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LINCOLNSHIRE MARRIOTT RESORT KICKS OFF 50TH ANNIVERSARY, LAUNCHES ROTATING POP-UP EXPERIENCE IN THREE EMBERS RESTAURANT

Celebrating 50 years of Live Theatre, Fine Dining, and Hospitality Excellence in Chicago's Lake County Since 1975

Three Embers Restaurant will become the site of 5 creative popup experiences themed to each stage production, with specialty crafted cocktails and menus Marriott Theatre's design team will create a magical themed environment Starting With Joseph and The Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat, Feb. 5

Lincolnshire, IL – <u>Lincolnshire Marriott Resort</u>, Lake County's most luxurious resort, officially kicks of its 50th anniversary by debuting an all new, rotating pop-up experience at its signature upscale dining destination, <u>Three Embers Restaurant</u>. This initiative will coincide with the 50th anniversary season at its award-winning <u>Marriott Theatre</u>. Each pop up will be an extension of the current

stage production at the theatre, transporting guests to another realm while enjoying a themed food and beverage menu led by the culinary team at Three Embers Restaurant. The pop-up experience will kick off with Joseph's Dream Grill Presented by Three Embers Restaurant to mirror Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat at the Marriott Theatre, running February 5 through March 30.

"Ever since March 24th,1975, the <u>Marriott Lincolnshire Resort</u> has been honored to host over 4 million guests, over 3,000 weddings, and play over 1 million games of golf on Crane's Landing golf course, while the Marriott Theatre has presented over 250 mainstage productions and 100 Theatre for Young Audience productions. We continue to innovate and are elated to share this exciting new popup experience at Three Embers," said **General Manager Brad Lajoie**. "This will allow not only our theatre guests to fully immerse themselves in this one-of-a-kind dining experience, but our hotel and local guests from the Lincolnshire area can also enjoy a unique and transformed space."

Carefully crafted with the help of Marriott Theatre's set design team alongside events company Ravenswood, Milo Bue Scenic Designs, and designer Anthony Churchill, the new popup experience titled **Joseph's Dream Grill** will replicate the world of **Joseph** with stunning aesthetics bringing the restaurant to amazing technicolor life. Dreamy lanterns and a starlit framed screen will play immersive visuals for guests to dine back in time, with a special photo op for diners to commemorate their experience. Palm trees and brightly adorned fabrics will fill the restaurant, where guests can indulge in a specialty themed menu. Led by Chef de Cuisine Jonathon Silver, featured pre-fixe menu items will include the Nile Red Lentil Soup, *with herb oil and micro cilantro*; Joseph's Beef Schwarma, *with Roz Bel Shareya*, *tomatoes*, *cucumbers*, *onions*, *and tahini*; along with a specialty "Fit for a King" raisin cake dessert. The pre-fixe menu will be served alongside Three Ember's Main Menu that also has Joseph-themed dishes such as the Pharoah's Memphis Style BBQ pizza and the Wood Fired Shrimp Creole.

The first of 5 popups to take shape this year, **Joseph's Dream Grill** will be open five days a week, Tuesday through Saturday, from 5pm-9pm throughout the run of **Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat.** To book your reservation at **Joseph's Dream Grill** today, please visit <u>www.threeembersrestaurant.com</u> or call 847-634-0100. Follow Lincolnshire Marriott Resort @lshiremarriott on Instagram and @MarriottLincolnshireResort on Facebook to stay on top of all updates.

About Three Embers

Three Embers, the resort's signature restaurant, celebrates proudly Midwest cuisine with simple, locally grown and sourced, farm-fresh ingredients, while integrating influential flavors from various regions throughout southern Europe. Local diners, hotel guests, and theater-goers can anticipate being welcomed by an intimate and innovative dining atmosphere headlined by a dramatic wood-burning grill placed prominently in the lakeside dining space. Outdoor seating is also available seasonally, on the Lakeside Plaza, with tranquil views overlooking the resort lake. Lead by Executive Chef Everardo Fajardo, Three Embers dishes are driven by passion, authenticity, heritage, and creativity, accompanied by local familiarity and lively flavor profiles to intrigue diners taste buds. And when available, many of Three Embers' ingredients will be sourced from the resort's on- site farm, greenhouse and apiary, as well as from local produce, livestock and dairy farms.

About the Lincolnshire Marriott Resort

Lincolnshire Marriott Resort is a welcoming resort in Illinois' Lake County area for business retreats, family vacations, and romantic weekends. Just a short drive from downtown Chicago and O'Hare International Airport, the hotel features 390 guest rooms and suites as well as two unique restaurants – Three Embers and Wright's Brew and Bistro, along with The Brew Lobby Bar and Starbucks, as well as a luxurious day spa, Life Salon and Spa. In addition to its 40,000 square feet of meeting and event space, the resort is also home to the highly acclaimed Marriott Theatre, which has been performing some of the region's best live musical theatre for 50 years. Guests seeking recreation options have access to the resort's public Ralph-Fazio designed PGA golf course Crane's Landing, tennis center, and two pools. In addition, the Des Plaines River Trail runs alongside the resort, extending 37 miles to Wisconsin, making it an ideal setting for hiking, biking, and horseback riding.

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