



# Reach Chicagoland's Best Buyers FOUNDED 1932

CHICAGOLAND'S FOOD INDUSTRY MONTHLY TRADE PUBLICATION SINCE 1982



#### A TRUSTED AND VALUABLE RESOURCE TO YOUR BUYERS

Reaching Chicagoland's Food Industry For 39+ Years

When food service, retail or distributor buyers are looking for news and qualified vendors they can trust, they turn to the pages of Food Industry News in print or on the internet.

Each issue contains valuable information on industry trends, chef profiles, leadership and management tips. Each issue also features display ads and directory listings from the leading suppliers serving Chicagoland's food industry.

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## PUBLICATION HIGHLIGHTS

- SHORT, EASY TO READ EDITORIAL FORMAT
- LOCAL NEWS, NATIONAL NEWS, CHEF PROFILES
- DISPLAY ADS FROM THE MARKET'S LEADING VENDORS
- MANAGEMENT, LEADERSHIP AND TRAINING TIPS
- COMPREHENSIVE BUYER'S DIRECTORY OF SUPPLIERS & SERVICE FIRMS

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## REACH BUYERS AT ALL LEVELS OF THIS INDUSTRY INCLUDING: RESTAURANTS, INSTITUTIONS, HOTELS, SUPERMARKETS, DISTRIBUTORS AND MORE!

#### **MONTHLY CIRCULATION 2021: 18,137**

9,845

Independent Chains
Multi-Unit Restaurants
Catering • Companies • Chefs
Delis • Fast Food Operators
Pizzerias • Includes Businesses
Selling Liquor

1,426

Liquor Focused Business
with Illinois Liquor Licenses
Bars • Taverns • Nightclubs
Liquor Stores • Lounges • Wine Shops
Liquor Wholesale • Vendor Distribution
Distilleries \* Breweries

3,138

Suppliers • Food Manufacturers Food Distributors and Brokers Grocery Distributors • Warehouses Sales Reps Serving Our industry Wholesale Cash & Carry Outlets

1,164

Hotels • Banquet Halls • Country Clubs
Concert Venues • Auditoriums
Conventions Centers • Golf Courses • Resorts
Health Clubs • Amusement Parks

1,135

Grocery Stores • Supermarkets
Convenience Stores • Produce Markets
Specialty Retailers • Fish and Seafood Shops
Candy Stores • Butcher Shops
Gas Stations • Mini Marts

1,429

Casinos • Stadiums
Contract Foodservice Operations
Food Halls • Institutions • Schools • Hospitals
Nursing Homes • Theaters • Airlines
Military/Veteran Facilities • Jails • Prisons
Bakeries • Churches • Associations
Shopping Center Food Courts
State, County and Village Procurement Offices
K-12, Colleges & Universities

PUT YOUR AD IN OUR NEXT ISSUE!







