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News Release

Company Acquires Silver/Gold Property Williams Lake, BC

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September 30, 2008, Vancouver B.C. (TSX.V: GAI). Les Kjosness, President announces the acquisition of the CHR claims, a precious metals property located in British Columbia near Puntzi Lake about 160 kms west of Williams Lake. The property will be acquired for 250,000 common shares, and \$80,000 cash or equivalent shares and a \$250,000 work commitment to be completed by December 31, 2012, subject to approval of the TSX. (A copy of the claim map will be posted on the website www.goldenarchresources.com.)

Exploration, in the period from 1982 to 1989 by Newmont and Northair Mines, discovered and partially explored the Chili Zone, an area of silicified Hazelton volcanics (Jurassic age rocks) hosting a series of epithermal quartz veins and quartz stringer zones mineralized with minor pyrite and silver and gold-bearing chalcopyrite. The Rose and Birthday zones were also discovered in the same area by geochemistry and geophysics.

The Chili zone is a northeast trending steeply dipping set of quartz veins (up to 1 metre wide) and stockworks (up to 4.5 metres wide). These crosscut a volcanic agglomerate, and siltstone and lapilli tuffs. A sample of vuggy quartz-veining in agglomerate assayed **19.1 g/t gold and 574.5 g/t silver**. This zone has an inferred length of at least 90 metres.

The Rose zone, also northeast trending, consists of intensely silicified and quartz veined tuffs. The highest sample to date from subcrop was **0.96 g/t gold and 24 g/t silver**. The Rose zone is 140 metres long and 10 metres wide.

The Birthday zone is about 3 kms southwest of the Chili zone and projects toward it along strike. This zone consists of intensely altered volcanoclastic and possibly sedimentary rocks. Several anomalous sites in the Birthday zone have a northeast alignment similar to the Chili zone.

It has been inferred that the veins are related to Tertiary intrusive found in the area. **The nature of the veining and mineralization is very similar to a Tertiary gold deposit (Blackdome Gold Mine) about 100 kms south of the CHR Property**

Golden Arch has established a work program consisting of further drilling and mapping and flow-through funds have been made available.

Victor J.E. Jones resigned as Chief financial Officer & Director of the Company effective September 30, 2008 for personal reasons. His commitment was an asset to the Company and he will be missed. Blaine Bailey, CGA, has been appointed as CFO effective October 1, 2008. Bailey received his Bachelor of commerce degree (Honours) from the University of Manitoba in 1977, and qualified for the CGA designation in British Columbia in 1983. He has 10 years' experience working as Chief Financial Officer and Director with mineral exploration companies listed on the TSX Venture Exchange.

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On behalf of the Board,

“Les Kjosness”
President & Director

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The Company’s exploration program is under the supervision of R.D. Somerville, P. Eng., a Qualified Person under National Instrument 43-101. Mr. Somerville is Vice President and COO of Golden Arch Resources Ltd. Golden Arch Resources Ltd. is a metals, oil, and gas and exploration company based in Vancouver, BC, Canada. Its principal projects are the Mildred Peak copper/gold/silver property located in Arizona, the Wakefield Lakes zinc project in Saskatchewan and the Abbott/Wagner silver/lead/zinc property in British Columbia.

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