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**Food lovers rejoice!
Feast in the City makes a delicious return**

From June 2nd to 11th, food lovers can experience the best in downtown Hamilton dining as the **Feast in the City** fine dining event returns. Eight dining establishments have created prix fixe menus from which one person can enjoy a three-course dinner for \$30 (taxes included; beverages and gratuities extra). Diners also receive special offers from Hamilton's Fab Four (Art Gallery of Hamilton, Hamilton Philharmonic Orchestra, Opera Hamilton and Theatre Aquarius). Members of the public are asked to contact participating restaurants directly and mention **Feast in the City** when making reservations.

Feast in the City participants are:

Acclamation Bar and Grill (191 James Street North, 905-523-7269)
Brownies Downtown Fine Food & Spirit (275 King Street East, 905-526-6047)
Chagall's, Sheraton Hamilton Hotel (116 King Street West, 905-317-4501)
Il Fiasco (182 Locke Street South, 905-522-8549)

La Piazza Allegra Italian Restaurant (180 James Street South, 905-777-8970)
My-Thai Restaurant (21 John Street North, 905-526-8373)
Room 41 (41 King William Street, 905-524-2777)
Sol e Mar Catering Fine Food at the Art Gallery of Hamilton (one evening only: Sunday, June 4th, Art Gallery of Hamilton, 123 King Street West, 905-527-6610, ext. 253)

"Tourism Hamilton and the local industry wholeheartedly support **Feast in the City**, showcasing our finest restaurants," said David Adames, Executive Director of Tourism Hamilton. "While the program appeals to the taste buds of discerning tourists, the enchanting offerings of the Fab Four are sure to tempt the other senses and spur return visits."

"We are very excited about the return of the **Feast in the City** event", said Mark Farrugia, Executive Chef and Owner of La Piazza Allegra Italian Restaurant. "Last year, participating restaurants saw evenings of full bookings. One night, we turned away close to 100 patrons due to the overwhelming response. When it comes to **Feast in the City**, it pays to reserve in advance!"

"We're delighted to be part of **Feast in the City** once again," said AGH President and CEO Louise Dompierre. "Since the Art Gallery of Hamilton reopened last May, we've welcomed over 170,000 people downtown. **Feast in the City** is one more way we can work with our partners to encourage Hamiltonians and visitors to explore the treasures available to them in the heart of this city."

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