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BBQ Holdings Announces Opening of First Dual Concept Restaurant in Maple Grove

The multi-brand restaurant company is bringing Village Inn to the Minnesota city at once with its innovative restaurant concept.

Minnetonka, Minn — [BBQ Holdings](#), the multi-brand restaurant franchisor with brands such as [Famous Dave's](#), [Clark Crew BBQ](#), [Granite City Brewery](#), [Village Inn](#), [Real Urban BBQ](#), [Bakers Square](#) and [Tahoe Joe's](#), has opened its first dual concept restaurant location in Maple Grove, with a dual concept on the Granite City Brewery location with Village Inn.

The full-service casual restaurant will feature a combined offering that fans of both Granite City Brewery and Village Inn have come to know and love. The Village Inn menu will be served daily from 7:00am to 3:00pm, followed immediately by Granite City's dinner menu, served daily from 3:00pm to close.

"This is a major milestone for us," said [Jeff Crivello](#), CEO of BBQ Holdings. "We are thrilled to be launching this innovative format to bring two of our brands to one location. Village Inn and Granite City are great complimentary brands, and the success of this opening certainly proves the potential for other dual concept opportunities down the road."

Village Inn, known for its award-winning pies, will feature elevated menu items at the new location, including new Quick Breakfast selections, an all-new drink menu with cocktails, coffee and tea as well as upgraded classics such as Famous Pancakes, French Toast, and Waffles topped with the brand's signature pie fillings such as French Silk, Banana Cream, and Triple Berry.

Granite City Brewery will offer its award-winning food and beer menus, which feature a wide range of selections, including flatbreads, soups, salads, sandwiches, steak, seafood and desserts.

The dual concept Village Inn-Granite City Brewery restaurant is now open in the Granite City location at 11909 Main St.

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About BBQ Holdings

BBQ Holdings, Inc. (NASDAQ: BBQ) is a national restaurant company engaged in franchising, ownership and operation of casual and fast dining restaurants. As of November 10, 2021, BBQ Holdings had seven brands with 303 locations in three countries including 89 Company owned locations and 214 franchised locations. In addition to these locations, the Company opened eight Company-owned Famous Dave's ghost kitchens operating within its Granite City locations, and 20 Famous Dave's franchisee ghost kitchens operating out of the kitchen of another restaurant location or a shared kitchen space. While BBQ Holdings continues to diversify its ownership in the restaurant community, it was founded with the principle of combining the "art and science" of barbecue to serve up the very best of the best to barbecue lovers everywhere. Along with a wide variety of BBQ favorites served at their BBQ restaurants, BBQ Holdings also operates Granite City Food and Brewery restaurants which offer award winning craft beer and a made-from-scratch, chef driven menu featuring contemporary American cuisine. Village Inn and Bakers Square add a legendary Family Dining element to BBQ Holdings, with these concepts specializing in breakfast and pies. Tahoe Joe's, the Company's newest addition, is known for their pellet-broiler cooked and smoked infused steak.