

KERASOTES SHOWPLACE THEATRES TO OPEN SHOWPLACE 14 ON CHICAGO'S WEST SIDE.

State of the Art Theatre to Open on June 29

(Chicago, IL – June 29, 2007) - Residents of Chicago's West Side will be able to experience "Movies with Magic" this summer when the new Kerasotes ShowPlace 14 at Galewood Crossings opens on June 29. Located on the east side of Central just south of Grand Ave, the ShowPlace 14 is a state-of-the-art multiplex offering stadium seating and digital sound in all auditoriums. The theatre is part of a significant redevelopment of Chicago's historic Galewood Rail Yard and is situated next to the brand new housing development, The Enclave at Galewood Crossings. In its first week, the ShowPlace 14 – Galewood Crossings will open such blockbuster films as Evan Almighty, Ratatouille, Live Free or Die Hard, and Transformers.

"We are very excited to open our newest Chicago area theatre in time for this summer's blockbuster films and know that the residents of Chicago's Westside will love watching them while enjoying our first class theatre and customer service. Support from the community, led by Alderman Caruthers, has been tremendous. Staffs from both Kelvyn Park and Prosser Career Academy High Schools were instrumental in assisting our hiring drive. With their help, we hired 160 wonderful young adults to be important members of our staff. Never before have we seen such an enthusiastic response and we wish to thank everyone in the community for their support," said Dean Kerasotes, Chief Operating Officer.

The Kerasotes ShowPlace 14 Galewood Crossings offers many amenities and has the distinction of being Chicago's first theatre with an environmentally friendly "greenroof". Amenities include:

- Luxurious, velour, high-back rockers with flip-up cup-holder armrests
- Wall to Wall, curved screens for sharp, bright pictures
- Dolby Digital Sound Systems in every auditorium
- State-of-the-art projection systems
- Spacious, modern lobby with game arcade

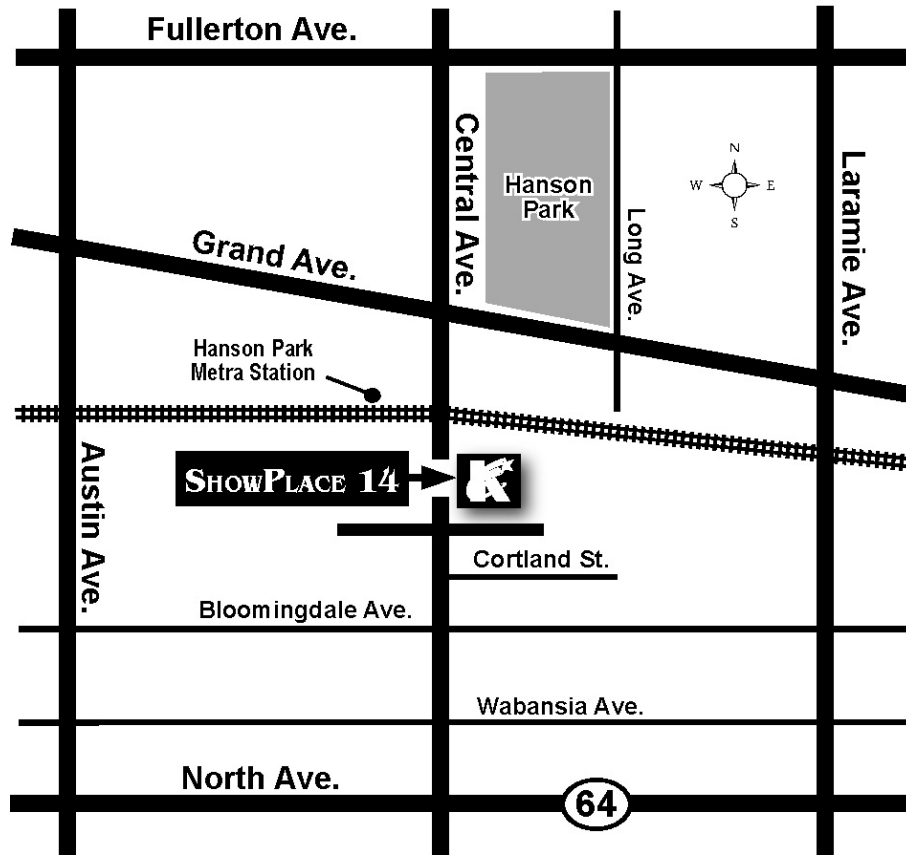
- Huge, fast service concessions bar featuring our popular “Movie Combos,” the best popcorn in town, Coca-Cola beverages, ICEE drinks, Connie’s Pizza, hot dogs, hot pretzels, nachos, bottled water and more
- Free Refill on all sizes of popcorn, soft drinks and ICEEs
- Ticket kiosks for purchasing tickets and picking up internet tickets
- Plenty of free parking
- Features, showtimes and ticketing available via phone at 1-800-Fandango (Express Code: 1646)
- Internet ticketing via www.kerasotes.com or www.fandango.com
- Five Buck Club members welcome – sign up at www.fivebuckclub.net
- Matinee Movie Magic for Moms & Dads – see movies in a “baby-friendly” environment for the first matinee showings every Tuesday

As a welcome to its new community, the new Kerasotes ShowPlace 14 at Galewood Crossings will offer free admission to first run films, plus complimentary popcorn and a complimentary fountain drink to guests attending the first matinee presentations. President/CEO, Tony Kerasotes recognizes the strong family presence on Chicago’s West Side and is eager to give back to the community for its open and warm welcome. The free shows will take place from Friday through Thursday, June 29 through July 5, 2007, for presentations starting before 12:00 noon only.

Chicago-based Kerasotes ShowPlace Theatres, LLC was founded in 1909 when Gus Kerasotes opened his first nickelodeon, The Royal, in Springfield, Illinois. Louis and Nicholas Kerasotes, Gus’ sons, later led the business as Kerasotes Theatres grew to a regional company with 50 theatres by the mid 1960’s. Today, Kerasotes is principally managed by third generation family, Tony and Dean Kerasotes, who have directed the company’s aggressive growth since 1985. While increasing in presence throughout the Midwest, Kerasotes ShowPlace Theatres, LLC. has shown extensive growth in the Chicago metropolitan area with 19 theatres in the Chicagoland area.

Upcoming Chicago area projects include a 14-screen multiplex in Bridgeview and a 16-screen theatre anchoring Roosevelt Collection, the South Loop’s exciting new mixed use development.

Kerasotes ShowPlace Theatres, LLC is the nation's sixth largest film exhibitor operating 95 theatres with 853 screens in Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, and Ohio.



(Located on the east side of Central just south of Grand Ave.)

ShowPlace 14 at Galewood Crossings

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