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THE HEART OF THE CANYON AUCTION AND BENEFIT - APRIL 10, 2021 AT HISTORIC HEATER FARM

60% of Proceeds Benefit Santiam Canyon Wildfire Recovery Fund and 40% of the Proceeds to Benefit Detroit Lake Foundation

Stayton, Oregon, February 18, 2021 – The Stayton Rotary and The Heart of the Canyon Committee will host The Heart of the Canyon Auction and Benefit in Stayton, Oregon on April 10, 2021, raising funds to rebuild fire stricken communities throughout the Santiam Canyon and badly hit, Detroit, Oregon. The two organizations who will receive and distribute the funds will be The Santiam Canyon Wildfire Relief Fund and Detroit Lake Foundation.

Hosted at the beautiful and well-appointed Historic Heater Farm in Stayton, Oregon, guests will be treated to an evening of fine dining, cocktails, an all-star, local lineup of entertainers, dancing and a live auction highlighting a beautifully restored, cherry condition 1972 Bronco among other impressive items. The public is invited to preview live auction packages on the website located at www.theheartofthecanyon.com.

The evening will begin with a festive happy hour featuring hors d'oeuvres, drinks and live music by Once a Month Band and the opportunity to preview and purchase raffle tickets for the various displayed raffle packages. Wine by Willamette Valley Vineyards and Wooden Shoe Winery, Snow Peak Brewery beer and hard setzers will all be provided. Specialty craft cocktails and beer will be served by Bearded Bartender.

Spend time mingling with local business owners and residents who all have an affinity and genuine love of the canyon. View and purchase raffle tickets to over three dozen beautifully curated prize baskets. Purchase raffle tickets and enter to win your favorite raffle item. Appetizers prepared by Wild Pear will be offered. A

family style dinner will be served by Adam's Ribs, Covered Bridge Cafe and Lovin' Oven, followed by the highly anticipated live auction.

Guests will participate in a live auction led by auctioneer, Kent Kilgore. The auction will feature high-interest leisure and luxury items, such as an unforgettable Mexican vacation, as well as goods donated by local food and wine makers and other businesses in the community.

The evening will close with live music by Never2Late and Rock n Roll Cowboys. This event will follow all of the current safety guidelines regarding Covid-19. Tables will be spaced out and guests will be required to wear face coverings. Hand sanitation stations will be available throughout the facility.

100% of the proceeds will help communities throughout Santiam Canyon who were impacted by the wildfires of 2020.

To buy tickets, become a sponsor or to donate, go to www.theheartofthecanyon.com.

About the Stayton Rotary is a 501(c)(3) organization based out of Stayton, Oregon. Rotary is a service organization whose motto is "Service Above Self." Our members are business, professional and community leaders who volunteer their time and talents to serve our community – and form strong, lasting friendships in the process.

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