



CANTERBURY PARK

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Daniel Kennedy Hired as Senior VP of Operations at Canterbury

Position created to maximize revenues in highest-potential business segments of Shakopee, Minn. corporation

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Shakopee, Minn. -- Canterbury Park officials announced the hiring of Daniel Kennedy as Senior Vice President of Operations for the publicly traded gaming and entertainment corporation based in Shakopee, Minn. In this newly-created position, Kennedy will have operational oversight of Canterbury Park's card casino and catering/events businesses, both important growth areas for the company. He will also oversee the company's guest services, facilities, security, cash operations and food and beverage departments.

"Dan has a strong background and vast work experience in casino operations and finance, serving as general manager, assistant general manager, and CFO roles of several prominent gaming properties," Canterbury Park President, CEO, and CFO Randy Sampson said. "He has a proven track record for successfully improving customer service, employee engagement, and managing business margins utilizing analytics and metrics at casinos."

Kennedy's gaming experience began in 1995 in the finance department at Mystic Lake Casino. He has also been employed by Grand Casino Hinckley, Prairie Band Casino and Resort, and Penn National – Hollywood Casinos in Baton Rouge, La. and Charles Town, W.Va. Most recently Kennedy served as assistant general manager at Penn National – Hollywood Casino Jamul in San Diego.

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Kennedy, 59, was raised in St. Paul and Lakeville, Minn. where he graduated high school. He received his B.A. Degree in Finance from the University of St. Thomas in St. Paul.

Kennedy, who was introduced at the annual meeting of shareholders recently, will officially begin his role June 20.

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About Canterbury Park:

Canterbury Park Holding Corporation owns and operates Canterbury Park Racetrack and Card Casino, Minnesota's only thoroughbred and quarter horse racing facility. The Company's 67-day 2017 live race meet began on May 5 and ends Sept. 15. In addition, Canterbury Park's Card Casino hosts card games 24 hours a day, seven days a week, offering both poker and table games. The Company also conducts year-round wagering on simulcast horse racing and hosts a variety of other entertainment and special events at its facility in Shakopee, Minnesota. For more information about the Company, please visit www.canterburypark.com.

For a photograph of Daniel Kennedy please use this link: <https://canterburypark.egnyte.com/fl/Gm5terhMsX>

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