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### **Chanticleer Foundation Announces 2011 Admission Rates**

Wayne, PA – The Chanticleer Foundation announces its prices for 2011. The internationally acclaimed 35-acre public garden in Wayne, PA, has not raised admission rates since its opening 17 years ago. The not-for-profit organization's investment income was hit by the recession. It cut its budget by 15% in each of the last two years. The admission increase, expected to double the Foundation's earned income, will help support the high quality horticulture guests expect.

General admission, beginning on opening day Wednesday, March 30, 2011, will be \$10 per adult. Pre-teen children, ages 12 and under, will still be admitted free of charge. Radnor Library Cardholders will receive a 50% discount, paying just \$5 each. Members of the Pennsylvania Horticultural Society and local arboreta will pay \$8. Garden professionals are admitted free of charge.

Season passes, good for the entire 2011 open season, are \$30 for one person, \$50 for two, and \$75 for four individuals.

Guided tours for individuals are offered the first Friday and first Saturday of every month from April through October at 11 a.m. These 45-minute tours feature the Chanticleer House and an introduction to the garden. The fee is \$15 per person, including admission, with no minimum number of people. Advance reservations are highly recommended.

Guided group tours of the Chanticleer House and Garden last 90 minutes and are conducted Wednesday through Friday by advance reservation. The fee is \$20 per person, including admission, with a minimum charge of \$200.

Chanticleer is open Wednesdays through Sundays, 10am to 5pm, starting Wednesday, March 30, 2011. The garden remains open until 8pm on Friday evenings May through Labor Day. The last day of the season is Sunday, October 30, 2011.

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