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**VERMONT CHEESEMAKERS' FESTIVAL INTRODUCES "BEST OF THE FEST"
SELECTION OF FEATURED CHEESES DELIVERED TO YOUR DOOR**

Shelburne, Vt. (July 15, 2011) – Cheese connoisseurs from around the country will flock to the now sold-out [Vermont Cheesemakers' Festival](#) this month to sample the season's freshest artisanal cheeses and sharp aged cheddar. This year, in conjunction with [Cheese Traders & Wine Sellers](#), cheese fans that can't make the event can still enjoy the Festival's offerings with the Best of the Fest, a carefully chosen selection of featured cheeses delivered to your doorstep.

"Every year, the Festival sells out," said Rachel Schaal, event organizer. "The Best of the Fest is a way to expand the experience of the Festival beyond just the one day, and a way for people to participate in the celebration of Vermont cheesemakers from their own homes."

The Best of the Fest package is available as a four- or six-cheese sampler, and can be ordered for one-time delivery or as a "cheese-of-the-month" type subscription. Cheese experts from Cheese Traders & Wine Sellers will package a varied selection, always including at least one cow, goat, and sheep milk cheese. Depending on the package, the Best of the Fest will also include at least one smoked or blue cheese, and customers can count on one of Vermont's infamous aged cheddar. Cheese sizes will range from 4 oz to 8 oz.

The Best of the Fest sampler will be available starting July 15, 2011. The four-cheese Best of the Fest sampler is \$49.00; the six-cheese Best of the Fest sampler is \$69.00, both with free shipping. All cheeses will be shipped 2-3 day USPS.

Cheese Traders & Wine Sellers is a Burlington, Vt. based retail store offering a wide selection of wines and cheeses from around the world. For over 20 years, the Cheese Traders team has searched the globe for spectacular deals on exceptional cheeses and wines, in order to offer their customers the best possible prices.

The Vermont Cheesemakers' Festival is an annual celebration held at Shelburne Farms featuring over 100 Vermont cheeses, as well as artisanal foods, wines, and microbrews. Tasting seminars, demonstrations, and pairing workshops with experts from Vermont and around the country round out a day of sampling and browsing.

For more detailed information, or to order the Best of the Fest, please visit www.vtcheesefest.com and click on the Best of the Fest link, or call Cheese Traders at 800-540-4261.