## Reach "Hard To See" Buyers For Pennies Per Contact



**Display Ad Rates Per Monthly Insertion** 

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FULL PAGE 10.5" X 13"	1/2 PAGE 8" X 8 1/4" 10" X 6-1/2" 6" X 11"	1/3 PAGE 8" X 5 3/4" 10" X 4-1/2" 6 X 7-1/4" 4" X 11"	<b>1/4 PAGE</b> 4" X 8-1/2" 8" X 4-1/4" 6" X 5-1/2"	<b>1/6 PAGE</b> 6" X 3-3/4" 4" X 5-1/2"	1/8 PAGE 4" X 4-1/4" 6" X 2-3/4"	1/10 PAGE 4" X 3-1/4" 6" X 2-1/4" 2" X 6-1/2"	<b>1/16</b> <b>PAGE</b> 4" X 2-1/4" 2" X 4-1/4"	<b>1/20</b> <b>PAGE</b> 2" X 3-1/4"
24 TIME PROGRAM								
<b>4-C</b> \$3,887 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$2,667	<b>4-C</b> \$2,297 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,537	<b>4-C</b> \$1,397 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$937	<b>4-C</b> \$1,157 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$777	<b>4-C</b> \$907 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$557	<b>4-C</b> \$747 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$469	<b>4-C</b> \$567 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$347	<b>4-C</b> \$357 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$237	<b>B&amp;W</b> \$197
12 TIME PROGRAM								
<b>4-C</b> \$4,627 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$3,177	<b>4-C</b> \$2,767 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,817	<b>4-C</b> \$1,667 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,137	<b>4-C</b> \$1,397 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$945	<b>4-C</b> \$1,097 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$687	<b>4-C</b> \$877 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$542	<b>4-C</b> \$707 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$449	<b>4-C</b> \$467 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$287	<b>B&amp;W</b> \$227
7 TIME PROGRAM								
<b>4-C</b> \$5,135 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$3,538	<b>4-C</b> \$3,077 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,974	<b>4-C</b> \$1,867 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,285	<b>4-C</b> \$1,537 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,065	<b>4-C</b> \$1,207 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$760	<b>4-C</b> \$1,009 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$633	<b>4-C</b> \$787 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$505	<b>4-C</b> \$517 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$330	<b>B&amp;W</b> \$257
4 TIME PROGRAM								
<b>4-C</b> \$5,692 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$3,920	<b>4-C</b> \$3,417 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$2,260	<b>4-C</b> \$2,068 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,422	<b>4-C</b> \$1,709 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,179	<b>4-C</b> \$1,310 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$861	<b>4-C</b> \$1,116 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$727	<b>4-C</b> \$893 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$562	<b>4-C</b> \$574 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$365	<b>B&amp;W</b> \$295
1 TIME PROGRAM								
<b>4-C</b> \$5,993 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$4,128	<b>4-C</b> \$3,597 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$2,378	<b>4-C</b> \$2,177 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,497	<b>4-C</b> \$1,799 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$1,242	<b>4-C</b> \$1,440 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$896	<b>4-C</b> \$1,186 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$745	<b>4-C</b> \$936 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$594	<b>4-C</b> \$609 <b>B&amp;W</b> \$386	<b>B&amp;W</b> \$309

#### **Other Color Options:**

2-color ads (Black + 1 additional color) @ 20% additional to the black and white ad rate. 3-color ads (Black + 2 additional colors) @ 40% additional to the black and white ad rate.

#### Display Ad Specifications: CMYK, 300 dpi or higher Adobe PDF or jpeg

#### **Space and Materials Deadlines**

**Food Industry News:** Published monthly on the 1st day of the month Space Deadlines are 45 days prior to insertion (3-15 for the 5-1 edition) Materials are due on the 1st of the preceding month (4-1 for the 5-1 edition)

#### BUYERS GUIDE LISTINGS AND HOT LEADS REPORT PROGRAM

\$375 + \$60 each for additional categories per year

**E-Blast Package:** Our \$750. e-blast package includes a series of 3 e-blasts. You control the content, images and links.

#### Value Package Programs: Affordable, Effective

#### Value Package #1 Ads, Event Cosponsorship, Editorial, Directory Listing Program

- Four, Black and White 1/10th page ads measuring 4" wide x 3.25" high
- Three Gold Level Shmoozefest Cosponsorships
- Two 200-word articles on your company published in Food Industry News
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- One Buyer's Guide Listing category for 1 year

Package Value \$4,123.

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$3,650.

#### Value Package #2 Event Cosponsorship, Directory Ad, Editorial, Directory & Listing Program

- Three Gold Level Shmoozefest Cosponsorships
- Four Quarterly 4-color 1/3rd page ads
- One 200-word article on your company published in Food Industry News
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- Five Buyers Directory Listing Categories for 1 year

Package Value \$9,772.

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$8,875.

#### Value Package #3 Ad, Editorial, Directory Listing Program

- Eight, 4-color 1/16th page ads plus Four, 1/4 page 4-color ads
- Two 200-word articles on your company published in Food Industry News
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- One Buyer's Guide Listing category for 1 year

Package Value \$9,504.

