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**Lake Compounce Job Fair Scheduled for April 3rd and 4th
1,200 Positions to be Filled**

March 23, 2009 – Bristol/Southington, CT – Despite the downturn in the economy, Lake Compounce Theme Park in Bristol/Southington, CT is looking to hire their usual 1,200+ seasonal full time and part time employees for the 2009 Summer and Fall season.

“We expect to see a higher number of applicants this year due to the large number of lay-offs being seen throughout the area,” says General Manager Jerry Brick. “This means we’ll have the luxury of being more selective than ever, and we will end up with a really terrific team.”

The annual job fair will be held on April 3rd, 3pm-6pm, and April 4th 11am-3pm in the Starlight Theater inside the park. All interested applicants are encouraged to download an employment application from www.lakecompounce.com, (link to <http://www.lakecompounce.com/lake-compounce-employment.php>) or they can obtain and complete one at the job fair. Applicants should bring valid driver’s license or I.D., and need to have a social security number. Applicants under 18 must have working papers specific to Lake Compounce.

Departments hiring include; ride operations, lifeguards, warehouse, food and beverage, catering, parking lot, games, retail, guest relations, admissions, public service, cash control, grounds, and maintenance.

About Lake Compounce

Lake Compounce, part of the Palace Entertainment family of parks, is New England's Family Theme Park and the oldest continuously operating amusement park in North America. Entering into its 164th season, Lake Compounce has invested more than 40 million dollars over the past 12 years in rides and attractions. Regular price for a 2009 season pass is \$79.95. Regular admission price will be \$34.99. Junior admission, which is for guests under 52 inches tall, is \$25.99. Senior admission, for ages 61 and up, will be \$17.99. Children 3 years of age and younger are admitted free. All tickets and season passes may be purchased by visiting www.lakecompounce.com.

About Palace Entertainment

Palace Entertainment hosts over 14 million visitors annually at 38 locations with seven theme parks, ten waterparks and 21 family entertainment centers and is the largest operator of waterparks and family entertainment centers in the nation. For more information, visit www.palaceentertainment.com. Palace Entertainment is part of the Parques Reunidos family of parks.