

## Ross Stores to Present at Piper Jaffray Consumer Conference

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PLEASANTON, Calif., June 3 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- Ross Stores, Inc. (Nasdaq: ROST) announced today that it will participate in the Piper Jaffray 29th Annual Consumer Conference to be held June 9 - 10 at The Westin New York at Times Square in New York City.

Ross management will discuss the Company's business strategies and future outlook at approximately 10:00 a.m. Eastern time on Tuesday, June 9, 2009. A live audio webcast of the presentation including slides will be available at <a href="https://www.rossstores.com">www.rossstores.com</a>. Go to the Investors section, click on the webcast icon and follow the instructions.

Ross Stores, Inc., a Fortune 500 and Nasdaq 100 (ROST) company headquartered in Pleasanton, California, is the nation's second largest off-price retailer with fiscal 2008 revenues of \$6.5 billion. As of May 30, 2009 the Company operated 922 Ross Dress for Less(R) ("Ross") stores and 52 dd's DISCOUNTS(R) locations. Ross offers first-quality, in-season, name brand and designer apparel, accessories, footwear and home fashions for the entire family at everyday savings of 20 to 60 percent off department and specialty store regular prices. dd's DISCOUNTS features a more moderately-priced assortment of first-quality, in-season, name brand apparel, accessories, footwear and home fashions for the entire family at everyday savings of 20 to 70 percent off moderate department and discount store regular prices. Additional information is available at <a href="https://www.rossstores.com">www.rossstores.com</a>.

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