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Press Release

Birch Ridge Inn Wine Dinner

Saturday July 14th in association with the Killington Wine Festival

Killington, VT, June 27, 2007: On Saturday Evening July 14th, Birch Ridge is pleased to present an evening of fine wine and dining in conjunction with the Killington Wine Festival presented by the Killington Chamber of Commerce. Chef Stephen Byrne has created a menu to complement a selection of fine California wines from the Trinchero Family Estates with ingredients influenced by the mountains of Vermont for this special evening.

The menu for the evening includes flash chilled pan seared black and blue tuna with heirloom tomatoes, complementing a Montevina Pinot Grigio; Halibut on a Crab and Scallop cake with saffron cream matched with a Folie à Deux, Ménage à Trois; and seared medallions of Sika Deer paired with a Folie à Deux Napa Valley Estate Cabernet Sauvignon. The evening will begin with summer appetizers in the Great Room of the Birch Ridge Inn. To finish the evening, a Montevina Terra D'Oro California Moscato will be paired with a warm berry tart and house churned ice cream accompanied by a plait du fromage of fine Vermont cheese from local fromagiers.

The first wine will be presented at 6:30 PM in the Great Room Lounge at Birch Ridge, followed by dinner in the Inn's restaurant starting at 7:00 PM. The price per person for the evening is \$79.00, not including tax or gratuity. This price is inclusive of the evening's wine and dinner.

Reservations are required, and can be made by calling the Birch Ridge Inn at 802.422.4293, or 800.435.8566. Lodging packages are also available.

About the Birch Ridge Inn

The Birch Ridge Inn has provided fine dining and accommodations since its establishment in 1997. A true country inn, refined not rustic, the Birch Ridge Inn offers 10 individually decorated guest rooms, many feature fireplaces and whirlpool tubs. The inn is also known for its fine dining restaurant, which serves a combination of American and Continental cuisines. The restaurant at Birch Ridge provides dinner service to inn guests and the public during Killington's summer season from Wednesday thru Saturday evenings starting at 6:00 PM. Sunday brunch is also served from 11:00 AM to 2:30 PM. Birch Ridge recommends reservations for lodging or evening dinner which can be made via phone at 800.435.8566 or on the web at www.birchridge.com.

About the Killington Wine Festival

The Killington Wine Festival returns for the 5th year to Killington from July 12th thru 15th, 2007. The event starts with a Gala Dinner at the Killington Grand Hotel on Thursday evening July 12th. On Friday July 14th, an estate wine tasting will be held at the Birch Ridge Inn from 3:00 to 5:00 PM followed by "The Crush", a Jazz and Wine bar poolside at the Killington Grand in the evening. On Saturday, July 14th, a grand wine tasting and wine seminars will be held at the Killington Peak starting at 12:00 Noon. During the festival, wine dinners and champagne brunches will be held at several restaurants in the Killington area. Tickets for wine festival events can be purchased from the Killington Chamber of Commerce by calling the chamber office at 800.337.1928.