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**CHEESY FRIED ENCHILADA FUNNEL CAKE, TEMPURA FRIED OREOS,
TURKEY LEG TACOS, WINE TASTING AT THE GARDEN
& MUCH MORE AT THE 2017 YOUTH FAIR**

Lots of Tasty New Foods Along with All The Youth Fair Classics

MIAMI, FL – March 2017 – Numerous brand new food items will be introduced during the 66th edition of the Miami-Dade County Youth Fair & Exposition. Discover new flavors and exciting new treats among The Youth Fair’s 178 food and beverage locations.

New Foods, Snacks and Sweet Treats:

- **Best Around introduces** the new **Cheesy Fried Enchilada Funnel Cake**, a savory funnel cake infused with corn meal and enchilada spices, poured through a funnel and deep fried, topped with melted white queso and chorizos. **(Location 246)**



- **Asian Munchies is now offering** an all-new **Chicken Teriyaki dish**. The Asian seasoned chicken breast is grilled to perfection and topped with their signature teriyaki sauce and served over a bed of fries. **(Location 258)**



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- **Louisiana Grill** will be offering fresh-ripened **Hass Avocado** grilled on both sides, topped with a fresh-made black bean salsa and served with a side of wasabi mayonnaise. (Location 8315L)



- **Bar BQ Pit** introduces the new BBQ Pork Rolls, smoked for six hours, tossed with barbecue sauce and grilled onions, wrapped in an egg roll wrapper, fried to a crispy crust and then served with ranch sauce. (Location 8613R)
- **Ragin' Cajun** features the new center-cut **Pork Chop-on-a-Stick**, double-dipped and deep-fried served with a dinner roll and a choice of homemade hot sauce or hot/sweet BBQ sauce. (Location 9725L)



- **Tropical Conch** has added a second location and will be offering conch fritters along with its delicious conch salad. **The Conch Fritters** are made with chipped Bahamian conch meat, onions and bell peppers mixed with Tropical Conch's famous batter and cooked to a golden brown. The Conch Fritters are served with a dipping sauce. (Location 8505L)



- **Wine Tasting at The Garden:** The Garden is The Youth Fair's new horticultural zen area for guests to enjoy a delectable array of cheeses, as well as more than 50 different wines to taste. (Location 393)



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- **Alaskan Soda Jerk is new to The Youth Fair and offers** an old-fashioned soda fountain like you would find in a corner drug store or diner in the 40's and 50's. They offer a wide variety of made-to-order, specialty, old-time soda fountain favorites, as well as customized fresh fruit drinks. **(Location 306)**



- **Juicy's** now features their famous Texas-sized **Turkey Leg Taco** made with shredded turkey, placed in three fresh corn tortillas topped with cilantro, pico de gallo and a squeeze of lime. The turkey used in the taco has no added hormones or antibiotics. And, Juicy's only serves sausages and hot dogs with zero nitrates. **(Location 338)**



- **Asian Munchies** will be offering **Oreos Fried in Tempura Batter**, topped with Nutella, melted white chocolate and ice cream. They will also feature banana Nutella spring rolls filled with banana and Nutella and topped with Nutella and ice cream. **(Location 258)**



- **Polar Bear Ice Cream's Kettle Korn Pop** is made with vanilla ice cream dappled with sweet kettle corn flavor, chocolate covered corn nuts and salty caramel. It is served in between a Krispy Kreme donut dipped in dark chocolate and rolled in kettle corn. **(Location 121 and 297)**

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- This first time ever Youth Fair food location, **Atlantic Concessions**, will be serving fried fish, shrimp, oysters, clam strips, crab cakes and alligator bites, as well as chicken tenders. **(Location 239)**



- **Chan's Original Chicken On A Stick** will be offering classic Chicken-on-a-Stick, shrimp fried rice, Lo Mein noodles, General Tso, Orange Chicken and egg rolls. **(Location 433)**



The Miami-Dade County Youth Fair & Exposition runs from Thursday, March 23 – Sunday, April 16, 2017, except March 27-28 and April 3-4 at Tamiami Park, which has been its home for 45 years, located at Coral Way (SW 24th Street) & SW 107th Avenue.

Gates open to general public at 3 p.m. March 23, 29, 30, 31, April 5, 6 & 7. Gates open at 12, noon all other operating days. Admission at the gate is \$14 with free admission all day, every operating day for guests 5 years and younger and 65 years and better. Admission is also free all day for active duty and retired military personnel (with valid military ID) and First Responders on Opening Day, March 23 and each Wednesday. Additional discount offer and coupons are available at www.FairExpo.com. Parking is free every day, all day. The Pay*One*Price (P*O*P) Unlimited Ride Card is \$30 weekdays, \$37 on weekends at the fairgrounds.

The Youth Fair & Exposition offers many amenities for families including stroller and wheelchair rental, lost and found, paved walkways, convenient sitting areas, lush landscaping, restroom and diaper changing facilities and more. Sponsors include Coca-Cola®, the South Florida Ford dealers and Sedano's Supermarkets. For more information, visit www.FairExpo.com or call (305) 223-7060.

About the Miami-Dade County Youth Fair & Exposition

The Miami-Dade County Youth Fair & Exposition (The Youth Fair) is the largest charity event in South Florida. The not-for-profit association is dedicated to promoting education and agriculture while showcasing and rewarding youth achievement and providing quality family entertainment, all without taxpayer dollars. In 2016, the annual Youth Fair displayed more than 58,000 student projects to more than 612,000 Youth Fair guests and awarded more than \$460,000 in college scholarships, cash premiums and awards to students. To date, The Youth Fair has presented well over \$11 million to the Miami-Dade community. It was recognized as the 2015 Leisure & Entertainment Services Firm of the Year by the Latin Builder's Association, was named as the 2015 Non-Profit Organization of the Year by the South Florida Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, and was awarded the 2015 Diamond Award for Outstanding Hospitality Entity by the Coral Gables Chamber of Commerce. Most recently, it was awarded the 2016 Trustee of the Year from South Florida Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and was one of the finalists for the Coral Gables Chamber of Commerce 2016 Diamond Award for Large Non-Profit. The Fair Exposition Center, which is the second largest convention center in Miami-Dade County, hosts an additional 70 community events each year. Visit fairexpo.com or call 305-223- 7060.

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