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Palm Springs Gay Men's Chorus Partners with Bouschet Gourmet Food & Wine for Spring Fundraiser

(Palm Springs, CA) – February 10, 2021... In a strategic partnership to build opportunities to support the Palm Springs Gay Men's Chorus (PSGMC), Bouschet Gourmet Food & Wine will host a fundraising wine tasting event, Friday, February 26 (5:30-7:00p.m.), which will be a combination virtual and in-person experience at 611 South Palm Canyon, Palm Springs in the Sun Center.

Building on the success of 22 seasons, PSGMC has skillfully transitioned into a virtual Chorus with initiatives that have driven community outreach to non-profits over the last few months. Programs included: 1,000 PPE masks made for Eisenhower Medical Center, school supplies collection for Coachella Valley Elementary, raised over \$2,500 for the Desert AIDS Walk supporting DAP Health, a clothing and toiletries drive for Well in the Desert to support the homeless, and through the "Chorus Cares" program, a food and essential supplies campaign, then during the holidays, a toy drive both for Martha's Village & Kitchen.

"The Palm Springs Gay Men's Chorus is fortunate to have generous donors, partners and volunteers who have all helped us build strong and long-lasting relationships with many businesses in the valley. We look forward to having an enjoyable wine tasting event to thank our supporters and invite new friends to engage with the Chorus. Our members will soon be back on stage, enabling us to continue to do what we love to do, entertain the Coachella Valley," said Steve Baker, President & 1st Tenor, PSGMC.

This stellar Bouschet Gourmet Food & Wine event will showcase the expertise of Roth Mendoza, Wine Representative, Browne Family Vineyards and Lisa Wherry, Certified Wine Specialist, Wine Gal Consulting. They'll provide insight into the wines, how to pair the varietals, while comparing their uniqueness to other wines in the marketplace in their style, how they are blended, and the regions the grapes are grown.

Tickets for this incredible premium wine tasting event are only \$40 per person including Wine Spectator Magazines highly rated varietals: 2017 Browne Chardonnay, Columbia Valley, 2019 Browne Grenache Rose, 2017 Browne "Family Vineyards" Pinot Noir, Willamette Valley, 2018 Browne "Bitner Estate" Cabernet Sauvignon, Columbia Valley and 2017 Browne "Tribute" Red Bordeaux Blend, Columbia Valley.

Zoom and in-person attendees will also be treated to a charcuterie sampling of Derby Sage and Derby Port cheese, Manchego Cheese, Genoa Italian Salami, specialty crackers, apricot spread, house made cashews, and olive medley presented by Bouschet Chef Tig of Tig and Company. The tasting package can be picked up at Bouschet Gourmet Food & Wine, 611 South Palm Canyon, Palm Springs prior to the tasting.

CLICK HERE TO PURCHASE TICKETS!

For more information and to purchase tickets call 760-219-2077 or visit www.PSGMC.com and click on the "Wine Tasting!" Button.

The mission of the PSGMC is to be a chorus of gay men, who through musical excellence, community outreach, and civic responsibility, are dedicated to entertaining, inspiring, and educating the culturally diverse community in which we live.