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Palmdale Playhouse to Host Interactive Beauty and the Beast Display at Kaleidoscope Art & Music Festival

PALMDALE – The Palmdale Playhouse will host a special interactive booth where attendees will have the opportunity to help paint a “Beauty and the Beast” themed display at the City of Palmdale’s brand new art and music festival called *Kaleidoscope* coming to the Palmdale Amphitheater on Saturday, Oct. 8 from 10 am to 6 pm. Admission and parking are free.

“The Palmdale Playhouse and the Palmdale Repertory Theatre will present ‘Beauty and the Beast’ in March of 2017, so we wanted something for Kaleidoscope attendees to do that related to the production,” said Palmdale’s Theater Operations Coordinator Linda Willis. “We came up with the idea of having two 4’ x 8’ panels with line drawings of two recognizable stained glass windows from the animated film and stage production and give people the chance to paint them. Those finished painted panels will be displayed in the Playhouse lobby during the March shows.”

Attendees will also be able to see costumes that will be part of the production, talk to stage staff and take photos.

There will be a casting call for Beauty and the Beast roles on Dec. 9 and 10 at the Palmdale Playhouse. For audition information, please call 661/267-5611 or

download the flyer at www.palmdaleplayhouse.com. The show dates are March 24, 25 & 26, 2017.

Kaleidoscope: Art & Music fest will also feature stages of live music and visual and performing arts, artisan vendors and wares, food and educational.

At the heart of Kaleidoscope will be the talented artisans who will present their original works of art in various mediums for the public to learn, enjoy and appreciate art and culture. It will also be an opportunity for the public to purchase one-of-a-kind pieces. Among the artisans in attendance will be noted Los Angeles area artists John Zender Estrada and Juan Solis.

Scheduled musical performers on the Tapestry Stage include The Sunday Night Singers, Paddy's Pig, Phat Cat Swinger, The High D Boys and the L.A. Cast of Beatlemania.

"The Art of Brew" will feature local beer offerings from Transplants Brewing Company, Lucky Luke Brewing Company, Bravery Brewing and Kinetic Brewing Company.

Food will be available for purchase and will be provided by Vince's Pasta & Pizza, Alex's Fruits & Nuts, Couple Nuts (kettlecorn and funnel cakes), Zodiac Grill, and From Me to you Catering, specializing in BBQ meat and turkey legs.

"With a wide variety of music, artisans, performers, food and craft beer, there is something for everyone at Kaleidoscope," Pagliaro said. "Free parking and free admission make this an affordable and fun day."

Kaleidoscope is generously sponsored by American Medical Response, AVTA, Waste Management, Coca-Cola, Antelope Valley Mall, Valleywide Dental, Opportunities

for Learning, Sierra Medical Group, AV Furniture & Mattress, Hilton Garden Inn, Lancaster JetHawks, Ventura Graphix and Vince's Pizza & Pasta – Palmdale.

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