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## **SPECTRA IS SERVING UP SPECIALTY HOT DOGS AT CACTUS LEAGUE BALLPARKS IN ARIZONA**

***Mac-n-Cheese, Hickory Smoked Bacon, Pico de Gallo and Slow-Cooked Smoked Pork are Upgrading Traditional Dogs This Spring via Spectra's 'Everything's Fresh' Approach to Ballpark Eats***

Executive chefs at Spectra by Comcast Spectacor are introducing a big-league lineup of unique twists to the classic ballpark frank at Major League Baseball spring training facilities in Arizona, including the Cactus League home of the 2016 World Series Champions Chicago Cubs, Sloan Park in Mesa, AZ.

Spectra presents its "Everything's Fresh" approach to food and hospitality offerings at a variety of venues nationwide, including ball parks, stadia, arenas and convention centers. This Spring, Spectra is serving up a number of unique hot dog recipes at Hohokam Stadium in Mesa (home of the Oakland Athletics); Sloan Park; and Salt River Fields at Talking Stick in Scottsdale (home to both the Arizona Diamondbacks and Colorado Rockies).

The specialty hot dogs Spectra is serving at these spring training properties include:

- **Green Gold Dog:** jumbo miller dog covered with macaroni and cheese, bacon bits and green chili (served at Hohokam Park)
- **Foot-Long Chicago Dog with Chips:** all-beef Vienna dog topped with fresh tomatoes, diced onions, pickle spears, sport pepper, mustard, celery salt, with a side of homemade chips (served at Sloan Park)
- **Maxwell Street Polish Dog:** polish dog topped with mustard, grilled onions, and a pickle (served at Sloan Park)
- **Pizza Hot Dog:** Italian sausage with freshly sliced pepperoni and provolone cheese, topped with a house made marinara sauce and fresh basil oil (served at Sloan Park)
- **Bacon Mac-n-Cheese Dog:** Vienna all beef hot dog topped with a cheesy mac n cheese, bacon bits, and green onions (served at Sloan Park)
- **Chicago Burger** - Classic "Chicago hot dog" on a burger – half-pound burger topped with the classic Chicago neon green relish, diced tomato, diced onion, sport peppers, pickles, and celery salt (served at Sloan Park)
- **Sonoran Dog:** quarter-pound hot dog wrapped in hickory smoked bacon and slow cooked on the grill. Served on a freshly baked bun and topped with Pico de Gallo, pinto ranch beans, and a drizzle of mayo (served at Salt River Fields at Talking Stick)
- **Talking Stick Mega Dog:** half-pound, foot-long hot dog topped with slow-smoked pulled pork and their new Southwest Mac-n-Cheese, which is a blend of cheddar, jack, and gouda cheese folded into cavatappi pasta and blended with green chilies (served at Salt River Fields at Talking Stick)

"At Spectra, we know how important the culinary offerings are to the baseball fan's experience," said Spectra's Jay Satenspiel, Regional Vice President. "We are adding our special twist to the classic ballpark franks to create something special for fans that is memorable, full of freshness and packed with flavor."

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