

# The Celebrate Life Condo Guide

Mar Arena #2



Welcome to our home. Jill and I are delighted that you are here!

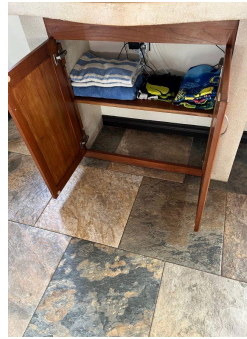
If you need anything during your stay, please reach out to Elsi from our Celebrate Life hospitality team at +506-6366-2921..

Here are a few tips that can make your stay more enjoyable and a few common courtesy items that we request from all of our guests.

-For **WiFi** inside the condo, you can connect to the Celebrate Life network. Password: FollowTheSun

- Towels for the pool are in the cabinet under the TV in the living room.

- The towels for the shower, hand towels, and face towels are in the bedroom on the open shelves by the back of the door. These towels are not meant for the pool or the beach.



- For laundry services, we recommend Lava Max. Call Fernando at +506-8658-3521 by 8 am. He will pick up your dirty laundry and return it that same afternoon with everything cleaned and folded. It's about \$18 for a large load of clothes and towels.



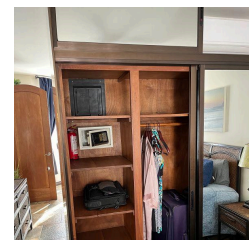
- Wet towels and bathing suits can be hung over the chairs by the kitchen counter at night. Put the fan on #2 before you go to bed and they will be dry in the morning when you wake up. :)

- If you like the sun, the table and chairs right in front of our unit are perfect for you. When you wake up, just put your towels down on the chairs/table and that spot is yours for the day. The opposite side of the pool is where you'll find more shade during a sunny day. Same rules apply: pick your chairs/table when you wake up. Any of the three tables on the opposite side of our condo will have

decent shade, especially with the umbrella up.

- The circuit breaker box is in the bedroom closet on the left hand side above the top shelf.

- The safe code is 1-2-3-4-B . If you would like to change the code during your stay, open the door to the safe and press the little red button on the inside hinge of the door. After hearing the beep, choose another 4 digit code and press the "B" key on the bottom right of the keypad. This will save the new code. Please check that the new code works with the door still open before you shut the door and lock it. On checkout day, please leave the safe open and



advise us of the new code so it's ready for our next guest. The left side of the closet is for our guests to use for their personal belongings. The right side of the closet is for our storage and supplies. **\*All of our supplies and property are inventoried and checked after each guest checks out. Any missing or damaged items will be the responsibility of the guest.**



- The sofa in the living room is very simple to transform into a bed. The back of the sofa is divided into two sections. Pull each section forward toward you until it clicks and then gently let it recline into the flat position. There are extra sheets, a blanket, and a pillow for the sofa bed inside the bedroom closet.

- The hand soap dispenser (in the stainless steel container) is on the left hand side of the sink and the dish soap dispenser is connected to the sink next to the faucet.

-If you will be cooking on the stove, we recommend that you use the fan/extractor while cooking to suck up the smoke. There is also a light for the stove top (in addition to the back splash lights) for your convenience.



- There is an outlet under the bathroom countertop (inside the cabinet on the top shelf) if you have electric toothbrushes or razors that need to charge daily and you'd like to keep them off the counter.

- The garbage can for the kitchen is located in the cabinet beneath the coffee maker. This is also where the propane tank is for the stove. The gas is already turned on and the stove is ready to use. You'll also find a fire extinguisher inside this cabinet and one in the bedroom closet by the safe as well.



- Manuals for all of the major appliances are located in the third silverware drawer.

- There are cleaning supplies in the cabinet to the left of the fridge if you need to or would like to tidy up the condo during your stay.

- To enter the small front gate by the pool from the outside of the property, use the key or the remote control you were given upon check-in. The button on the left is for the small gate and the button on the right will open the large car gate to get to the back parking lot.



- To exit the front gate by the pool from the inside of the property, you can use your remote control or just press the little green button that is on the lamp post next to the showers. Press it once and then you'll have 15 seconds to walk out before it locks again. After you turn the key or press the button for the small gate, you need to push the door away from you and then pull it toward you for it to open so you can get out.



- After walking in from the beach, please clean all the sand off your feet in the shower area by the pool entrance before you enter the pool or the condo. \*The black sand from Jaco beach is very sticky and takes a little effort to get off your skin.



- Please turn off the AC units and ceiling fans when you are not inside the condo. When we do use the AC units and fans, we find that setting the bedroom AC to 22 degrees Celsius and the ceiling fan to #1 speed, and the kitchen AC unit to 25 and the fan to #2 make things very comfortable.

-The entire condo will cool down in less than 10 minutes if you are just getting back in from being outside for an extended period of time.

- There is a shoe rack/holder on the back of the front door if you'd like to keep your shoes and flip flops off the floor.



- The water here at Mar Arena is very good and you can drink it straight from the tap. However, if you wish to drink filtered water, there is a stainless steel Brita water pitcher/container in the cabinet above the stove to the left with a new filter in it for your convenience.

- The blackout curtains (navy blue) will give you privacy when you want it. If you want to let the natural light into the condo and still have a little bit of privacy, you can open the navy blue curtains and keep the white curtains closed.



The little blue and white curtain ties with velcro on the ends will give plenty of options for your preferred curtain look/setting. The ties can be found on the shelf behind the bedroom door.



- Please keep the front door to the condo closed at all times. This will prevent any uninvited mosquitoes and small rodents/creatures/birds from entering the condo. Please use the sliding screen door that is attached to the front door frame if you wish to enjoy the open view and breeze if it's a nice temp outside.

- All of the windows (3) slide open and have screens as well should you wish to enjoy the outside breeze. (On cool nights or very early mornings, we like to open the bedroom window and listen to the ocean.) Otherwise, please keep all doors and windows closed to prevent dust and the salt air from permeating the condo.



-You'll find a dish drainer and extra microfiber towels in the large/wide cabinet drawer under the sink area. You'll also find the pots and pans in the other large cabinet drawer under the

stove. We find that the larger yellow microfiber rags (soft) are best for drying the dishes.

- When it's time to take the garbage out, there are two sheds in the back parking lot.



Open the door to the shed that's on the right and place your garbage bag into one of the open cans inside.

You can also take your trash out to the two garbage cans that are across the street from the pool on the beach.

-If you wish to call a taxi service, dial 2643-2121. It will cost you about \$4 (2000 colones) to get into the center of town by Mas Por Menos (our local supermarket in Jaco).

- These are a few of our favorite restaurants in town. You can walk or take a cab to their location or have them deliver right to the condo.

[Amancios](#): 2643-2373 (Italian) \$\$

[Jerah](#): 8359-2067 (Thai) \$\$

[Morales House](#): 2643-2373 (Mixed Grill and Seafood) \$\$

[El Novillo Alegre](#): 2643-1171 (Argentinian Steakhouse) \$\$\$

[El Hicaco](#): 8581-9696 (Mixed Grill and Seafood) \$\$\$\$



- The sunsets we get to enjoy right from our front yard here in Jaco Beach are gorgeous. However, if you'd like to enjoy a Costa Rican sunset from a new perspective and really cool setting, take a taxi to [Villa Caletas](#): 2630-3000 (about a \$20 cab ride that will take about 20 minutes). Get there about 30 minutes before sunset and order a nice cold drink. Sit back and just enjoy one of the best sunsets in the world. You can also stay there for dinner, but it is very expensive.

Enjoy your stay at the Celebrate Life Condo. Pura Vida!!!

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