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NEWARK, DELAWARE HOTEL COMPLETES MILLION DOLLAR RENOVATION

The Courtyard Wilmington Newark/Christiana Mall Hotel finishes new lobby redesign, which includes thoughtful additions.

To celebrate, this hotel near Wilmington introduces a new dining package priced from \$119.

NEWARK, DE – The <u>Courtyard Wilmington Newark/Christiana Mall</u> is proud to reopen after an eight-week renovation, General Manager Jason Abbey announced today. The renovation included the lobby, guest rooms, and meeting space. These new updates position the Courtyard Hotel as one of the leading Wilmington, DE hotels in the area.



According to Mr. Abbey, the highlight of the renovations is the new state-of-the-art lobby, which welcomes guests to the <u>Wilmington hotel</u> with vivid contrasting colors, including blue, green, orange, and red. The traditional front desk is replaced with separate welcome pedestals to create more personal and private interactions when guests check in. Flexible seating options range from a communal table in the center of the lobby, to more private media booths with high-definition televisions, to a more intimate, semi-enclosed lounge area.

A signature element of the new lobby is the exclusive GoBoard® technology, a 52-inch LCD touch screen packed with local information, maps, weather, and news,

business and sports headlines. Guests can navigate using the touch screen to find restaurants, local attractions and directions. The entire first floor of this <u>Wilmington</u>, <u>DE hotel</u> including the lobby and meeting rooms features wired and wireless Internet access.

The lobby also features The Bistro- Eat. Drink. Connect. – a new dining concept of casual, flexible seating; easier access to food and higher quality, healthier menu options for breakfast; and light evening fare, including snacks, wine and beer so guests can unwind.

Other changes include the complete renovation of the meeting rooms with new carpet, vinyl, lighting, and woodwork; new fitness center; and new outdoor furniture enabling guests to sit and relax with a cool beverage or an appetizer.

To celebrate this <u>hotel near Wilmington's</u> new look, the property is offering a <u>Bistro Dining Package</u> which includes overnight accommodations, breakfast or dinner in the Bistro- Eat. Drink. Connect., and a non-alcoholic beverage of the guest's choice. This package, based on availability, is priced from \$119 and is available through December 31, 2011. Guests can book this package using promotional code ZJ8.



About the Courtyard Wilmington Newark/Christiana Mall Hotel

The Courtyard Wilmington Newark/Christiana Mall is located just off I-95, minutes to shopping, dining and entertainment attractions at the Christiana Mall, revitalized Main Street in downtown Newark and plenty of family activities near Wilmington, DE. The property features 140 guest rooms and 12 suites, indoor pool, fitness center, and Bistro. For additional information, visit www.CourtyardWilmingtonNewark.com or call 1-800-236-2427.