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**Say "Thanks!" this Mother's Day at Lake Lanier Islands Resort  
Mother's Day Brunch and Spa Packages honor all Moms**

LAKE LANIER ISLANDS (April 14, 2008) Emerald Pointe Hotel & Conference Center at Lake Lanier Islands Resort will be hosting its annual "Thanks Mom!" Mother's Day Brunch on Sunday, May 11, 2008 with seatings at 12noon and 2:30 p.m. Each mother in attendance will receive a complimentary Chattahoochee Rapids Beach & WaterPark pass valid anytime during the 2008 season, which begins on weekends on Saturday May 17 and daily Thursday May 22.

This scrumptious buffet offers an made-to-order omelet station; breakfast selections of French toast and eggs benedict, homemade potatoes, bacon and sausage and more; French crepes topped with strawberry sauce; made-to-order-pasta station with Alfredo and tomato basil sauces; assorted pastries and muffins; salmon and bagel display; marinated mushrooms; peel and eat shrimp; marinated vegetable salad; pasta salad; and ambrosia salad with cranberries. Main dishes will include blackened salmon with cilantro and tomato cream sauce; tropical Mahi Mahi with mango sauce; Chicken Cordon Bleu with creamy lemon butter sauce; grilled chicken breast with prosciutto, basil and brandy sauce; roasted pork medallions with ragout of crab, asparagus and hollandaise; and seafood newburg. Enjoy side dishes such as broccoli with a sharp cheddar jalapeño mornay sauce, country style green beans, basil-garlic mashed potatoes, roasted potatoes and saffron butter orzo pasta. Carving stations will offer roasted prime rib; honey glazed ham and turkey breast. A decadent dessert buffet will be served as well. Entertainment will be provided and a full bar will be open serving Mimosas and Bloody Maries.

Moms will receive a break as the kids head off to a separate room to enjoy a special buffet of chicken fingers, macaroni and cheese bites, mini pizzas, franks in a blanket, cookies and brownies. They will also be entertained by a big screen television playing children's movies.

This buffet is priced at \$37.95\* for adults, \$32.95 for seniors, \$19.95\* for children ages 6 to 12 and children 5 and under eat for free. For more information or reservations for Mother's Day Brunch call 770-945-8787 or 678-318-2048.

\*Reservations are recommended. Buffet price does not include tax or gratuity.

**Tranquility - The Spa**

Give Mom a relaxing treat with one of the Mother's Day Spa Packages from Tranquility – The Spa at Lake Lanier Islands Resort. Choose from:

\* JUST FOR YOU, including the Radiance Visage facial, Mini Massage and a manicure for \$135

\* A TOUCH OF LOVE, including the Body Polishing with Bora Bora White Sand, Aromatherapy Massage, and Radiance Visage facial for \$240

\* INDULGENCE, including the Timeless European facial, Aromatherapy Massage, pedicure and a delicious lunch for \$285

\* A SPECIAL MOMENT, including the Signature Facial, Deluxe Manicure and Pedicure, Aromatherapy Massage and Invigorating Scalp Massage, plus a delicious lunch for \$455

\* ROYAL RETREAT, including the Signature Facial, Hot Stone Massage, Total Relaxation Body Wrap, Signature Manicure and Pedicure and a delicious lunch for \$550.

All packages include gratuities.

You can also select a specific service from our spa menu or let mom pick for herself with a gift certificate. For more information, contact Tranquility by calling 678.318.7887 or visit the website at [www.lakelanierislands.com/spa](http://www.lakelanierislands.com/spa).

#### About Lake Lanier Islands Resort

Forty-five minutes from northeast Atlanta, Lake Lanier Islands Resort is situated on the shores of Lake Sidney Lanier and is Georgia's most visited lakeside resort destination. The 1,100-acre resort provides a variety of amenities and services. Emerald Pointe Hotel & Conference Center, 30 lakeside cottages, award winning lakeside golf, scenic horseback riding, Tranquility – the Spa, famed wine tasting dinners, campsites and boat rentals from Harbor Landing are currently available for reservations. Each year, the Beach & WaterPark is open during the summertime and Magical Nights of Lights, the world's largest animated holiday light extravaganza, takes place mid-November until the end of December.

For more information about Lake Lanier Islands Resort visit [www.lakelanierislands.com](http://www.lakelanierislands.com).