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RESTAURANT WEEK CONCLUDES WITH AWARDS CEREMONY

Restaurants awarded for their restaurant week performance in five award categories

Pittsburgh, PA, January 28, 2014: To conclude the Pittsburgh Restaurant Week Winter 2014 celebration, on January 27, 2014 restaurant owners, chefs and supporters gathered at Matteo's in Pittsburgh's Lawrenceville neighborhood for the Pittsburgh Restaurant Week Awards ceremony and to provide feedback on their restaurant week experiences. Throughout the restaurant week celebration, restaurants competed to be a "Pittsburgh Restaurant Awarded Best By Yinz" and receive a PRABBY in five different categories.

And the winners are ...

The PRABBY for **BEST PREVIEW TASTE** was awarded to the restaurant receiving the most votes for their Kickoff Party Preview offering. The winner is **The Wooden Nickel**.

The PRABBY for **MOST MOUTHWATERING** was awarded to the restaurant receiving the most online votes leading up to restaurant week for the most appetizing special that yinz were anxious to try. The winner is **Skinny Pete's Kitchen**.

The PRABBY for **MOST PHOTOGENIC** is paired with a public award for **BEST PHOTO**. Throughout restaurant week, diners snapped photos of restaurant week dishes and uploaded them to pittsburghrestaurantweek.com. The top 5 photos were placed for online vote and the best photo winner is **Dani Stump** with a photo of Dim Sum. The restaurant receiving the most photogenic award is **Grit & Grace** for crafting a picture perfect dish.

The PRABBY for **BEST DINING DEAL** was awarded to the restaurant receiving the most online votes following restaurant week based on diners' best value for their restaurant week special. The winner is **The Capital Grille**.

The PRABBY for **BEST RESTAURANT** was awarded to the restaurant receiving the most online votes following restaurant week based on the best overall restaurant week experience. The winner is **Butcher & The Rye**.



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ABOUT PITTSBURGH RESTAURANT WEEK:

The mission of Pittsburgh Restaurant Week is to highlight the wide-ranging dining options that Pittsburgh has to offer and bring individuals from surrounding boroughs or suburbs to the city to walk the streets and enjoy a dinner at a special discounted price. Pittsburgh Restaurant Week is a project of the Pittsburgh TasteBuds Ltd.

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