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$8,500.

#### Value Package #4 Event Cosponsorship, Editorial, Directory & Listing Program

- Four Gold Level Shmoozefest Cosponsorships
- Four E-blasts Sent to Our Digital Subscribers
- One 200-word article on your company published in Food Industry News
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- Five Buyers Directory Listing Categories for 1 year

Package Value \$3,250

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$2,825

#### Value Package #5 Ads, Event Cosponsorship, E-blast, Mailing, Editorial, Listing Program

- Three Gold Level Shmoozefest Event Cosponsorships
- Six E-blasts to our e-subscribers
- Three 200-word articles on your company published in Food Industry News
- Your brochure included in our Welcome Packet Mailings sent to new openings for 12 months
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year

Five Buyers Directory Listing Categories for 1 year

Package Value \$4,115 Value Package Discounted Rate: \$3,075.

OUR TEAM IS HERE TO HELP YOU ACHIEVE YOUR CHICAGOLAND MARKET SALES GOALS!

For Advertising Information, Contact:

Cary Miller, Vice President cary@foodindustrynews.com 847-699-3300 847-602-9620 www.foodindustrynews.com

#### Value Package #6 Ads, E-blast, Editorial, Directory Listing, Mailing Program

- Twelve, 1/6 page for color ads, 3 Shmoozefest Cosponsorships,
- Two E-blasts to our e-subscribers
- Three 200-word articles on your company published in Food Industry News
- Your brochure included in our Welcome Packet Mailings sent to new openings for 12 months
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- Two Buyers Directory Listing Categories for 1 year

Package Value \$14.719.

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$13,200

#### Value Package #7 Quarterly Ad, E-Blast Editorial, Mailing Program

- Quarterly 4-color half-page ads in Food Industry News
- Four E-blasts to our e-subscribers
- Four 200 word articles on your company published in Food Industry News
- Your brochure included in our Welcome Packet Mailings sent to new openings for 12 months
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- Two Buyers Directory Listing Categories for 1 year

Package Value \$15,543

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$13,988.

#### Value Package #8 Quarterly Ad, E-Blast Editorial, Directory Listing Program

- Quarterly 4-color full-page ads in Food Industry News
- Four E-blasts to our e-subscribers
- Three 200 word articles on your company published in Food Industry News
- Your brochure included in our Welcome Packet Mailings sent to new openings for 12 months
- The Hot Leads Report Subscription with details of new local operations for 1 year
- Two Buyers Directory Listing Categories for 1 year

Package Value \$24,263.

Value Package Discounted Rate: \$21,836.



#### CREATE YOUR OWN MARKETING MIX STRATEGY WITH THESE TOOLS:

Sending your brochure to all of our print edition subscribers: \$2650, per month.

Hot Leads Report and Listing Program from \$375, per year.

Post-it note ad placed on the cover of Food Industry News: \$3100. per month.

Mailings of your brochure in our new openings Welcome Packets: \$250. per batch.

Full color internet banner ads, animated: \$177. per month.

Shmoozefest Networking Event Cosponsorships: \$500. each.

E-Blasts to our internet edition subscribers: \$750. for a series three e-blasts.

#### **Space and Materials Deadlines**

**Space Deadlines** 

are 45 days prior to our 1st of the month publish date (4-15 for the 6-1 edition)

**Materials Deadlines** are 30 days prior to publication (e.g.: 5-1 for the 6-1 edition)

**Ad and Materials Specifications** 300 DPI or higher, CMYK, tiff or PDF.

### WE OFFER A FULL SUITE OF PROVEN EFFECTIVE SERVICES AND TOOLS

DESIGNED TO HELP YOU SUCCESSFULLY PENETRATE HARD TO REACH INDEPENDENT AND CHAIN ACCOUNTS

On average our consistent advertisers have been running for over 25 years.



