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Pirates of the Colombian Caribbean Thrill Show Sets Anchor at the Dutchess County Fair

Rhinebeck NY – Pirates of the Columbian Caribbean is a copyrighted production that incorporates the Sensational Murcia's world famous High Wire act and the legendary Wheel of

Destiny act all in a unique setting.

It is your typical "GOOD" pirates against the "BAD" pirates in the never-ending battle for the

treasure map, however, this all takes place suspended on a thin wire cable 30 feet in the air

over the top of a huge pirate ship!

This is when you see over 30 years combined experience of the Sensational Murcias on the high

wire. Watch as they execute various daring feats, acrobats and tricks on ½ inch steel cable,

such as sword fighting, the dangerous two man high, actually skipping rope and the finale trick

you have to SEE TO BELIEVE!

Also included in the action is the Wheel of Destiny, disguised as an enormous skull and

crossbones, where fate is also tempted. As the giant wheel spins the pirates jump, somersault

and sword fight all while it is rotating on its axis!

The whole performance is presented in authentic pirate costumes, complete with a beautiful

pirate ship backdrop and set, exciting, suspenseful music, fantastic use of lighting and smoke

effects for an experience that you will never forget. It is nonstop action from beginning to end

and guaranteed to thrill all ages.

The Sensational Murcia family high wire act has been featured at many events around the world including performances in Japan, Bermuda, Canada, Germany, Jamaica, Bahamas, as well as at various fairs, festivals and amusement parks in the USA. Walter Murcia, the patriarch of the family, originally from Colombia, South America, now along with his family, wife Victoria and two sons Alexander and Antony, call Bradenton, Florida home. Walter and Victoria Murcia are proud to be performing with their two sons and nephew, Andres Murcia. Their sons proudly represent the 10th generation of circus performing in the Murcia family. As you will see, the tradition carries on!

The Pirates of the Columbian Caribbean will be performing on Tuesday and Thursday at Noon and 6pm; Friday through Sunday showtimes are noon, 3pm and 6pm.

The Dutchess County Fair runs August 23 – 28. Visit <u>www.dutchessfair.com</u> for more information and a complete schedule.

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