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HELLO & WELCOME



Thank you so much for considering a beach photo session with me! I'm thrilled to have the opportunity to capture memories for you and your loved ones. This marks my 13th season photographing families at the beach, and I'm so excited to continue offering this experience! I've designed sessions that are laid-back, enjoyable, and personalized to capture unforgettable moments that you, your family, and your friends will treasure forever.

I'm here to make sure your experience is effortless and enjoyable. We'll work together to plan and design a session that perfectly aligns with your vision. Whether you're booking for your immediate family, extended family, or a group of friends who feel like family, beach sessions offer an ideal setting for breathtaking portraits.

Take a moment to check out this guide for pricing details. Don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions or need further information—I'm always happy to assist!



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Simple Session

30 minutes

Edited viewing gallery with at least 30 images

\$100 retainer/deposit fee required to book

Just a few
\$565.00

If you select this option, you'll choose ten digital files from your gallery. The files will be available for digital download, along with printing rights, allowing you to print them with the printer of your choice.

The Entire Gallery
\$645.00

With this option, you will be able to download all the images in your gallery. You will also have full printing rights, allowing you to print them using the printer of your choice





Extended Session



This session is ideal for multiple families, whether it's an extended family or a group of friends on vacation together! A \$100 deposit reserves your spot, with the remaining balance due after your session. The session lasts 60 minutes and includes group photos, individual family portraits, pictures of children together, solo shots, and any other groupings you'd like, as time permits.

We'll work together to plan the most important shots for you!

Within two weeks of your session, you'll receive an edited gallery where you can download and print all of your images. If you need recommendations for high-quality printers, feel free to ask!

\$695



Frequently Asked Questions

HOW DOES IT ALL WORK?

Booking is done over email or through my booking link. Once we confirm a day that works for both of us, you will receive the contract and invoice for the session retainer. Your session is not considered booked until you sign the contract and pay the session retainer. The deposit secures your spot on my calendar. After I have finished editing the images from your session, you will receive an email with the files, and be able to select your package if you booked a simple session, or the entire gallery available to download if you purchased the extended. You do not need to select a package until you receive your gallery. I offer two types of beach sessions: a shorter session for immediate families (though I'm happy to have grandparents join in) and a longer session for multiple or extended families. Of course, if you feel like your family would benefit from the longer session, you are certainly welcome to book that.

WHEN AND WHERE DO WE PLAN TO MEET?

We can meet anywhere in Ocean City, MD, Fenwick Island, DE or Bethany Beach, DE! I schedule beach sessions in the hour before sunset. I know that this is late, and may be difficult on families with younger children, but photography is all about the light. And that's when the light is the best! However, if you have a child that absolutely cannot stay up that late without total meltdowns or if the idea of starting your photo session that late causes you stress, we can meet earlier, but I need to make sure you are aware that all of my beach portfolio was shot at sunset and if we meet earlier, your gallery will not look like the rest of my portfolio.

WHAT ABOUT THE WEATHER?

Ah The weather. Dealing with the weather is one of the most stressful parts of offering beach sessions!

We'll stay in touch as your session approaches. Generally, I cancel/reschedule sessions when there is a greater than 50% chance of storms at your session time or if the wind is forecasted to be higher than 15mph. At 15mph, the sand starts whipping, and no one is happy being sandblasted! I always tell clients it can be as much of a last minute decision as they are comfortable with. I'm not the one that needs to get ready! So we can wait and see how it goes if that's what works for you! I try to offer a rain date whenever possible. However, I can't always guarantee that will be available. If we aren't able to reschedule, you have a few options. If your home base is somewhere in Central Maryland, we can do a session at home. If you are not located in Central Maryland or if you had your heart set on a beach session, I will refund your deposit. Your third option would be to schedule for next summer, in which case I will honor my 2024 rates.

WHAT SHOULD WE WEAR?

I have a whole what to wear guide specifically designed for beach sessions that I share with clients after they book. I am always happy to help you choose your outfits!