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THE LIGHTHOUSE AMPHITHEATER AT SHORELINE VILLAGE HOSTS OPEN HOUSE

Event kicks off Memorial Day weekend Grand Opening

DESTIN, Fla.—May 21, 2014—The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village is kicking off its Memorial Day weekend **Grand Opening** with an open house event on **Thursday, May 22, 2014**. From **4 to 6 p.m.** members of the public and the media will be able to see the new venue with exclusive backstage tours, along with the recently completed renovations to the Shoreline Village Mall, and interview venue management and owners. Beginning the following Friday night, the Grand Opening Festivities will continue with three days of music ending with a concert by **BlackJack Billy** and **DJ Hish**.

What: The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village Open House

When: Thursday, May 22, 2014 from 4 to 6 p.m.

Where: 874 U.S. 98 East

Destin, FL 32541

Cost: Free admission

At the open house, the summer's concert schedule will be announced and members of the media will be eligible for season media passes, guaranteeing access to all events at The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village. **Alex Baker**, owner and developer of the venue and Blackwater Resources, will be on hand to meet patrons and speak with the media. Additionally, **Mike Jones of Mike Jones Entertainment**, the venue management company, will also be available for interviews.

The open house event precedes a weekend of music at the amphitheater. Cadillac Willy will perform a free concert at the Amphitheater Friday, May 23, 2014, at 5 p.m., with bluegrass band Dismal Creek performing Saturday, May 24, 2014, from 5 to 9 p.m. Admission to the Friday and Saturday concerts are free. BlackJack Billy and special guest DJ Hish will round out the weekend by performing at the Amphitheater Sunday, May 25, 2014.

Doors for Sunday's event open at 6:30 p.m., followed by **DJ Hish** performing at 7 p.m., and **BlackJack Billy** at 8 p.m. General admission tickets for the concert are \$10 and VIP Club Level tickets are \$20. **A special offer allows Destin residents with a valid ID to purchase tickets for \$5.** This offer can be redeemed by visiting the venue to purchase tickets Thursday through Sunday from 4 to 10 p.m. Tickets can be purchased at the venue's website (www.lighthouseamphitheater.com). To celebrate the grand opening, \$2 beer will be available

all night long. Following the concert, **DJ Hish** will host a VIP After Party starting at 10:30 p.m. Coolers, chairs and outside beverages are not permitted inside the venue.

ABOUT THE ARTISTS

BlackJack Billy is an American country rock group based in Nashville, Tenn., with a sound described as "Redneck Rock." Their biggest single, "The Booze Cruise," was featured on SiriusXM's the Highway as a Highway Find, and sold more than 150,000 times worldwide. The five band members have diverse backgrounds with a common love and interest for country music.

DJ Hish is best known for his eclectic style of mixes with anything from Johnny Cash to Jay Z playing. Based in Nashville, DJ Hish frequents the downtown music scene and tours with some of the nation's biggest country acts. Nashville Lifestyles magazine recently featured DJ Hish as one of the "Artists and Industry Players to Watch in 2014."

ABOUT THE LIGHTHOUSE AMPHITHEATER AT SHORELINE VILLAGE

Situated along the ocean front in Destin, Florida, The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village provides the perfect atmosphere for entertainment. The venue boasts a state-of-the-art sound system and seating for hundreds along with shopping and restaurants at the Shoreline Village Mall. During your visit to The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village you'll find all the amenities you would expect from a world-class venue—ample parking, restroom facilities and friendly staff.

The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village strives to be Destin's premier multi-use venue and bring national, regional and local acts to perform. Destin residents and beach-goers from far and wide will enjoy the sun and salty air of this ocean front venue.

For more information about The Lighthouse Amphitheater at Shoreline Village and its events, visit www.lighthouseampitheater.com.



