

Press Release

Friday, March 2, 11:30 a.m.

Who Orchard Village customers Karen Paulsen, Joyce Wright, and Nancy Hirsch presented their award-winning salsa recipe at the Race to the Taste, Taste of Morton Grove.

PHOTO: *Morton Grove Foundation officers Jeff Fougousse (Treasurer), Steve Kropp (President), and Jim Simkins (Vice President) presented Orchard Village customer Joyce Wright with a check from the Foundation.*

What On Wednesday, August 30, Orchard Village competed in Bloomingdale's first ever Charity Culinary Challenge. Karen Paulsen, Joyce Wright, Nancy Hirsch, and Charles Loiseau, Salubris™ Coordinator, competed against five other non-profit organizations for the best Salsa and Guacamole and walked away with a 2nd Place finish for their Pineapple-Jicama Salsa.

Karen, Joyce, and Nancy were proud to represent Orchard Village at the Taste of Morton Grove. The three ladies from Orchard Village's Lowell Street home even distributed the recipe to those who want to try their hand at preparing the healthy and delectable dish.

Where White Eagle Banquets & Restaurant
6845 Milwaukee Avenue, Niles, IL

When Thursday, March 1, 2007, 5:30 p.m.

Why Orchard Village is a non-profit organization committed to supporting over 300 men, women and children with developmental disabilities. Without the generous giving of its supporters, Orchard Village would not be able to offer its residential, vocational, seniors' day program, in-home respite care or specialized services.

The non-profit was founded 35 years ago by a group of parents who realized their children were in need of services that recognized their potential, nurtured their needs and helped them achieve their goals in life. The organization's primary focus is based upon person-centered planning, ensuring every client controls his or her own destiny by conducting one-on-one interviews and discussing 25 personal outcome measures. For more information please visit www.orchardvillage.org

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