

Hollywood Casino's Fairbanks® Steakhouse Named "Award of Excellence" Winner by Wine Spectator 6th Year in A Row & Best Steakhouse in Tunica by Casino Player Magazine Readers 3rd Year in A Row!

(Tunica, MS, July 23, 2008)---Hollywood Casino's Fairbanks® Steakhouse is a proud recipient of the 2008 Wine Spectator Award of Excellence and once again has been voted "Best Steakhouse" in Casino Player Magazine's 2008 "Best of Gaming" Survey.

To win a Wine Spectator award, a restaurant must offer a wine list that includes wines appropriate to its cuisine and an ambience that will appeal to a wide range of wine lovers. The wine list must provide complete and accurate information including vintages and appellations for all selections inclusive of wine-by-the-glass. Proper storage, service and the overall presentation of the list are also taken into consideration.

Fairbanks received the Award of Excellence and has received this prestigious honor since 2003. This award designates wine lists that offer a well-chosen selection of quality producers, along with a thematic match to the menu in both price and style. Typically, these lists are comprised of a minimum of 80 selections. Fairbanks has over 150 selections.

And, for the third year in a row, Fairbanks has won the hearts (and stomachs) of Casino Player Magazine readers. Each year Casino Player magazine conducts reader surveys for "Best of Gaming" awards. Real-life players not a panel of judges or gaming executives, choose the winners of these awards. Hollywood Casino and Fairbanks Steakhouse are proud to be recognized as "The Best".

Gene Schnell, Fairbanks Manager, ecstatically sums up why Fairbanks wins awards, "Because we truly care about our patron's wishes and needs, and see that we do everything possible to accommodate their wishes - TRUE CUSTOMER SATISFACTION!"

Fairbanks Steakhouse provides a premier dining experience with enough celebrity flair to make anyone feel like a star. Fairbanks Steakhouse is open nightly for dinner. Hours are: Monday-Thursday from 5 to 10:30pm, Friday and Saturday from 5-11pm and Sunday from 4:30-10pm. All major credit cards are accepted. For reservations, please call 1-800-871-0711.

Hollywood Casino, located just south of Memphis, TN, has over 1,300 exciting slot machines, a fully-enclosed non-smoking slot area and more than 30 table games in 54,000 square feet of gaming space. Hollywood offers guests a variety of award-winning dining experiences: Fairbanks Steakhouse, The Hollywood Diner and Epic Buffet. While visiting Hollywood Casino guests can stay in the luxurious 494-room hotel including 57 luxury suites and golf at the 18-hole Scottish links at River Bend Links golf course.