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Benihana Announces New Featured Menu Items

Delicious menu additions will be available beginning in September

MIAMI, Sept. 2, 2014 – Benihana Inc., the nation's leading operator of Japanese theme and sushi restaurants, has announced three new featured menu items, which will be available exclusively at Benihana restaurants this September.

The Striped Bass with Yuzu Sauce is the newest creation from the grill. This entrée features a grilled striped bass fillet served atop a bed of fresh asparagus and shitake mushrooms, and garnished with a creamy yuzu sauce with citrusy flavors for only \$24.

For those who want lighter fare, two new sushi rolls are the perfect option. The Green with Envy Roll features a combination of avocado, cucumber, crab and shrimp, sprinkled with sesame seeds, and then topped with a zingy blend of ginger and wasabi. The Rising Sun Roll is also sure to please palates with its savory blend of seared spicy tuna, avocado and cucumber, complemented with gari, wasabi and the bright flavors of lime ponzu sauce. Both rolls are available for \$8.

The featured menu items can be found at all Benihana restaurants. For more information about these menus items or to find a Benihana location and make a reservation today, visit <u>www.benihana.com</u>.

About Benihana

Headquartered in Miami, Benihana Inc. is the nation's leading operator of Japanese theme and sushi restaurants with 96 restaurants nationwide, including 64 Benihana restaurants, seven Haru sushi restaurants and 26 RA Sushi restaurants. In addition, 15 franchised Benihana restaurants are operating in the United States, Latin America and the Caribbean. To learn more about Benihana Inc. and its three restaurant concepts, please view the corporate video at www.benihana.com/about/video.

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