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Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill Comes to Toledo Market

Much Loved Family-Friendly Gathering Spot to Open Newest Location in the Shops at Fallen in Timbers in Maumee, Ohio

Maumee, OH—Good Food Restaurants, a family-owned, Lima, OH based restaurant company, announced today that it will open the sixth location of its popular Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill at the Shops at Fallen Timbers in Maumee, this November. The restaurant will occupy a 10,300 square foot stand-alone building and will feature a 250 seat dining room; two patios; a full bar; a waiting area with a secondary bar and lounge; a wood burning fireplace; kids' arcade area; two banquet rooms which, when combined, can accommodate parties up to 80; and carryout pickup area with a separate entrance.

Beer Barrel offers a large menu of made-from-scratch entrees, unique appetizers, salads, sandwiches, and its signature three styles of pizza including its Thin & Crispy Style, Chicago Style Deep Dish, and award-winning Original Beer Barrel Style. A large dining room with custom hickory furniture and wood burning fireplace can easily accommodate large group and family gatherings, and its full bar specializes in a wide array of both classic and craft beers on draft and in bottles.

Serving Ohio for over fifty years, Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill started in 1965 in Lima, OH. For years, its one location on Lima's industrial south side was a casual gathering place for friends and family and known for its pizza and relaxed atmosphere. In 2005, the original location was acquired by longtime restaurateur John Heaphy and his wife Aimee. The restaurant was temporarily closed for an expansion and renovation. The re-opened restaurant featured an expanded menu and updated lodge-style design and was an immediate hit.

Today, Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill has five locations in Lima, St. Marys, Columbus, and Findlay and continues to be family owned and operated as a part of the Heaphy family's Good Food Restaurants group. In addition to Beer Barrel, Good Food

Restaurants operates two other popular restaurant concepts: Happy Daz, a fast-casual diner with six locations in west central Ohio; and Old City Prime, a fine dining American steakhouse in downtown Lima.

“We’re really excited to be coming to the Toledo market,” said owner and President John Heaphy. “Since our Beer Barrel location just off of I-75 in Findlay opened, we’ve slowly developed a fan base which stretches north into the Maumee and Perrysburg region. When we were approached by GGP about joining The Shops at Fallen Timbers, it seemed like a natural fit. I think that Toledo is going to love what we offer, and we can’t wait to share our great food and family-friendly hospitality with the community.”

“As the leading regional shopping center within the Maumee community, we strive to provide an exceptional dining experience for our customers,” said Tamra Bower, General Manager of The Shops at Fallen Timbers. “We know our community will welcome Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill, as it has been a family favorite in Ohio for over 50 years.”

For additional information, visit www.beerbarrelpizza.com, where you can view the menu, find additional locations, and sign up to receive email updates.

ABOUT BEER BARREL PIZZA & GRILL

An Ohio business for over fifty years, Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill has long been a gathering place for friends and family. A warm and generous spirit, great food, a welcoming atmosphere, and a sense of community define who we are and what we do.

While our original Beer Barrel style pizza has been loved since 1965, we’re now known equally as well for our full menu featuring made-from-scratch family recipes, our signature appetizers, our always-anticipated seasonal specials, and our special brand of hospitality all served up in our unique dining rooms and bar areas. Featuring custom hickory furniture, wood-burning fireplaces, and plenty of space to accommodate large groups, our restaurants are just as perfect for dinner with the family as they are for grabbing a drink with friends.

Whether you're dining with us, enjoying a drink, or picking up take-out, when you're at the Beer Barrel, you're a part of our family.

In 2005, Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill became a part of Good Food Restaurants, an Ohio company founded and owned by longtime restaurant entrepreneur John Heaphy and his wife Aimee. Beer Barrel has always been a family affair, and as we've expanded and added new locations, the tradition continues with the Heaphy children who now have roles in the business.

At Beer Barrel, community matters to us. Each year we support a range of causes with in-kind donations and, through our foundation, Happy Daz Charities, we support social services organizations with an emphasis on hunger relief in the communities we serve.

In addition to Beer Barrel, Good Food Restaurants owns two other popular restaurant concepts: Happy Daz, a fast-casual diner with six locations in west central Ohio; and Old City Prime, a fine dining American steakhouse in downtown Lima.

To learn more about Beer Barrel Pizza & Grill: www.beerbarrelpizza.com

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ABOUT THE SHOPS AT FALLEN TIMBERS

The Shops at Fallen Timbers is a 605,575-square-foot, regional open-air lifestyle center with a striking streetscape overlooking two lakes and a boardwalk area, complete with a stone fire pit and a children's play area. The Shops at Fallen Timbers is situated on approximately 107 acres of land in Maumee, Ohio, approximately 11 miles from downtown and one of Toledo MSA's most rapidly growing areas.



Clockwise from upper left: Beer Barrel Exterior Signage in Findlay, OH; Owner and President, John Heaphy; selections from salad menu, Original Beer Barrel Style Pizza.MA