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Stan Hywet Presents its Annual Gala Friday, June 21

24th Annual Midsummer Night's Celebration is "A Chef's Canvas"

May 8, 2019 – Akron, Ohio – Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens hosts its annual Gala at the historic Estate, on Friday, June 21, 2019 beginning at 6pm. This year's theme, *A Chef's Canvas*, is generously presented by The Lehner Family Foundation and The J.M. Smucker Company. The celebratory occasion is chaired by Timothy and Jennifer DelMedico.

Stan Hywet is located at 714 North Portage Path in Akron, Ohio.

Guests are invited to be a part of the time-honored and uniquely Stan Hywet gathering held among the expansive gardens and grounds of the historic country Manor House. The black tie affair promises a feast for the eyes and palate as creative compositions of taste, aroma, texture and color will be specially curated for the most discerning connoisseurs. En plein air painting will fascinate guests as will the melodic sounds of the orchestra turned dance band. The art inspired celebration will be marked with the elegant flair this signature fundraising event has come to represent.

A highlight of the evening is the opportunity for guests to bid on a one-of-a-kind Stan Hywet experience, the exclusive *Dinner in the Dining Room*, an exquisite formal dinner party staged in the handsomely appointed Dining Room of the Manor House.

Proceeds from the annual celebration help ensure the continued preservation of Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens.

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