



MONTH OF LOVE: WILLOWS LODGE ANNOUNCES MONTH-LONG PROGRAMMING FOR VALENTINE'S DAY

Northwest lodge inspires romance this February with series of cooking classes in Fireside Cellars, aphrodisiac menu at Barking Frog and decadent in-tub dining for overnight guests

Woodinville, Wash. (December 6, 2010) – Willows Lodge, a romantic wine country retreat located just outside of Seattle, announces its month-long Valentine's Day programming designed to inspire romance at every turn with the **Month of Love**.

The 2011 Month of Love includes a two-part cooking class on "**How to Make an Easy Romantic Three-Course Meal for Your Sweetheart**" hosted by Barking Frog's Executive Chef Bobby Moore and Pastry Chef Matt Kelley at Fireside Cellars; a special **Aphrodisiac Menu** of sensual food to "get in the mood" featured at Barking Frog throughout the month; **couples treatments** at the Spa at Willows Lodge; and the **Do Not Disturb** romance package featuring decadent in-tub dining. Willows Lodge will donate \$20 from each Do Not Disturb package sold during the month of February to **Little Bit Therapeutic Riding Center** in Woodinville.

Complete details for the **2011 Month of Love** at Willows Lodge are as follows:

- **The Way to a Man's (or Woman's) Heart...**The culinary experts at Barking Frog will host complimentary cooking classes in Fireside Cellars teaching attendees "How to Make an Easy Romantic Three-Course Dinner for Your Sweetheart." The classes will take place in two parts on back-to-back Wednesdays in February, from 5:30-6:30 p.m. during Happier Hour. Attendees will receive recipe cards and samples of the items made during each class.
 - **February 2** – Part I: Romantic Appetizers and The Main Course with Barking Frog Executive Chef Bobby Moore
 - **February 9** – Part 2: Decadent Desserts with Barking Frog Pastry Chef Matt Kelley
- **Get "In the Mood"...**Barking Frog will offer an **Aphrodisiac Menu** throughout the month, featuring a delicious line-up of inspiring and sensual foods.
- **A Couple That Spas Together...**The Spa at Willows Lodge will offer the Cupid's Package for couples. This two hour couple's package begins with a welcome foot ritual and two glasses of sparkling wine. Following this, couples have their choice of either a 90-minute massage or facial. The package also includes a relaxing shirodhara scalp treatment for two. Package price is \$400 per couple (including gratuity). For additional package details, please visit www.willowslodge/spa.

- **Give a Little Bit of Love...** Willows Lodge will donate \$20 from each **Do Not Disturb** romance package sold during the month of February to **Little Bit Therapeutic Riding Center** in Woodinville. The package is Willows' top-selling romance package and includes luxurious accommodations in a NICER style room; \$100 dining credit at Barking Frog; Willows Lodge's decadent In-Tub Dining, including a drawn bath complete with bubbles and floating rose petals, a tray topped with strawberries, whipped cream, warm chocolate in a votive/fondue pot; and Willows Lodge Signature Dessert, sparkling wine for two, candle, and a soothing CD to set the mood. Rates for the Do Not Disturb Package start at \$390.

For additional information, please visit www.willowslodge.com or contact 425.424.3900.

About Little Bit Therapeutic Riding Center

Founded in 1976, Little Bit Therapeutic Riding Center is a leader in the field of therapeutic horseback riding and the first nationally accredited program of its kind in the Northwest. Little Bit's mission is to improve the bodies, minds and spirits of children and adults with disabilities through equine-assisted therapy. The center also strives to be an inspiration and educational resource to the therapeutic riding profession and was recognized with the Delta Society's Model Program Award of Excellence for provided outstanding service, while bringing people and animals together. www.littlebit.org

About Willows Lodge

Willows Lodge, a Northwest style lodge located in Woodinville Wine Country just outside of Seattle, features 84 luxury guestrooms, a full-service spa and high-tech equipped meeting space. Executive Chef Bobby Moore's American regional cuisine at Barking Frog reflects the seasonal and organic produce found in Puget Sound, and is artfully paired with an extensive list of Washington wines. Willows Lodge also boasts Fireside Cellars, offering a casual and sophisticated atmosphere tucked away in the lobby with an outdoor patio overlooking the expansive surrounding landscape. www.willowslodge.com.

Woodinville-based, Willows Lodge, is managed by MTM Luxury Lodging, operating the Northwest's premier collection of boutique hotels. Among its other exquisite properties in the Northwest are Cave B Inn at SageCliffe (Quincy); Hotel 1000 (downtown Seattle); Willows Lodge (Woodinville); and Woodmark Hotel, Yacht Club & Spa (Kirkland). Other MTM luxury properties from coast to coast include The Liberty Hotel (Boston) and Bardessono (Napa Valley). Without exception, MTM managed hotels are among the very best in the markets they serve. www.mtmluxurylodging.com

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