resort credit, unlimited rounds of



golf, free use of the resort's spectacular Monsoon Falls Water Slide and Starr Canyon Lazy River, guided morning hikes, free meals for the kids, and complimentary appetizers or desserts for adults, plus 15 percent off any retail purchases.

Avid or casual golfers will enjoy any of three nine-hole courses that meander through the Catalina Mountains surrounding this <u>Tucson golf resort</u>. Designed by the legendary Arnold Palmer, the courses are named after a number of desert wildlife

that could appear during any round, including the par 36 Rattler, par 35 Roadrunner and par 36 Coyote. The Starr Pass Country Club also sports a clubhouse, pro-shop and restaurant and offers rentals and lessons as well. Condé Nast Traveler magazine has rated the course among the top 10 in Arizona and top 125 in the world.

With average summer temperatures in the 90s, guests can take advantage of the Tucson family resort's multi-level pool, Starr Canyon Lazy River and Monsoon Falls Waterslide to cool off or absorb the breathtaking scenery of the area on a number of spectacular hikes.

Family Swing & Fling, one of the premiere <u>Tucson vacation packages</u>, will whet the appetites of foodies who can dine at one of five onsite restaurants serving everything from sandwiches and barbecue to Italian, Southwestern and Mediterranean-inspired cuisines. The deal includes a free meal for the kids with every paying adult. And, when adults order a meal at Primo or Signature Grill, they will receive a complimentary dessert that could include a coconut lime flan, warm sweet tamales, espresso float or cannoli Siciliana. The poolside restaurant Plunge, surrounded by a pool, two whirlpools and a children's splash area, could be a fun adventure for the whole family with its menu of grilled burgers, sandwiches and salads along with tropical and ice-cold beverages.

After spending the day on a golf course, in a pool or hiking, biking or working out in the state-ofthe-art Hashani Spa, vacationers can relax in one of this <u>Tucson luxury hotel</u>'s 540 rooms, each designed for maximum comfort and rest with one king or two double beds with down comforters, designer duvets and feather pillows. Other amenities include patios or balconies with stunning views, separate tubs and walk-in showers, flat-screen TVs, safes, mini-bars and free high-speed Internet and long-distance calls.

To enjoy the Tucson vacation package's full benefits, guests should use promotional code ZJ5 when booking accommodations from May 18 through Sept. 30.

## About the JW Marriott Starr Pass Resort & Spa

The JW Marriott Starr Pass Resort & Spa is nestled amid the saguaro cactus forests of Tucson Mountain Park. The Tucson family resort was awarded AAA's Four Diamond Award and was rated among the top 125 golf resorts by Conde Nast Traveler readers. The property features 27 holes of golf on three Arnold Palmer-designed courses, a lazy river, water slide, state-of-the-art fitness center, spa and five restaurants. The largest resort in Southern Arizona, the JW Marriott Star Pass includes 540 rooms, 35 suites and 88,000 square feet of meeting space. For information, visit www.marriott.com/TUSSP.

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