

Amanda & Eric

May 15, 2016

Sanctuary Cap Cana | Punta Cana, Dominican Republic

Destination Wedding Update

The final update before your journey. Page 1 of 2.

Reminders for Quick & Easy Airport Experience:

- Check-in online 24 hours before your flight departs & print your boarding passes at home.
- During check-in and/or early the day of departure, check the flight status with your carrier for any changes in flight time.
- It is recommended you arrive at the airport 3 hours in advance for international flights.
- Triple check that you have your passports when you leave home.
- Ensure all checked luggage is under your airline's weight requirements before leaving home.
- Ladies; keep you & your partner's passports & boarding passes (if printed at home) in an easy to reach location & have them ready before approaching the TSA Agent.
- Utilize curbside checked-baggage where applicable to avoid the ticketing counter altogether.
- Avoid clothing that is "blinged-out" as this can set you aside for a pat down.
- Make sure any carry-on liquids, aerosols, gels, creams & pastes are 3.4 oz or smaller & can all fit in one clear quart size Ziploc. (I double bag mine in case of a leak.)
- Yes, you may carry on mini-bar-sized alcoholic beverages by the above method but be warned many airlines no longer allow you to drink alcohol that is not purchased directly through them.
- Also use a Ziploc to stow all of your pocketed items (wallet, money, keys, etc) as to not waste time digging it out at security. Redistribute after exiting security or awaiting your flight.
- Pack your belt in an easy to reach place in your carry-on or significant other's purse. Put it on after exiting security.
- Place any laptops in a separate bin for scanning. Ensure that it is fully charged as you may be asked to power it up.
- Tablets can remain stowed in your purse or carry-on.
- You may keep glasses & jewelry on, however, metal body piercings may set off the detector.
- Wear comfortable, easy to slip on/off shoes.
- **Have \$10 USD on you (per person) when you arrive at PUJ. This will be required and paid to the airport at that time.**



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Sister Properties:



As a guest at Sanctuary Cap Cana, you are also entitled to partake of the restaurants and amenities of her nearby sister properties:

- AISol Del Mar
- AISol Luxury Village
- AISol Tiera

At Sanctuary Cap Cana



Sanctuary Cap Cana has received all of your suite requests. They make every effort to meet these requests.

While I do not anticipate any issues, if you are displeased with something which needs attention, your first line of contact should be the resort. Typically, the front desk can determine the proper employee to address your specific concern. If you feel the matter is unresolved or does not meet your expectations, please email me.

~ Thank You ~

It was my pleasure to work with each and every one of you. I sincerely hope you all have the best experience possible. Take time to stop to cherish the moments you are all fortunate enough to spend in the company of friends, family and loved ones before, during and after Amanda & Eric's ceremony. Wishing you all tons of laughter and loving memories.

~ Stephanie Cavelli ~



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Watch Your Emails!



I will be sending you an email with a link to the mobile app “**Totoura**”. Please download this app to your phone. In addition to listing excursions, what I really love about it that you will be able to make *free calls* to home if needed! Simply click the concierge and request minutes be added to your app. I have tested this in Mexico & it works great!

I am anticipating that it will work just as fabulous in and around Sanctuary Cap Cana.

Party Boat Catamaran Excursion:



Compliments of the bride and groom, you will get to enjoy an afternoon cruising the Caribbean with my good friend and colleague, Renny Avila and crew (pictured). Don't forget to grab a towel, sunglasses & sunscreen. Drink, snack, snorkel, relax, and take in all the sights, scents and sounds of this incredible destination while celebrating Amanda & Eric's special day!

Brush Up on Your Spanish!

Don't worry, nearly everyone knows English in the Dominican Republic, but it is considered a respectable act to *try* to speak the native language when traveling abroad.

Thank you = Gracias

Excuse me = Con permiso

How are you? = Como esta?

You're welcome = De nada

I'm sorry = Lo siento

Very good = Muy Bien

Please = Por favor

Good Morning = Buenos dias

Okay = Bueno

Yes = Si; No = No

Goodnight = Buenas noches

And you? = y tu



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Travel Documents are Coming Your Way!



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Pools at Sanctuary:



Try to enjoy all of Sanctuary's five (5) Pools! There is even a salt water pool!

Packing Tip:

It's always a good idea to "mix it up" when packing. Don't put all your belongings in one suitcase but rather divide it amongst a couple. There are times when pieces of luggage must be removed to meet overall aircraft weight limits which result in delayed baggage arrival. Make sure you have day, swimming and evening wear in separate pieces.

Also, have something to change into (shorts, t-shirt, bathing suit, flip flops) in your carry on. In the event your suite is not ready when you arrive, go grab a bite to eat or hit the beach or pool to make the most of your time.



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Reminder:

Balances for your stay at
Sanctuary Cap Cana are due
Wed., March 9th.



Active or Laid Back Experience:

You will not be bored at Sanctuary Cap Can! Here are some of the many free daily activities you can take part in:

- Horse Shows
- Dance Classes
- Wine Tasting
- Tennis Clinics
- Table Tennis
- Kayaking
- Spanish Lessons
- Cocktail Classes
- Cooking Lessons
- Beach Football
- Snorkeling

Check the posted weekly activity guides for days & times. Alternatively, just relaxing and hanging out by the ocean or pool is also very alluring.



What You Need to Know About Zika:

You have likely heard about Zika, a mosquito-borne virus, in the news. Here are some facts:

- 1 in 5 people who get Zika will develop symptoms.
- Most common symptoms include fever, rash, joint pain, and red eyes. Other symptoms can include headaches and muscle pain.
- Symptoms can last for several days up to a week.
- Once infected with Zika (knowingly or not) you are likely to be protected from future infections.
- Zika may be linked to microcephaly in babies. Pregnant women or those considering becoming pregnant should take extra precautions.
- Be preventative; do take insect repellent.

Updates are being made daily. For more information:

<http://www.cdc.gov/zika/index.html>

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Passports:

Don't forget to check your passports for the following:

- Make sure the name on your passport matches your travel documents exactly.
- Ensure your expiration date is after November 20, 2016 or later.
- Check to make sure your picture page is free of wear & scratches.

Reminder:

Deposits are now due to hold your suite.

Sanctuary News:

Included in the \$170 Resort Credits you will receive at check-in are (2) \$50 coupons for a massage! Take advantage of these in Sanctuary's new 20,000 sq. ft. spa & fitness center which also boasts a new, free Juice Bar!



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