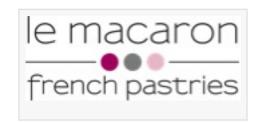


Le Macaron French Pastries St. Augustine Reopens after Hurricane Matthew

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA, USA, November 21, 2016 /EINPresswire.com/ -- <u>Le Macaron French Pastries</u>, a Floridabased French pastry concept, has announced the reopening of the St. Augustine, Florida, franchise location at 8 Cathedral Place.



The company's owner, Sabine Juskowiak, relocated to St.

Augustine from Chamonix, France in August 2016 to open a Le Macaron French Pastries franchise. On October 8, just two months into the launch of the business, Hurricane Matthew devastated portions of the southeastern United States, including St. Augustine.



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"We thought we had lost everything after the hurricane hit, and it was heartbreaking to see all of our work wiped out that quickly," said Juskowiak. In addition to the support of the Le Macaron French Pastries company, St. Augustine residents reached out to Juskowiak to offer assistance in the aftermath of Hurricane Matthew. "We owe a huge thank you to the St. Augustine community for their support and motivation to get the store back up and running. Many people came to us to offer help, and that shows the kindness of the community."

To give back to St. Augustine during the devastation, Juskowiak and her Le Macaron French Pastries team shared macarons with first responders and community members. "We wanted to give back, and our delicious products helped brighten everyone's days as we all worked to recover."

Le Macaron French Pastries is a <u>franchise pastry shop</u> that creates an elegant cafe experience, with all the charms of a traditional patisserie. The St. Augustine community has embraced the authentic French macarons, delicious pastries and coffees, and warm atmosphere of the shop. Because of this, a new shop has opened at 130 St. George Street, offering the unique ambiance and exquisite products that are available for dine-in, carryout, and catering for special events.

Visit the St. Augustine shop's Facebook page (<u>www.facebook.com/macaronStaugustine</u>), call 407-800-6379, or email lemacaronsaintaugustine@gmail.com.

More information:

Launched in 2009, Sarasota, Florida-based Le Macaron French Pastries is a franchised French pastry concept creating an elegant cafe ambiance with the charms of a traditional patisserie. Customers enjoy a sophisticated product selection, featuring handcrafted French macarons made from the finest ingredients. Franchise owners convert 800 to 1,000 square feet of commercial space into modern, attractive boutiques with the help of a streamlined business model and guidance from an experienced franchise support team. Named one of Entrepreneur's 2016 Top New Franchises, Le Macaron French Pastries has grown to more than 40 locations. The franchise brand continues to seek interested owner-operators as it prepares to expand throughout the United States. Inc. magazine

ranked Le Macaron French Pastries No. 1476 on its 35th annual Inc. 5000, the most prestigious ranking of the nation's fastest-growing private companies.

For more information about the Le Macaron French Pastries franchise opportunity, visit http://www.lemacaron-us.com/franchising-available/.

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