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Palm Springs Gay Men's Chorus Furtheres Its Community Outreach

Desert AIDS Walk, Halloween Palm Springs, Greater Palm Springs Pride and The Center

Palm Springs, CA- October 17, 2016... In an effort to further align itself with the community in which it performs, the Palm Springs Gay Men's Chorus (PSGMC) is thrilled to be able to be involved with and provide its talents to a variety of organizations across the Coachella Valley.

"Our board of directors made a conscious decision to pro-actively give back to the community by partnering with a variety of non-profit organizations. By doing so, we enrich the lives of all people in the neighborhoods in which we serve," Joseph C. Jackson, President, PSGMC.

"These performances, or run outs as we call them, gives the chorus an opportunity to repeat favorite selections from previous concerts and perform songs that speak to our mission and provide wonderful entertainment to our community. The chorus is proud to be involved with so many civic and charity events throughout the year, as we continue our efforts in "Building a Chorus Like No Other," remarked Douglas Wilson, Artistic Director, PSGMC.

With a distinct community focus and awareness in mind, the PSGMC will be performing at the following Palm Springs events:

**Desert AIDS Walk (Benefiting D.A.P.)
Saturday, October 22**
(8:00a.m. Event Start Time, 9:30a.m. Desert AIDS Walk
Kick-off and the PSGMC will sing at 10:30a.m.)
Ruth Hardy Park, Palm Springs
(Corner of Avenida Caballeros and Tamarisk)



Halloween Palm Springs
Saturday, October 29 (6:00p.m.)
Arenas Road, Palm Springs
(Between Indian Canyon and Calle Encilia)

Greater Palm Springs Pride Festival
Friday, November 4 (Approx. 8:00p.m.)
Arenas Road Block Party Stage (1/2 hour set)
(Between Indian Canyon and Calle Encilia)

Greater Palm Springs Pride Parade
Sunday, November 6 (10:00a.m. Start Time)
Marching in the Parade
Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs (Kick-off at Tachevah)

The Center Open House
(LGBT Community Center of the Desert)
Sunday, November 13 (11:00a.m. Start Time)
1301 North Palm Canyon Drive, Palm Springs

To purchase PSGMC individual or season tickets and for best selection of seating visit www.PSGMC.com. The chorus is delighted to be moving into its new performance home at the completely renovated and state-of-the-art Palm Springs High School Auditorium.

For more information on a variety of ways to support or join the Palm Springs Gay Men's Chorus, call 760-219-2077 or visit www.PSGMC.com. Press inquiries should be directed to Jeff Hocker, Hocker Productions at 760-409-1530 or jeffhocker1@gmail.com.