



NEWS RELEASE

Stan Hywet presents Off the Vine: An Evening Pairing of Food and Wine on July 23

Enjoy the gardens and the Winds of Change outdoor garden exhibit on a warm summer night

June 30, 2021 – Akron, Ohio - Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens presents **Off the Vine: An Evening Pairing of Food and Wine** from 6-9 pm on Friday, July 23, with reservations required by July 16. After starting the evening with a glass of sparkling wine in a Stan Hywet souvenir wine glass, guests will have the opportunity to enjoy samples of more than three dozen varieties of wine at stations positioned throughout the historic gardens and complemented by tapas-style appetizers by Acme Fresh Market Catering, Driftwood Catering, Taste of Excellence, and Todaro's – with cheese samples from Yellow House Cheese and small desserts by Tiffany's Bakery. Local musicians Hey Mavis; the Tony Koussa, Jr Duo; Siobhan McCarthy; and The Stingers provide music in the gardens throughout the evening. The Manor House with the seasonal exhibit, *Restoration: If This Hall Could Talk*, is open for self-guided tours and the evening is also an opportunity to see *Winds of Change*, the outdoor garden exhibit.

Guests may visit a retail wine pop-up shop open during the event to purchase bottles of their favorite tastings to take home.

Ticket purchases online at stanhywet.org for this 21 & over only event are \$65 per person, \$52 for Stan Hywet members.

Off the Vine: An Evening Pairing of Food & Wine is presented by Heidelberg Distributing Company.

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Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens is located at 714 N. Portage Path in Akron, Ohio, and is the former home of Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company co-founder F.A. Seiberling and his family. Since 1957, it has been a non-profit historic house museum where the public can learn about the cultural, educational, and inspirational riches of one of the most significant achievements in architecture and horticulture to come out of America's Industrial Age. Open April-December, Stan Hywet is the largest historic home in Ohio and the sixth largest in the U.S. Stan Hywet is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums and is Akron, Ohio's oldest National Historic Landmark.

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