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Green Bay Botanical Garden Hosts Fundraiser Featuring Local Culinary Delights and Stunning Spring Blooms

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(Green Bay, WI) (April 16, 2019) – [TasteBud](#), Green Bay Botanical Garden's annual spring fundraiser, returns on Thursday, May 16 from 5–8 pm. The evening will be filled with culinary delights from Green Bay restaurants and caterers, more than 300,000 blooming buds, a silent auction and live music from local jazz artists, Erin Krebs and Jeff Johnston.

The fundraiser will feature a DIY Botanical Bar, in partnership with Central Standard Craft Distillery and Northeast Wisconsin Unit of the Herb Society of America, to give guests a chance to personalize cocktails to their individual tastes. As guests stroll through the Garden, they can also electronically bid on silent auction items using their mobile devices.

Sales & Events Manager, Eileen Metzler, shared what guests can expect to see in this year's silent auction. "The auction will feature stunning, unique items including breathtaking planters, locally handcrafted garden art, gift certificates to local restaurants, weekend getaway packages and so much more. There will be something for everyone!"

Event Details

Thursday, May 16 | 5–8 pm

Registration closes May 10

Live Music: Jazz tunes by Erin Krebs and Jeff Johnston

Register in advance at www.GBBG.org/TasteBud, by phone at 920.490.9457 or at the Garden. In the event of inclement weather, TasteBud will be held in the Schneider Education Center. Business casual dress. Must be 21 or older to attend.

Culinary delights provided by: Dos Chiles, Foodelicious Catering & Consulting with N.E.W. Turning Pointe Farm, Josephine's Pizza & Pastaria, Margarita's, Not By Bread Alone, Renard's Country Elegance, Simon's Specialty Cheese, Tenet Restaurant, Texas Roadhouse, The Cannery Public Market, The Runaway Spoon and Van Abel's of Hollandtown.

Beverages provided by: Badger State Brewing Company, Hinterland Brewery, La Java a Roasting House, Parallel 44 Vineyard & Winery, Stillmank Brewing Company, Tiletown Brewing Company and The Wine Cellar.

TasteBud is generously sponsored by Les Stumpf Ford, Janssen Law, Aon, HomeAdvisor, Michael Raymaker, Painting Pals, LLC, Renard's Country Elegance, Inc., Meissner Landscape, Inc., Schroeder's Flowers, Stone Silo Prairie Gardens, Bay Towel, Ginger Birch Floral & Design, Sash & Bow and Northeast Wisconsin Technical College.

Proceeds support environmental sustainability initiatives and help serve over 6,000 children each year through field trips, outreach programs and family education.

About Green Bay Botanical Garden

Green Bay Botanical Garden is a 100-percent, community-supported nonprofit organization that connects people with plants in an environment that engages, inspires and refreshes. First opened in 1996 and now featuring 47-acres of display gardens and natural areas, the Garden touches the lives of more than 180,000 visitors annually from northeast Wisconsin and beyond. This summer, the Garden will welcome its first butterfly exhibit, Butterflies & Blooms, featuring more than 20 native butterfly species and the plants they love. For more information about other spring happenings, visit www.GBBG.org or call 920.490.9457.

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