

BARKING FROG AT WILLOWS LODGE ANNOUNCES WOODINVILLE-BASED EARLY BIRD COFFEE ROASTERS AS NEW COFFEE PARTNER

Woodinville, Wash. (April 15, 2011) — [Barking Frog](#), located in the heart of Woodinville Wine Country, announces local [Early Bird Coffee Roasters](#) as its new exclusive coffee provider. In addition to traditional brewed coffee, Barking Frog offers French press service and espresso beverages during breakfast, brunch, lunch and dinner service.

“Barking Frog has always been a leader in the world of sustainability and sourcing local is one of the ways we support this important initiative,” said Barking Frog Executive Chef Bobby Moore. “Over the years, we have developed strong relationships with our local foragers, farmers and wineries. These relationships have served us well and are what make the Barking Frog so special.”

“We have been searching for the perfect partnership in the coffee world and found a high quality, local coffee roaster right here in our own backyard, Woodinville. We are thrilled to have Early Bird Coffee Roasters as a new partner in bringing the freshest and finest ingredients to the Barking Frog,” said Chef Moore.

A true artisan roaster, Early Bird Coffee Roasters sources the finest, sustainably grown Arabica coffees from around the world, including organic, Fair Trade certified and farm-direct single-estate coffees. Early Bird’s roastmaster skillfully roasts and then blends these coffees in small batches, ensuring peak quality and freshness from bean to cup.

A destination all its own, Barking Frog is a warm, bistro-like restaurant that embodies the same rustic and refined feel as Willows Lodge. Executive Chef Bobby Moore excels in American regional cuisine with Pacific Northwest influences serving menu items like pan roasted sea scallops with confit chicken hash and truffled macaroni and cheese. Barking Frog has received numerous awards for its fresh, innovative food and extensive wine list.

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