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Restaurant Week Just For The Kids – The first batch of restaurants has been announced for the *Cookie + Gourmet Kids' Restaurant Week*, a new local promotion that will give families the opportunity to nosh on three-course meals at a discounted price. We are talking restaurants like **Art & Soul, Cafe du Parc, Firefly, Juniper at the Fairmont, Mie N Yu** and **Zola** just a few of the participating establishments. Organizers expect at least 20 more to sign on for the event that runs from June 13 to June 21.

The promotion works like this: From 5:00 to 7:00 p.m., the restaurants will offer a three-course, fixed-price meal for both kids and adults. Adults (and children over 12) pay \$29; kids 11 and younger pay their age. Each restaurant will handle the promotion differently, but the idea is to expose children to new flavors and, of course, the itty-bit of theater that can be involved the fine dining experience. The promotion will kick off on June 13 with a day-long event at Eastern Market that features cooking demonstrations and food tastings. Some proceeds from dinner sales will benefit Eastern Market and Miriam's Kitchen. For several local school districts, the academic year winds down just as Kids' Restaurant Week gets going. (www.kidsrestaurantweek.com)