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CHUKCHANSI GOLD DEBUTS CASA DE FUEGO MEXICAN RESTAURANT

(Coarsegold, CA) – SEPT. 15, 2020 – Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino is proud to debut **Casa de Fuego** Mexican restaurant, delivering a tantalizing new dining offering for guests.

Now open in the evenings Wednesday through Saturday, Casa de Fuego serves up Mexican specialties, craft cocktails and an extensive tequila selection in Chukchansi's buffet area.

"We're always on the mission to enhance our offerings for our guests. As our buffet is currently closed, we saw this as a perfect opportunity to transform the space and deliver an exciting new dining option," said Frank Rigley, Chukchansi Gold's Food & Beverage Director. "Casa de Fuego is a great complement to our other restaurants, so guests can stay, play and satisfy their appetites with everything from incredible burritos at Casa de Fuego to mouthwatering steaks at Vintage Steakhouse."

The new restaurant allows the resort to transform the unused buffet space into a new revenue driver, while continuing to excite its guests with a new culinary experience.

Below is a sampling of Casa de Fuego's delectable cuisine; for the full menu, click [here](#).

- **Appetizers.** Indulgent appetizers kick off a meal at Casa de Fuego, with starters including **Elote Roasted Cut Corn** with lime, chile, crema and cotija cheese; and **Camarone Diablo Fajita** with tequila-lime shrimp, charred peppers and onions, tequila butter, lime juice and chile BBQ.
- **Soups & Salads.** For a lighter meal, guests can select options such as the **Ensalada Compuesta** with mixed greens, shredded chicken, avocado, olives, tomatoes, green onions and two cheeses, with tortilla strips and pico de gallo ranch dressing; or the **Posole**, featuring braised pork and maize in a rich broth garnished with cabbage, crisp tortilla strips, radish and lime.
- **Entrees.** For the main event, Casa de Fuego offers a multitude of offerings from tacos and tostadas to quesadillas, burritos and more. The **Crispy Fish Taco** comes with cilantro lime slaw, cotija cheese, salsa roja and spicy mayo, while the **Burrito Supreme** includes carne asada, pinto beans, Monterey jack and cotija cheeses, salsa roja and crema. The **Carnitas Tostada** features refried beans, guacamole, pico de gallo, tomatoes, olives, green onions, crema, Monterey jack and cotija cheeses.
- **Desserts.** Sweet offerings range from **Bunuelos** including crispy corn tortillas tossed in cinnamon sugar and served with vanilla ice cream and cinnamon sauce; to fresh **Churros** complemented with Mexican chocolate ice cream.

- **Cocktails.** Casa de Fuego's cocktail menu boasts more than a dozen kinds of tequila including specialty offerings such as Don Julio 1942 and Patron Platinum, and seven different types of margaritas. Both spicy and refreshing, the **Jalapeno Cucumber Margarita** includes choice of tequila, triple sec, fresh sweet & sour, agave nectar, fresh jalapeno and cucumber slices, and a tajin rim garnished with cucumber and lime; while the **French Margarita** is made with tequila, Chambord, fresh sweet & sour and lime juice, with a salt rim and lime garnish.

Casa de Fuego is operating at a limited capacity with tables physically distanced six feet apart to ensure a safer dining experience. Hours of operation: Wednesdays and Thursdays from 5 p.m. to 10 p.m., Friday and Saturday from 5 p.m. to 11 p.m.

About Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino

Nestled near the majestic Yosemite National Park, Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino brings the beauty of the Sierra foothills into a world-class destination resort with fine dining, heart-pounding entertainment and premier gaming. Since opening in 2003, Chukchansi Gold Resort and Casino has been voted No. 1 for 13 years as Best Casino by People's Choice Awards, sees over 130,000 monthly guests and employs over 1,100 individuals – disbursing roughly \$50 million in payroll and benefits into the local economy every year. This year, guests are enjoying the newly refurbished and remodeled hotel towers with 402 luxury rooms, indoor/outdoor pool, Serenity Springs Spa, and the award-winning Nativo's Italian Restaurant that further the casino's reputation of quality, luxury and hospitality. Also known for its generous community support, the casino's Chukchansi Cares program donates thousands of dollars to local non-profit organizations every year, in total giving nearly \$20 million charitable dollars toward community benefit programs and initiatives. For more information about the hotel and casino, please call 1-866-794-6946 or visit ChukchansiGold.com. Must be 21 to enter the property and have a valid government issued photo ID.

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