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## 'FOOD FOR FRIENDS' CHARITY FOOD DRIVE WEDNESDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 21

## Mystery Wagering Vouchers Offered to Guests Age 18 or Older With Donation to Local Food Bank; Four Stakes Races on Tap

**Grantville, PA (Thursday, November 8, 2012)** – On Wednesday, November 21, Hollywood Casino at Penn National Race Course and local racing fans will have an opportunity to help a local food bank that is working hard in these difficult economic times to support less fortunate neighbors in the community.

Penn National Race Course will host a nine-race live thoroughbred program on Thanksgiving Eve, with first post at 6:00PM. The card will feature four stakes races headed by the inaugural running of the \$200,000 Fabulous Strike over six furlongs on the main track for 3-year-olds and up.

All guests age 18 and older that bring a non-perishable food item beginning at 5:00 PM will receive a free mystery wagering voucher valued between \$2 and \$100. The food items will be donated to the Penn National branch of the Race Track Chaplaincy of America for distribution.

"We are thrilled to partner with the Race Track Chaplaincy of America to help ensure that those in need don't go hungry this holiday season," said Dan Silver, director of racing operations at Hollywood Casino at Penn National Race Course. "Tying in an exciting mystery mutuel voucher promotion rewards our fans who go out of their way to support this very important food drive."

A stand will be set up outside the second floor simulcasting center next to the program seller stand where guests can drop off their food items and receive a voucher. The offer is limited to one voucher per guest.

Hollywood Casino at Penn National Race Course is a Penn National Gaming property that offers guests the most exciting and unique entertainment experience in Central Pennsylvania. The venue features more than 2,475 slot machines, 60 gaming tables, and a 16-table Poker room. Live thoroughbred and simulcast horse racing is offered year-round. An array of dining options are available including the award-winning Final Cut Steakhouse, winner of three consecutive Wine Spectator Awards of Excellence; Mountainview Dining, a 500-seat restaurant overlooking the one-mile racetrack; SkyBox Sports Bar, and the popular 350-seat Epic Buffet.

Penn National Race Course, located minutes from Hershey and Harrisburg, PA., opened on August 30, 1972, and has presented top-class live thoroughbred racing for more than 40 years. The original track was taken down in 2006 and the new Hollywood Casino at Penn National Race Course, a fully-integrated gaming and racing facility, opened on February 12, 2008.

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