

Middleby Marshall Ovens Set New Guinness World Pizza Making Record

July 7, 2010 (Elgin, Ill.) – There was plenty of pizza to go around in Toronto on July 4 after celebrity chef Bob Blumer broke the Guinness World Record for most pizzas made in an hour. Blumer made 168 cheese and tomato pizzas in 60 minutes, beating the previous record of 142 pies set in 2008. He used Middleby Marshall WOW! Ovens to set the record.

"The WOW! Oven is the only oven in the world that can cook fast enough to keep up that kind of pace," said Middleby Marshall President Mark Sieron. "We are extremely proud to be a part of another Guinness World Record."

The record was set at the Corso Italia festival for an episode of the Food Network show "Glutton for Punishment." Bob stretched, sauced, cheesed and fired a pizza about every 22 seconds and the fastest cooking conveyor oven in the world cooked the pizzas in only 3 minutes.

Middleby Marshall is the world leader in conveyor ovens and manufactures the WOW! Oven, the fastest and most energy saving conveyor oven in the world. More than 6,000 WOW! Ovens are in use around the world. Middleby Marshall, based in Elgin, Ill., is a division of The Middleby Corporation (NASDAQ: MIDD) a world leader in commercial cooking.

