2019



CHRISTMAS AT BELMONT MANSION PATRONS PARTY

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MEDIA ADVISORY CHRISTMAS AT BELMONT MANSION 2019 PATRONS PARTY

The Time: Monday, December 2, 2019

6-8 p.m.

The Place: The Home of Eleanor Menefee Parkes

4411 Truxton Place

Belle Meade

Parking: Valet or Self-Parking Available

Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Chair: Deborah Lovett

Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Honorary Chairs: Bonne and Gary Crigger

Attire: Festive

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About Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Patrons Party:

Adelicia Hayes Franklin Acklen Cheatham, Nashville's own Scarlett O'Hara, began building Belmont Mansion, an exquisite 36-room house in the Italian Villa style, as a summer home in 1849 and it took her ten years to achieve 20,000 square feet of perfection. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places since 1971, the Mansion is now nestled at the heart of Belmont University and meticulously maintained, including ongoing restoration, by the Belmont Mansion Association. *Christmas at Belmont Mansion* events, including the Patrons Party, Dinner at the Mansion and Breakfast with Santa, help the Belmont Mansion Association ensure that the original beauty of the Mansion and the rich legacy of Adelicia are alive, relevant, and exceptionally presented to visitors from across the country and around the world.

Of Note: Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Patrons Party will put

guests in the Christmas spirit on Monday, December 2, from the moment they step into hostess Eleanor Menefee Parkes's gracious home, beautifully decorated for the winter festivities by bob and jason design duo Bob Deal and Jason Bradshaw. With Bill Forrester behind the bar and culinary queen Kristen Winston serving up light bites, the *Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Patrons Party* will jump start the holiday

season in style.

Event Design: bob and jason design / Bob Deal and Jason Bradshaw

Caterer: Kristen Winston Catering

Menu:

Cocktail Supper

Passed Hors d'oeuvres

Crispy Grits Cake with Shrimp and Pepper Jelly Artichoke Parmesan Puffs

Cocktail Buffet

Maple Mustard Glazed Berkshire Pork Tenderloin on Fresh Baked Roll with Caramelized Onion

Crab Cakes with Remoulade Sauce

Twice-Baked Fingerling Potatoes With Cheddar and Chives

Vertical Fresh Vegetable Crudite With Green Goddess Dipping Sauce

Crispy Flatbread with Gorgonzola, Fig Jam, Arugula, Prosciutto

Wild Mushroom and Gruyere Tarts

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Dessert Assortment

Mini Apple Lattice Pies
White Chocolate Cranberry Almond Cookies

071 Prosecco Old Hickory Blended Black Label Old Hickory Straight Bourbon

Lonely Cow Sauvignon Blanc
Saturday Night Red
Tito's Handmade Vodka
Cielo Silver Tequila
Bacardi Superior Light Rum
Hendrick's Gin
Jack Daniel's Old No. 7
The Famous Grouse Scotch
Hap & Harry's Tennessee Lager
Hap & Harry's Nash IPA
Hap & Harry's Neon Leon

Generously provided by Lipman Brothers and R.S. Lipman Company

Expected RSVPs: Attending are *Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Chair*

Deborah Lovett with husband Mike, Christmas at Belmont Mansion 2019 Honorary Chairs Bonne and Gary Crigger, Christmas at Belmont Mansion Breakfast with Santa 2019 Chair Sarah Lovett McFarland with husband Matt, and Belmont Mansion Association Executive Director Mark Brown. Guests expected to attend are Glyna and Jim Aderhold, Lauren Batte and Jim Hester, Dianne Berry, Sylvia and Doug Bradbury, Mary and Hank Brockman, Sally and Tommy Davis, Sandra Frank, Amos Gott and Vincent Dreffs, Judith Hodges and Jan van Eys, Shirley and David Horowitz, Donna Joyner, Jay Joyner, Linda Koon, recent Hollywood transplants Sheryl Longin and Roger Simon, Mandy and Tom Lunn, Lisa and David Manning, Dianne Neal, Laura and Charlie Niewold, Nan Parrish, Mary Knox and Fred Pilkerton, LaRawn Scaife Rhea, Jane and Stephen Richards, Anne Shepherd, Steve Sirls and Allen DeCuyper, Trish and Al Thomas, and Shawn Wilson and Lance Gruner...among

others.

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