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## **FOX RUN AT ORCHARD PARK CELEBRATES BUSINESS FIRST 40 UNDER 40 WINNER**

*Director of Dining Services Ms. Lisa Sanders Wins Prestigious Award*

ORCHARD PARK, NY: Fox Run at Orchard Park CEO, Bill Wlodarczyk, has the honor of announcing Mrs. Lisa Sanders as a Business First 40 Under 40 award recipient. The 2024 Class of Business First winners boasted 200 applicants in their 33<sup>rd</sup> year of recognizing Western New York's brightest professionals under 40 years of age who excel in their professions, as well as give back to their communities. The luncheon showcasing the recipients took place at the Hyatt Regency Hotel & Conference Center, downtown Buffalo.

According to Wlodarczyk, Director of Dining Services Lisa Sanders, doesn't like to be in the spotlight or the center of attention. Honoring Mrs. Sanders and her culinary talents amongst WNY's exceptional young professionals was a moment to truly cherish. Mrs. Sanders was overwhelmed to be celebrated amongst such a high caliber group of peers.

As Director of Dining Services at Fox Run, Mrs. Sanders is responsible for the seven kitchens and seven dining rooms across campus, and the 93 staff it takes to cook and feed over 320 people, three times a day, 365 days a year. Fox Run at Orchard Park, a Continuing Care Retirement Community, is home to 230 independent living Community Members, as well 100 Community Members in the Fox Run Health Center residing in Assisted Living, Memory Care and Skilled Nursing. Health Center dietary needs may also include but not limited too low sodium, soft foods, mechanical diets, and an anytime menu while managing the different times for food service for all the different levels of care.

Reflecting on her award, Mrs. Sanders felt she has been able to embody the Fox Run mission statement, continuing to motivate her and her own set of high standards. Sanders compared her Business First 40 Under 40 recognition to winning the 2019 Women in Culinary competition sponsored by General Mills. This award happened to be a box of Wheaties with her photo on the front of the cereal box!

'Walking on Sunshine,' Mrs. Sanders' stage exit music, was perfectly apropos according to Wlodarczyk. Originally from Rochester, NY, Mrs. Sanders lives in Lancaster with her husband and two children.

Fox Run at Orchard Park is the premier Continuing Care Retirement Community in the Southtowns. Independent living Community Members at Fox Run, should they need it, have access to on-site assisted living, memory care, and skilled nursing, with no increase in monthly costs. Fox Run is home to a newly expanded, remodeled, and state-of-the-art, in-patient physical, occupational and speech therapy rehabilitation center. This multiplex Health Center provides ample space for our extensive therapy programs. All facilities, amenities, apartments, and patio homes are located on a picturesque, well-maintained 54-acre campus in the heart of Orchard Park.

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