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**TASTE OF FOND DU LAC PRESENTED BY HORICON BANK EXCITES LOCAL
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(1/29/09)- Homemade Spaghetti and Meatballs, a Strawberry Julius and Homemade French Onion Soup are just a few of the mouthwatering menu items that three more restaurants will be bringing to Taste of Fond du Lac presented by Horicon Bank on Sunday, February 22. Don't miss Bellafini's, Orange Julius and The Freight House Supper Club and Lounge when they come out to the Fond du Lac County Expo Building from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. to showcase their menus.

Bellafini's, 7 14th St., is a first year participant in the event and will be showcasing some of its authentic Italian Cuisine. On the menu will be Homemade Spaghetti and Meatballs, Deep Fried Melangiani and Tiramisu.

"The event sounds like a fun way to give people a chance to try our food, and we are looking forward to letting people know where we are in the community," said Chris Giaimo of Bellafini's.

Another newcomer to the event, Orange Julius, located in the Forest Mall at 835 W. Johnson St., will be serving up an array of delicious smoothies to tempt taste-goer's sweet tooth. Among the treats they will be serving is a Strawberry Julius, an Orange Julius, a Strawberry Banana Fruit Drink, a Tripleberry Fruit Drink and a Strawberry Lemonade Fruit

Drink.

“Orange Julius is new to the area, so we want to get our name out into the community and give people a chance to try our products,” said Lisa Groeschl of Orange Julius.

The Freight House Supper Club and Lounge, 44 Marcoe St., will be back again this year to serve up The Freight House Special Coleslaw, Homemade French Onion Soup with Homemade Croutons and a Pork Sandwich.

“The Freight House is a little out of the way, making us a destination. Taste of Fond du Lac is a very good way to let people know where we are and showcase some of our dishes,” said Jay Genske of the Freight House Supper Club & Lounge.

Come out on Sunday, February 22 to visit your favorite restaurant or to find a new favorite at Horicon Bank’s Taste of Fond du Lac. The event will take place at the Fond du Lac County Fairgrounds Expo Building from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Advance Tickets are just \$1.50 and are available at any Horicon Bank location, Wegner’s Office Supply and the Fond du Lac Area Convention and Visitors Bureau. Tickets at the door are just \$2 and food tickets are only \$.50 a piece. Check out fdlfest.com for more information.

Horicon Bank’s Taste of Fond du Lac is brought to you by Horicon Bank, Pepsi Americas, Budweiser American Ale, Charter Communications, Specht Electric & Communications, WFRV CBS 5, The Reporter, Hopper’s Silk Screening & All-Star Trophy and News Talk AM 1450 KFIZ.

Fond du Lac Festivals, Inc. is a non-profit organization founded in 1983 with a mission to direct, promote, and support festivals and special events that showcase the Fond du Lac community. The organization, with a great deal of help and support from the

community, is responsible for Walleye Weekend, Light Up the City, and Horicon Bank's Taste of Fond du Lac. These events benefit more than 100 local non-profit organizations.

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