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“The Forest of Fear....WANTS YOUR BLOOD!”

Tuxedo Park, NY – The Forest of Fear is hauntingly pleased to announce its 1st annual Blood Drive to be held at The Forest of Fear attraction, Friday, October 30th, located across from the New York Renaissance Faire, 600 Rt 17A, Tuxedo Park, NY. Community Blood Services, a not-for-profit organization provides blood and blood products to more than 30 hospitals in the NJ/NY region and will be there to collect your blood. Anyone who donates blood at the drive between 6:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. that evening will receive one free admission to The Forest of Fear’s Slaughterhouse, The Slaughterhouse Sideshow and a free souvenir.

“What better way to spend the night before Halloween than by giving us your blood before checking out the Forest of Fear’s fabulous haunted house and sideshows,” said Patricia Cascino, recruitment manager at Community Blood Services.

“One blood donation can save up to three lives,” Cascino said, noting there currently is less than a two-day supply of blood on Community Blood Services’ shelves. All types are needed, she said, especially O negative, A negative and B negative.

Christopher DeTroy, creative director of The Forest of Fear attraction, encourages guests, “We want your blood, seriously...then come experience for yourself why, *Screaming Is Only the Beginning!*”

The Forest of Fear is OPEN weekend nights, thru October 31st, Friday – Nightfall til’ 12:00AM; Saturday – Nightfall til’ 1:00AM. Will you survive the most terrifying sights and experiences in our 26-room blood soaked Slaughterhouse? As Daylight weakens and the Night creeps closer with a chill in the air...your deepest nightmares come alive. Dark, turning, shifting passages taunt you - who knows what roams these rooms – hungry, mindless and eager to feast? **See The World Famous Bindlestiff Cirkus: SIDESHOW of HORRORS performing 4 shows nightly!** Dare to enter the Midway of Mayhem - filled with frenzied carnival rides, arcade games, food and scary novelties. Visit a mysterious mystic to see what your future holds! Can you survive the Coffin Ride? An evening sure to keep you screaming in your sleep...if you can! **FREE souvenir t-shirts given to the first 300 guests entering on Halloween Night!** General Admission: \$20.00 includes: 1 Entrance into the Slaughterhouse, All Sideshows, 3 FREE carnival rides, & more! Not recommended for children under 8 years of age. For information visit www.theforestoffear.com. Parking is FREE! Open Rain or Shine.

To schedule your appointment to donate blood at The Forest of Fear, call 201-251-3703. You will receive your free admission pass at the time of your donation. Walk ins are also welcome. **Whole blood donors must be 17-75 years old** (16 years old with parental consent) and weigh at least 110 pounds. Donors also receive complimentary cholesterol, glucose, hemoglobin and blood pressure screenings.

In addition, Community Blood Services also will be selling raffle tickets for the chance to win a 2010 FXDWG Dyna Glide Harley Davidson Motorcycle, which will be on display at The Forest of Fear attraction, October 30th. Cost per raffle ticket is \$20 each but donors who purchase one raffle ticket will receive a second raffle ticket free.