

# SONESTA HOUSING FACTS

8751 Suiteside Dr, Orlando, FL 32836

The hotel has 3 floors. There are NO elevators. If you need assistance with luggage or groceries, contact the front desk and they will send someone to assist you.

No room charges will be allowed at the hotel. You should plan to pay cash or credit card at the café or market.

If you have a car, you MUST have a parking pass.

Everyone must **check into** the hotel and everyone must **check out** of the hotel. Failure to do so could result in an additional charge being deducted from your final pay.

## AMENITIES

- Starbucks café with breakfast sandwiches available, located in lobby. Open from 7:00 am to 11:00 am.
- Laundry room – located in pool area
  - 5 washers/6 dryers available \$4 each
  - you can use a credit card or an app (app will tell you when machines are finished, etc)
- Smoking is allowed in **smoking area ONLY**, located in the courtyard area, close to the lobby. There is no smoking on balconies, sidewalks, pool area, parking lots etc. Any who violates this policy will be sent home.
- Exercise room located off the lobby and is available 24 hours.
- The tables and eating areas located off the lobby are available 24 hours. Please mind your manners (noise level and clean up)
- There is no on-site computer available for public use.
- Entire inside of hotel has been fully renovated.

## Rooms will have:

- one king bedroom with a separate bathroom
  - safe, ironing board and iron in closet
- one bedroom with 2 double beds and a separate bathroom
- sofa bed w/linens in living room
- living room with full kitchen, full refrigerator, stove and oven

If a person sleeps on the sofa bed, they should share the bathroom with the king room. Roommates should ensure that the person on the sofa bed has a personal space to store their clothing, suitcase, etc.

If one roommate is leaving and another will come in later, the roommate that is leaving MUST tell the front desk which bed they were occupying, so the sheets can be changed (king bed, double by window, double by bathroom, sofa bed)

The hotel key system will only allow 4 keys to be made for a room at one time. So if someone loses their key, etc and a new key must be made, ALL NEW KEYS (4) must be made.

## **Kitchen/Dining Room/Living room**

- table with 4 chairs
- full size stove with oven
- full size refrigerator
- dishwasher (has soap)
- microwave
- regular coffee pot (not Keurig)
- toaster
- dishware
  - plates/cups/bowls/cups/silverware
  - 2 pots, one skillet, pizza pan, cookie sheet
- dish soap, sponge, kitchen towels, paper towels

## **HOUSEKEEPING**

- Each room will get a full day clean every 6-8 days. You will be told at check-in which day your full clean will occur. On this day, make sure that your Do Not Disturb sign is **not** out and make sure that all items are cleaned off the beds. Housekeeping does not want to disturb 'your stuff', but they want to clean, vacuum and change your sheets.
- Every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, housekeeping will bring your room new towels and empty the trash.
- If you want new towels before that time, take your dirty towels to the front desk for exchange.
- There are 8 towels in each room.

## **POOL**

- open from 9:00 am – 10:00 pm. There is a hot tub
- alcohol and outside food and beverage is allowed in pool area, but **NO GLASS**.
- anyone found with glass in the pool will be dismissed for the rest of the evening and is subject to dismissal from the tournament
- no outside music is allowed at the pool area

## **GROCERIES**

- if you plan to have groceries delivered, you must be available to accept the delivery

My recommendations for you to get:

- disposable coffee cups, if you want to take coffee with you (or bring your own reusable cup)
- plastic cups to use at the pool (cans allowed, but no glass containers)
- Ziploc bags to take your lunch/snacks with you to the convention center
- disposable silverware to take with you to the convention center
- laundry soap (cheaper than using what's available in the laundry room)
- salt, pepper and other cooking supplies and spices

## **OTHER ITEMS of NOTE**

- there is a Wawa gas station right across the street. It is a convenient store that serves great, reasonably priced sub sandwiches and other assorted ready to eat food.

- the Winn Dixie grocery store is across the street in the plaza behind the hotel, along with a liquor store and an great ice cream shop.
- there is a Dollar Tree in the Wawa Plaza, along with Giordano's Pizza, Steak-n-Shake, a Mexican buffet and a Chinese buffet
- there are lots of other restaurant options located along Apopka Vineland.