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**KNOWN FACT: MOMS & KIDS LOVE PANCAKES...
IN RESPONSE TO THIS BELOVED BREAKFAST ITEM, RENAISSANCE HOTELS & KIDS
ACROSS AMERICA WHIP UP SECOND “MOTHER’S DAY PANCAKE PLAY DATE”**

Moms can sit back, relax and let the kids wear the chef’s hat again this year



HOLLYWOOD, CA – APRIL 21, 2011 – Whoever said food was the way to a man’s heart, must have forgotten about the millions of moms who love something delicious from the kitchen on their special day. Once again **Renaissance Hotels** opens the kitchen to kids this Mother’s Day with its second annual **“Mother’s Day Pancake Play Date”** breakfast and brunch special <http://www.therenaissancelife.com/easy-pancake-recipe/> at participating Renaissance Hotels throughout the U.S. The “Mother’s Day Pancake Play Date” is a fun, new annual tradition for Renaissance Hotels as they aim to provide families with an affordable way to say “thanks mom” while focusing on providing guests with cuisine made from indigenous ingredients.

On **Sunday, May 8th** the Renaissance Hollywood Hotel will provide kids the opportunity to create the ultimate, custom pancake while Moms sit back and enjoy the relaxing sounds of jazz music during our Mothers Day Sunday Jazz Brunch. Every Sunday afternoon, the sounds from the KJAZZ 88.1FM Champagne Brunch Series fill the air at the hotel’s Twist Restaurant from 11:00am-2:00pm. The KJAZZ brunches feature high quality jazz artists and live broadcasts from KJAZZ DJ’s and include all you can eat and drink from a wide variety of stations throughout the restaurant. Choose your favorites from cooked to order omelettes, eggs benedict, fresh waffles, carved prime rib, hot entrees, salads, desserts, champagne, mimosas and much, much, more. The cost is \$39.95 for adults, \$19.95 for kids 12 and under.

It’s a win-win situation for parents and kids this Mother’s Day as each Renaissance Hotel will have a dedicated chef’s station that includes healthy options as well as indulgent and micro-local indigenous ingredients for the kids to choose from as they make their mom a customized flap jack. Parents will have the chance to dine at their table while the kids are supervised and guided at the pancake station by a renowned Renaissance chef.

“Renaissance is dedicated to providing hotel guests and local patrons with unique culinary experiences that use the best indigenous ingredients available in each market. Our Mother’s Day Pancake Playdate package not only offers families with the opportunity to help kids tap into their inner-culinary talents, but it also helps create a memorable experience that gives back to Mom,” said Tina Edmundson, senior vice president lifestyle brands “The Mother’s Day flap jack experience was a popular event among families last year, and as a result Renaissance Hotels is excited to bring the opportunity back for a second year.”

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