



Media Contact:
Linzy Rousset Cotaya
504.324.4242
Linzy@gambelcommunications.com

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

March 2, 2010

Carousel Bar Now Featuring Scrumptious Bar Bites

New Orleans, La—The Hotel Monteleone's world famous Carousel Bar will now be serving a selection of delectable Bar Bites. Assortments of snack favorites with a gourmet New Orleans twist are available to munch on as you take a spin.

Available from 2:00-5:00PM daily, the Carousel's tasty treats will come from the Monteleone's famed Hunt Room Grill kitchen. Some items on the Bar Bites menu include Cajun Boudin Balls served with a spicy Remoulade Sauce and homemade French Fries. The Carousel will also serve Mini Crawfish Pies with Fries. Along with these New Orleans style dishes, American classics with a sophisticated spin will be featured. Mini Gourmet Burgers and Hot Dogs will also be among the Carousel's mouth-watering creations. If you are craving a lighter bite, Hot Tortilla Chips with Pico de Gallo and homemade Guacamole could be just right to feed your appetite.

"We feel that the Carousel's Bar Bites are a perfect complement to our cocktail menu," says Andrea Thornton, Director of Sales and Marketing for the Hotel Monteleone. "All of these menu items have the New Orleans flair and sophistication that the Hotel Monteleone is known for."

Celebrating 60 years, The Carousel Bar in the Hotel Monteleone is the only bar in New Orleans that revolves around the room. It overlooks famous Royal Street through large fan windows and has long been a favorite of both locals and tourists. Famous visitors to the Carousel include Michael Jordan, Dennis Quaid, Greg Allman and Sally Struthers. The bar is open daily from 11AM-2AM. For more information on the Carousel Bar or the Hotel Monteleone please visit www.hotelmonteleone.com.

Since 1886, the Hotel Monteleone, www.hotelmonteleone.com, has proudly stood as one of the first landmarks in the famous French Quarter. The hotel is the Quarter's largest full-service hotel, featuring 600 comfortable, luxurious guestrooms and suites. Hotel Monteleone is within walking-distance of some of New Orleans most famous attractions and is conveniently located eleven miles from the Louis Armstrong International Airport. Hotel Monteleone is a member of the Preferred Hotels® & Resorts, a consecutive AAA Four Diamond award-winner, and has won the J.D. Power and Associates Upscale Hotel Award for "An Outstanding Guest Experience".

###