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**PHEASANT RUN RESORT & SPA TEES OFF  
WITH NEW PRACTICE CENTER**

*Instructional facility opens for resort guests and surrounding community*

**ST. CHARLES, Ill. (July 13, 2007)** – Pheasant Run Resort & Spa has expanded its golf facilities to include a Practice Center which features 50 grass tees, a 15,000 square foot putting and pitching area and golf school for adults and children, according to Robert J. Jan, Director of Golf at the resort.

“We are unique at Pheasant Run as we are the *only* resort in the Chicagoland area with a practice range and a golf academy,” said Jan. “We offer junior camps, private instruction and golf school to resort guests as well as members of our community. By offering a comprehensive golf experience, we hope to grow the game of golf within our community while providing resort guests with a first-class place to practice,” he added.

One of the current programs being offered by Pheasant Run as part of the resorts “Grow the Game” initiative is the Junior Golf Par-Tee! designed for children under 18 years of age. It is offered every Saturday through August 4, 2007 from 10:30AM – Noon and provides children with the opportunity to develop their skills on the Practice Center’s driving range, work on the short game, participate in a rules review and enjoy snacks provided by the resort. To reserve a spot in Par-Tee, please call the Golf Shop at Pheasant Run, 630-584-4914.

“The opening of the Practice Center rounds out our golf operation and positions us as second to none in golf and entertainment resorts in the Chicagoland area,” said Michael Larson, General Manager of Pheasant Run. The Practice Center officially opened on July 11, 2007 in conjunction with the Pheasant Run Resort Celebrity Pro Am Golf Tournament, benefiting Chicago Baseball Cancer Charities.

Located less than an hour from downtown Chicago in historic St. Charles, Ill., Pheasant Run Resort & Spa offers two award-winning golf courses and a brand new Practice Center (driving range) complete with 50 grass hitting stations, putting and short game areas, and high-tech instructional facilities. Players of every level will enjoy the Pheasant Run resort course, while those who seek a greater challenge will want to play the adjacent Robert Trent Jones, Jr. links course at Prairie Landing. Both courses have been recognized for their beauty as much as for their competitive play. Book online at [www.pheasantrun.com](http://www.pheasantrun.com) or contact the Pro Shop to arrange tee times at (630) 584-4914.

Pheasant Run Resort & Spa, the Midwest’s largest entertainment resort, offers 473 spacious guest rooms, indoor/outdoor swimming pools, the Mario Tricoci Hair Salon and Day Spa, two live theaters and a Zanies Comedy Club. For general information about the resort, call 800.4.PHEASANT or visit [www.pheasantrun.com](http://www.pheasantrun.com).

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