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The Village at Sunriver Rail Jam Event Raises over \$3,000 for New Generations Child Care & Learning Center

Sunriver, Ore. – Big air, big smiles and big hearts were all around at this year's RE/MAX Sunset Realty Rail Jam that happened in the Village at Sunriver over the busy New Year's holiday weekend of December 28th and 29th. The event raised \$3,000 for the local charity, New Generations Child Care and Learning Center of Sunriver.

Hundreds of spectators on both Friday and Saturday nights filled the village plaza area. Oohs and aahs could be heard through the crowd as local amateur athletes competed for a \$500 cash prize in the rail slide and big air competitions. Boarders hit the rail on Friday night and Saturday night was all skiing. There was plenty to see and to eat as local restaurant vendors provided hot pizza and meatball sandwiches, along with hot chocolate and coffee for those who braved the blustery cold for the event. A beer garden was on hand and an after party followed the event on both nights at the Village Bar & Grill.

RE/MAX Sunset Realty & Vacations, the headlining sponsor of the event, had staff on hand to sell raffle tickets for a chance to win great prizes such as ski suits by Quicksilver, Roxy snowboarding jackets, sweatshirts and beanies, gift certificates for golf at the Sunriver Woodlands or Meadows golf courses and more. The biggest draw was the anticipated auction style segment of the event in which ten, 3-night stays in a Sunriver vacation home for up to 10 people were sold to the highest 10 bidders, courtesy of RE/MAX Sunset Realty & Vacations. Valued at over \$900, the bidders were able to snag a future Sunriver vacation for only \$200 to \$275. All of the money raised is going to New Generations, who subsidizes the cost of child care for needy, working families in the Central Oregon area. Scott Pence, Owner and Property Manager of RE/MAX Sunset Realty & Vacations, states that "We pride ourselves on giving back to our local community. Every year, RE/MAX Sunset Realty & Vacations and our property owners, donate over 450 nights per year in our Sunriver rental homes for charitable purposes focusing on charities that involve children and families. New Generations is a wonderful organization and we were proud to be involved in a community event that entertained Sunriver visitors and locals alike for a terrific cause."

"Silverstar Destinations, current owner of the Village at Sunriver, was proud to work with RE/MAX Sunset Realty and New Generations with this event. We hope to continue to build partnerships with the local business community and also with great local charities such as New Generations" says Ryan Smith, Director of Operations for Silverstar Destinations.

Be sure to mark your calendars for a bigger and better RE/MAX Sunset Realty Rail Jam happening in December 2008.

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