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**Sixth Annual Fall Harvest Festival for Families and Fans of All Ages
at Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway Saturday, October 11th
Family-Fun Event Showcases New York State Craft Beer, Food, Horse Racing and Agriculture**

Yonkers, NY - Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway is busily preparing for its Sixth Annual Fall Harvest Festival, an exciting community event set for Saturday night, October 11th. The Harvest Festival is slated from 4:00-8:00p.m. trackside at the historic half-mile oval, and will showcase New York State products, as well as the thriving relationship between horse racing and agriculture.

The Annual Fall Harvest Festival includes family-fun events such as pony rides, face painting, a pumpkin patch, musical entertainment and more. Those over age 21 will enjoy this year's newly added Beer Garden offering a large selection of New York State craft beer, along with a Wing Tent that will tempt attendees with a variety of recipes and flavors. Festival goers will be able to vote for their favorite wing flavor and the winning recipe will be featured on the menu of the trackside restaurant, Empire Terrace.

A full night of harness racing at the historic track will kick off with a friendly competition as politicians turn horsemen for the night. Members of the New York State Assembly and Senate literally take the driver's seat and compete against each other in four non-wagering horse races in the Sixth Annual Legislators' Pace.

WHAT: Annual Fall Harvest Festival
Family Fun: pony rides, face painting, a pumpkin patch, musical entertainment, and more.
21+ Fun: Beer Garden offering a large selection of New York State craft beer; Wing Tent; & Wing Fan Favorite Contest.
Racing: Politicians take the reins in the Annual Legislators' Pace, followed by a full card of harness racing at the historic Yonkers Raceway

WHERE: Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway
810 Yonkers Avenue, Yonkers, NY 10704
(at Central Park Avenue & Yonkers Avenue)
(Exit 2 off I-87 North, Exit 4 off I-87 South)

WHEN: Saturday, October 11, 2014
4:00p.m. to 8:00p.m.

For more information visit www.empirecitycasino.com or call 914.968.4200.

About Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway:

Empire City Casino, one of the largest entertainment and gaming destinations in the country, features 5,300 of the hottest slots, electronic craps, roulette, baccarat and sic bo; year-round harness racing & International simulcasting; live entertainment including the best party, tribute and Latin bands, comedy, karaoke & more. A plethora of dining options will satisfy even the most discerning palate with Italian cuisine at Nonno's Trattoria; trackside dining with live betting at Empire Terrace Restaurant; and convenient delicious options at the International Food Court or Grab 'n Go. A new \$50 million expansion added Dan Rooney's, a high-energy sports bar; Pinch American Grill, in collaboration with Ducasse Studio, not only whets the appetite but also features dozens of New York craft beers on tap; and Alley 810, a craft cocktail lounge rounds out the entertainment options with retro bowling lanes. Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway is located at 810 Yonkers Avenue (at Central Avenue) in Yonkers, New York, Westchester County (I-87 to Exit 2), open seven days a week from 9:00am to 4:00am. Connect with us on facebook.com/empirecity, follow us on twitter.com/EmpireCity_C, visit www.empirecitycasino.com or call 914.968.4200 for more information.

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