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## MICHELINO'S CAFE RAISES MONEY FOR CHARITY AT BASEPOINT

Residents at the Basepoint Business Centre in Folkestone were only too happy to come into the office on a Saturday morning in order to sample the tasty charity breakfast menu on offer at fellow licensee Michelino's Café, and at the same time help raise £622 for Cancer Research.

Michelino's Café — which has been a licensee at the Folkestone Basepoint centre for over five years — staged its big breakfast on 4 April in aid of the national charity by serving dozens of delicious meals between 10am and 2pm.

The day's activities also included an Easter egg hunt which proved popular with the children who joined in the fun, and a raffle — with the top prize of a 1.5kg chocolate Basepoint Bunny donated by the centre and over 50 other prizes contributed by local businesses, including generous cash sums from fellow licensees First Call Plumbing and Tax-Mot & Co Accountants.

Local radio station KMFM attended to broadcast the event having promoted it during the run-up on its weekday breakfast show.

Michelino's is very popular with its neighbours at the centre and also attracts customers from further afield. The café provides a wide selection of hot and cold food, starting with a full English breakfast served from 8am — an added incentive for licensees to make an early start on the day.

This was not the first time that Michelino's Café had been involved in fund-raising activities at the centre. Last summer they provided catering for the barbeque launch of the Folkestone Basepoint's charity partnership with the Martha Trust, while in October 2008 they put on a superb spread of food and drink to fuel the energy of participants in the centre's daring charity fire walk.

For further information about Michelino's Café, please contact Michael and Karen on 01303 298242.

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