

MAKING FAMILY LIFE MORE FUN



Take A Family Spring Break

(NAPSA)—An increasing number of families find togetherness by running away from home—together.

Many get a jump on the vacation season by taking a break in the springtime to visit somewhere warm and welcoming. Research shows that Orlando is the number one family spring break destination in the country. In fact, each year many families gather in Orlando to experience a celebration of re-connecting called Family Spring BreakSM.

With that in mind, the Orlando /Orange County Convention & Visitors Bureau, Inc. (Orlando CVB) offers these tips.

- Purchase tickets to the attractions in advance in order to go straight through the turnstiles. Discount attraction tickets can be bought before you arrive to the parks. Visit the Web for more details (orlandoinfo.com/springbreak).

- If you are driving, rent a DVD or VCR player and bring movies to keep the kids occupied.

- Don't forget sunscreen, sunglasses and a hat for protection from the sunshine that makes the area a popular warm weather destination year-round.

- Take a change of clothes for the day's outing and wear comfortable shoes. Many attractions have water rides that will get you wet, but keep you cool. Most theme parks offer lockers for a nominal fee.

- Take a break from the parks in the afternoon to relax by the pool and return at night for excit-



The road to happiness for many families may take them on a springtime trip.

ing shows and events. Get your hand stamped for re-entry when leaving the attraction.

- Consider renting a stroller at the parks to save wear and tear on little feet and adult backs.

- Purchase larger souvenirs on the way out of the parks to avoid having to carry them around all day.

- Try to choose brightly colored T-shirts for every member of the family so you can easily identify yourselves in a crowd.

- Don't forget the video and still cameras to capture all the made-in-Orlando memories.

For vacation package information, call 1-888-ORL-4FUN or log onto orlandoinfo.com/springbreak.