



Costa Mesa Restaurant Week Returns August 15

Special Prix Fixe Menus Available at Costa Mesa's Top Restaurants

COSTA MESA, CA – August 4, 2014 - The Costa Mesa Conference and Visitor Bureau (CMCVB) is pleased to announce the return of the annual Costa Mesa Restaurant Week. The culinary event, taking place August 15-22, will bring about special prix fixe menu offerings from more than 50 of the city's best restaurants.

One of the most anticipated events in Costa Mesa, Restaurant Week is an eclectic mix of the top culinary options the city has to offer. Now in its fourth year, the weeklong celebration gives visitors the opportunity to enjoy fine dining and drinks at unbeatable prices.

Among Restaurant Week's participating venues are destination favorites Mastro's Steakhouse, Charlie Palmer at Bloomingdale's and The Capital Grille, all of which have created special three-course menus exclusively for the week-long event. Those in the mood for soul food can try southern-style cuisine from Memphis Café, or diners can indulge in authentic Italian fare from Cucina Roma. Even the health-conscious foodie will find an array of flavorful low-calorie dishes at Seasons 52.

In addition to the variety of special dining offers, a selection of hotels will also offer special <u>Costa Mesa room rates and packages</u> during Restaurant Week.

Prior to Restaurant Week's launch, a private kick-off party and silent auction will be hosted at the Chuck Jones Center by 24 carrots on Thursday, August 14. Attending guests will have the opportunity to walk away with dining certificates, weekend getaway trips and many more exciting prizes. An array of local eateries, including Greenleaf Gourmet Chopshop, Taco Maria and Seventh Tea Bar, will provide a selection of food and drinks throughout the event. All proceeds from the silent auction will benefit the Someone Cares Soup Kitchen in Costa Mesa.

The Costa Mesa Restaurant Week kick-off party and silent auction is a private event open to invitees and members of the media only. Interested media should contact Mackenzie Griffin at Mackenzie@MyriadMarketing.com or 310-649-7700.

For more information on <u>Costa Mesa Restaurant Week</u> and to view a complete list of participating restaurants and their menus, visit <u>www.costamesarestaurantweek.org</u>.

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About the Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau:

The Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau was established in 1995. The Bureau's





primary goal is to encourage leisure travel to Costa Mesa by engaging in marketing programs and events for the city of Costa Mesa. For more information on travel to the city of Costa Mesa, visit www.travelcostamesa.com. The Costa Mesa Conference & Visitor Bureau is a 501(c)(6) nonprofit organization.

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