

beach house

FILM & PHOTO SHOOT FAQ

WHAT HOURS ARE AVAILABLE FOR CAPTURE?

Load-in: 7:00am, Load-out: 10pm (M-F, weekends are not available.) Please note that the pool is not available Memorial Day-Labor Day.

WHAT IS THE ONSITE FEE?

Site fees depend on the time of day/shoot length, day of week, and time of year.

IS THERE A ROAMING FEE?

Yes. Any external capture incurs a fee of \$1,000. Roaming defined as any exterior filming, no on-site stationary set-up. Classification of roaming is at the discretion of the Beach House management.

IS PARKING AVAILABLE?

We are located on a public beach lot, with limited availability to reserve spaces. A minimum of one parking ambassador is required for load-in, shoot days and load-out to facilitate safety and customer service for clients and public.

- Parking rates: \$8.00/car unreserved, \$24.00/car reserved (November-March) - \$12.00/car unreserved, \$36.00/car reserved (April-October). Reserved spaces required if arriving after 7am.
- Parking may also be available in adjacent lots 8 and 9.

CAN I FILM ON THE BEACH / AT THE CAFÉ / IN THE PARKING LOT?

- Parking Lot: The Beach House will confirm availability of roaming on our site and the parking lot for filming or photo shoots. Film LA will collect fees.
- Back on the Beach Café: Fred Deni @ 310-393-8282 (Parking must be purchased through the Beach House.)
- Santa Monica State Beach, West of the bike path: Wendy Pietrzak @ wendy.pietrzak@smgov.net / 310.458.2220 x2777

IS THERE INTERNAL SPACE AVAILABLE FOR HAIR/MAKEUP/WARDROBE?

Additional internal space is available for rent, pending availability. If Pool Deck is rented for shoot, locker rooms and shower areas may be used as part of rental.

CATERING - WHAT IS ALLOWED?

If union, catering trucks are okay so long as they abide by onsite guidelines of no cooking or flame. Non-union productions must utilize one of our approved caterers for food and beverage. Back on the Beach Cafe may be available for walk-away lunches, but the restaurant must be contacted in advance.

SECURITY / INSURANCE / LIFEGUARDS – WHAT IS REQUIRED?

Security – At client's discretion, must be provided by client

Insurance - Must be furnished via FilmLA

Lifeguards – required for access on pool deck, regardless of persons in pool. Minimum of (2) guards for the pool deck, (3) if using the pool. Additional guards may be required per management consult. Guards are an est. \$24/hr, min. of 4hrs. Lifeguard fees are the only fees independently collected by the Beach House.

Fire Safety Officer is required for generator greater than 2000 watts

ANIMALS, AERIAL FOOTAGE/DRONES – WHAT IS ALLOWED?

Access to the roof of any onsite structure is on a case-by-case basis. Drones are not permitted in the City of Santa Monica.

Live animals, including fish and reptiles are not permitted at the Beach House.

PERMITTING – NEXT STEPS?

All permitting and payments for fees other than for lifeguards is handled through FilmLA. Please reach out to Film LA to file permit requests. The Beach House will confirm availability and block space on our site for film and photos shoots and send an invoice to both the Production Company and Film LA.

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