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EVERGLADES CITY SHOOTS FOR A "CHEESY" PLACE IN HISTORY

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

(EVERGLADES CITY) -- THINGS ARE GOING TO GET A LITTLE "CHEESY" DOWN IN EVERGLADES CITY THIS WEEKEND.

THE CABOT CREAMERY OF VERMONT IS GOING TO TRY TO PUT THAT TINY SOUTHWEST FLORIDA COMMUNITY ON THE MAP SATURDAY BY COOKING UP AND SERVING THE WORLD'S LARGEST GRILLED CHEESE SANDWICH.

IT'S ALL PART OF THE FIRST ANNUAL "***EVERGLADES CHEESE AND (FLORIDA) CRACKER FESTIVAL***" ... A FULL DAY OF GAMES... COMPETITION...AND GENERAL FUN -- ALL FREE OF CHARGE -- TO HELP EVERGLADES CITY CELEBRATE ITS DESIGNATION AS FLORIDA'S OUTSTANDING RURAL COMMUNITY.

CABOT HAS INVITED THE WHOLE TOWN TO LUNCH. AND IF ALL GOES WELL... THE MONSTER SANDWICH WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THE *GUINNESS BOOK OF WORLD RECORDS*.

USING 100 POUNDS OF CABOT'S AWARD-WINNING SHARP CHEDDAR... IT WILL MEASURE FIVE BY 10 FEET SQUARE AND BE COOKED OVER 300 POUNDS OF CHARCOAL ON A SPECIALLY FABRICATED TWO-SIDED STEEL GRILL.

THE WHOLE CONTRAPTION, SANDWICH AND GRILL COMBINED, WILL WEIGH IN AT CLOSE TO THREE-QUARTERS OF A TON AND WILL HAVE TO BE TURNED OVER WITH HELP FROM TWO FORK LIFT TRUCKS.

MANY OF SATURDAY'S EVENTS WILL BENEFIT THE MUSEUM OF THE EVERGLADES IN EVERGLADES CITY.

CABOT OFFICIALS CALL THE COMMUNITY-WIDE FESTIVAL "A CELEBRATION OF RURAL LIFE."

AND... AS EVERGLADES CITY MAYOR SAMMY HAMILTON, JUNIOR, PUT IT... "WE FIGURED IF CABOT WOULD PROVIDE THE CHEESE, WE HAVE PLENTY OF CRACKERS AROUND THIS PART OF THE COUNTRY."

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