Housing Options for 2010 Deer Park Summer Programs

Ocean of Reasoning & Precious Garland of Tenets - July 7th to 30th

The information below is subject to change. Please the contact the establishments yourself to make arrangements. Please verify rates, etc., with any of the places you contact. Let us know if the rates you are quoted are significantly higher than stated here.

Note that locations in Madison are about 10 miles from Deer Park. Carpooling can be arranged for those without a car.

Please Note:

- The Towers is not available this year.
- The Regent Apartments has been added and their rates are very reasonable.
- Some rooms are available in private homes.

Blog for Finding a Roommate: We have a blog for people to meet and exchange information about housing, possible roommates, etc. If you would like to visit the blog,

- Go to: www.deerparkhousing.blogspot.com
- For security, to view the blog, you must sign in with username: deerparkstudent & password: 2010student
- To begin a new posting about a housing situation, sign in and click on "New Post" in the top task bar. To edit or delete your post select the Edit Posts tab after selecting New Post. (Please don't change postings not yours)
- To leave a comment for an existing post, sign in as above; click on the comment count (e.g., "2 comments") next to the "Posted by" statement to add, edit or delete your comment. (Please don't change comments not yours)
- In your post or comment, be clear as to how someone can contact you; email, phone, etc.

Please let us know if you find particularly good and inexpensive accommodations not listed here where other course attendees may want to stay. You can also post it to the blog.

Rooms in Private Homes: We have a short list of people in the Deer Park community who have rooms in their homes to rent at reasonable rates to summer courses attendees.

If you would like to receive that list please email: deerparkcourse@gmail.com .

Search for Sublets and other Housing in the Madison Area:

- 1. Short-term Rentals: http://www.rentedspaces.com/short-term-rentals/wi/madison Or google {"short-term rentals" madison wi].
- 2. Craig's List http://madison.craigslist.org/ select "sublets/temporary" under Housing.
- 3. **University of Wisconsin** Madison Campus Assistance Center: 608-263-2400: Email: askbucky@redgym.wisc.edu
 - Website: http://housing.civc.wisc.edu Select "Search for Housing". The website provides a questionnaire online to determine what summer apartment sublets are available that meet a person's needs.
- 4. A general listing of hotels and motels in the Madison area can be found at http://www.visitmadison.com/visitors/stay/

The Regent Apartments

1402 Regent Street, Madison, WI 53711 Close to the University. Walking distance to Trader Joe's & State St.

Contact: April Tatge atatge@stevebrownapts.com

Phone: (608) 258-4900 or 800.456.0223 toll-free

Website: http://www.stevebrownapts.com/regent.php

The Regent offers single rooms in 2-bedroom furnished apartments. Each apartment has a bathroom and fully equipped kitchen. When contacting April, mention Deer Park Buddhist Center and that you would like a room at their 'hotel' rate.

Rate: \$15/day (whether or not the other room in the apartment is occupied).

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Madison Property Management

608-251-8777

Springswood Lodge – 3080 Highway MM (between Madison and Deer Park)

The Springswood Lodge overlooks the Capitol City Bike Trail and is a quiet getaway in a setting for those that love the country. Today these large studio units are available to rent on a short-term lease basis. Rent includes FREE parking, ALL utilities, A/C and cable TV. Units are furnished with bed, table, chairs, lamps and a color TV.

Rate: \$695 to \$725 a month.

Short-term rentals at this location and at other places are available are listed at t this link: http://www.madisonproperty.com/apt_sts.asp

Madison Hostel (member of Hostel International)

141 S. Butler St. Madison WI 53703

608-441-0144

Office Hours: 8 AM to 9PM

Email: madisonhostel@yahoo.com
Website: www.madisonhostel.org

Close to State Street, walking distance to campus; shared kitchen with a stove, microwave, refrigerator, and cooking and eating utensils; common room with a library, television, VCR, and internet kiosk; Laundry facilities; Free linens and towels

Rates: Shared room (4-6 people) \$25/night/person -

Private room (room for 1-2 people) \$52/night/room (\$10/extra person) Shared bath.

Rates are \$22 and \$49 for hostel members.

This is a good alternative for those staying one or two weeks.

<u>Housing Co-ops</u> that are part of the Madison Community Co-op association may offer short-term summer housing. For details about MCC and specific co-ops, please visit: http://www.madisoncommunity.coop/ For possible openings and rates please contact the House Membership Coordinator at these co-ops:

Ambrosia: 608-513-9590 **Audrey Lorde**: 608-259-1976 **Friends**: 608-251-0156

International Co-op House: 608-283-6333

Countryside Corporate Apartments (Housing for a Group)

2801 Coventry Trail Suite A Madison, WI 53713

608-271-0101, Fax 271-0114. Email: <u>info@qualityhousing.com</u>

Web Address: www.qualityhousing.com

One group attending the course has stayed here for the last few years and found it very affordable if enough people share and because of the kitchen.

June to September Rates:

Apartment Size	1 Bedroom	2 Bedroom	3 Bedroom	2 Bedroom Jacuzzi Suite
Weekly Rates	\$425	\$450	\$475	\$550
Monthly Rates	\$1695	\$1795	\$1895	\$2195

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Camping (Sorry but camping is not available at Deer Park):

1. Lake Kegonsa State Park

2405 Door Creek Rd Stoughton WI 53589

608-873-9695

http://www.reserveamerica.com/usa/wi/kego/

You can reserve a state park campsite by using the World Wide Web http://www.reserveamerica.com/ or calling 888-WI-PARKS (888-947-2757)

2. Capital Springs State Park and Recreation Area – connected with Lake Farm County Park

http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/land/parks/specific/capsprings/index.html For camping reservations, contact Dane County Parks: (608) 246-3896

Lake Farm Park 4330 Libby Road Madison WI 53711

Day Care:

Various options available in Oregon, Wisconsin can be found at: <a href="http://www.switchboard.com/results.htm?MEM=1&ypcobrand=1&PR=133&ST=1&VL=&QV=&KW=Day+Care&LO=Oregon%2C+Wisconsin&SD=-1&semChannelId=&semSessionId=&search.x=51&search.y=12

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