

## **TAKE THE RUN OF THE RESORT AT LAKEDALE RESORT AT THREE LAKES**

*Cozy San Juan Island Retreat to Offer Inclusive Winter Deal for Groups*

**Friday Harbor, Wash. (September 1, 2009)** – This winter, Lakedale Resort at Three Lakes is offering guests the “Run of the Resort,” a seasonal deal for groups of 10 or more. This inclusive one-night package includes 10 guestrooms, meeting space for up to 20 people and hosted breakfast.

“In the winter season, San Juan Island is an ideal backdrop for an inspired and productive experience, offering a creative playground for team-building and brainstorming,” said Scott Hale, general manager at Lakedale Resort. “In an uncertain economic climate, we hope that this incredible deal will encourage groups to continue to hold retreats and off-site meetings, and to reap the benefits that such events can bring to an organization.”

During the winter, Lakedale Resort offers a contemplative, revitalizing environment for retreats or small meetings of up to 20 people. Recreational and team-building activities include boating, fishing, biking, winery trips and local artisan tours. Custom wine tasting experiences and catered meals for groups are available for an additional fee.

In addition to 10 guestrooms, meeting space and breakfast, the Run of the Resort package also includes on-site meeting support to ensure that meetings and retreats run smoothly from start to finish.

Run of the Resort rates start at \$1,000 per night. The package is available from November 2009 through January 2010. Restrictions and blackout dates apply. To make reservations call 1-800-617-2267 or visit [www.lakedale.com](http://www.lakedale.com).

### **Lakedale Resort at Three Lakes**

Lakedale Resort at Three Lakes is nestled between Roche Harbor and Friday Harbor on San Juan Island in Washington State, accessible by passenger and auto ferry or air. Situated on 82 wooded acres, Lakedale Resort offers four accommodation options: The Lodge, with cozy, romantic guestrooms; family-friendly log cabins; canvas cabins with real beds and linens; and campsites for the nature lover. The resort’s setting – adjacent to Neva Lake, Dream Lake and Fish Hook Lake – provides an abundance of outdoor activities: fishing, biking, swimming, canoeing, kayaking, hiking and boating. This range of opportunities makes the resort an ideal destination for memorable vacations, dynamic meetings and retreats, intimate weddings and other events. The resort is located at 4313 Roche Harbor Road in Friday Harbor, Wash. [www.lakedale.com](http://www.lakedale.com)

### **Columbia Hospitality, Inc.**

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