#### FOOD INDUSTRY NEWS MAGAZINE

With over FOUR DECADES of readership, Food Industry News dominates the industry!

Published Monthly
Used for Buying & Training
Rich with Ads & Content



\_\_ All Glossy, Color Format
Useful & Interesting Editorial
and Print & Digital Formats!



One Buyer's Directory listing is included in this program!

## HOT LEADS REPORT PROGRAM

Stay on top of new openings, units changing hands and new sales opportunities with this monthly 8-page. report. Also contains lists of new incorporations, market acitivity, insider information and more.

1-YEAR HOT LEADS REPORT PROGRAM \$375 + \$60 ea. for additional categories



#### SEND YOUR BROCHURE TO F.I.N. SUBSCRIBERS

We offer the most affordable and effective way for you to get your

brochure, flyer, coupon or rebate form in the hands of qualified buyers. You provide us with e brochure and we insert it into the magazine which goes directly to decision makers.

#### **PRICE PER PIECE:**

8.5" x 11" flat insert 14¢ ea. • 11" x 5" folded card insert: 12¢ ea.

## SHMOOZEFEST MINI TRADE SHOW NETWORKING PARTY

### **'SHMOOZEFEST'**CO-SPONSORSHIPS

Our free industry events attract attendees from all segments of the industry. Attendees come to network, experience food samples and meet vendors they can trust.

These events take place quarterly.

GOLD SPONSORSHIPS: \$500. SILVER SPONSORSHIPS: \$250.

# LET US MAIL YOUR BROCHURE OR CATALOG TO NEW BUSINESSES



Each month we send our directories and magazine to new openings, new owners, new incorporations and liquor license applicants across the Chicagoland market. Let us include your information in our "Welcome Packet" to reach these buyers in need!

\$1 Per Location, 250 piece minimum (rate based on weight)

# TAKE ADVANTAGE OF OUR DIGITAL REACH!



#### **E-BLAST PROGRAMS**

Get your message directly into the hands of buyers on their mobile or desktop device by running an e-blast program. You control the content, the timing and the areas you wish to target.

SERIES OF 3 E-BLASTS \$795



#### WEB ADVERTISING

As buyers visit our website, be present with a banner ad that links directly to your website or creates an instant e-mail which goes directly to you.

3 Banner Sizes to choose from: \$175 • \$295 • \$375



# SHMOOZEFEST - MINITPADE SHOW NETWORKING PARTY -

DON'T MISS!

## Foodservice & Industry Professionals, Join Us for Our Quarterly Networking Events in 2022:

Tuesday, March 1; Tuesday, June 7; Tuesday, Sept. 12; Monday, Dec. 5

5-9 p.m. at Moretti's Chicago (Edison Park), 6727 N. Olmsted, Chicago, IL

Raffles • Direct Vendor Contacts • Food & Liquor Samples

During the first hour, you'll hear from an expert guest speaker discussing issues that matter to our industry. After that, meet and mingle with other food business professionals.

Must be 21 to attend. Business card required for entry.

A limited number of tables and co-sponsorships are available. Call now to reserve your co-sponsorship: 847-699-3300.

# Become an 'Endorsed Partner' to Our Readers

It's always been our goal to help food business buyers (our readers) work with the best vendors and get the best overall value for their dollar. This is evident by seeing the quality and stature of the companies we promote to our readers each month.

With every food, beverage and hospitality business facing lower margins due to increased labor and occupancy costs, we feel the time is right for this program.

With this in mind, we have launched the Silver Platter Savings Program, in

which select vendors will offer Food Industry News readers special pricing, discounts or rebates on their purchases. Food Industry News will have no involvement rebating our readers these funds. This will be handled directly between the vendor and the buyer.

We feel your company would be a good fit for this program. The requirement for all "Supplier Members" for this program is that they run a full page ad with us monthly. It is our goal to help the finest suppliers (our advertisers) do more business with our base of 65,000 loyal (industry buyer) monthly readers.