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NEW PERFORMANCE IN THE KAUFFMAN CENTER PRESENTS 10th ANNIVERSARY SERIES

The Beach Boys coming to Muriel Kauffman Theatre Monday, August 3

Kansas City, MO – Today, the Kauffman Center for the Performing Arts announced an additional performance in the 2020-2021 *Kauffman Center Presents* series – **The Beach Boys**. Presented in partnership with Mammoth Productions, The Beach Boys will perform in Muriel Kauffman Theatre at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, August 3.

As **The Beach Boys** mark more than a half century of making music, the group continues to ride the crest of a wave unequalled in America's musical history. **The Beach Boys** have become synonymous with the California lifestyle and have become an American icon to fans around the world.

Since lead-singer man Mike Love penned the lyrics to The Beach Boys' first hit, "Surfin'" (1961), dozens of the bands chart toppers have become eternal anthems of American youth: "Surfin' USA," "Surfer Girl," "Fun, Fun, Fun," "I Get Around," "California Girls," "Help Me Rhonda," "Barbara Ann," "Good Vibrations," "Wouldn't It Be Nice," "Rock and Roll Music" and "Kokomo."

Tickets start at \$54, plus applicable fees, and **go on sale to the public at 10 a.m. Friday, March 10**. Tickets will be available through the Kauffman Center Box Office at (816) 994-7222 or online at www.kauffmancenter.org.

ABOUT THE BEACH BOYS

The Beach Boys have sold over 100 million records worldwide and have received more than 33 RIAA Platinum and Gold record awards. The Rock and Roll Hall of Famers where also honored at the 2001 Grammy Awards with the Lifetime Achievement Award.

With more than five decades of touring under their belts, The Beach Boys have performed more concerts than any major rock band in history. *Sounds Of Summer: The Very Best Of The Beach Boys*, Capitol/EMI's 30-track collection of the band's biggest hits, has achieved triple-platinum success with sales of more than three million copies in the U.S. since its release.

The Beach Boys are led by Mike Love, who, along with longtime member Bruce Johnston, musical director Scott Totten, Brian Eichenberger, Christian Love, Tim Bonhomme, John Cowsill, Keith Hubacher and Randy Leago continue the legacy of the iconic band. This concert will not feature Brian Wilson, Al Jardine or David Marks.

KAUFFMAN CENTER PRESENTS SERIES SCHEDULE*

The *Kauffman Center Presents* series features extraordinary and diverse artists from a variety of musical genres and performance styles. <u>Access to approved media photos of *Kauffman Center Presents* artists</u>.

2019-2020 Kauffman Center Presents events (includes rescheduled date**):

- Tuesday, March 10, 2020 *National Geographic Live*: Pursuit of the Black Panther 7:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre
- Tuesday, May 26, 2020 *National Geographic Live*: Where the Wild Things Live 7:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre
- Tuesday, June 9 and Wednesday, June 10, 2020 *National Geographic Live*: JANE in Concert 7:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre
- Tuesday, June 16, 2020 *National Geographic Live: Spinosaurus*: Lost Giant of the Cretaceous 7:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre**
- Friday, August 21, 2020 Martina McBride 7:00p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre**
- Tuesday, November 17, 2020 Champions of Magic 7:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre**
- Sunday, January 17, 2021 An Intimate Evening with David Foster: Hitman Tour Featuring Special Guest Katharine McPhee 7:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre**
- Wednesday, April 7, 2021 Daniel Tiger's Neighborhood: Neighborhood Day 6:30 p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre**
- Saturday, June 19, 2021 Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons 7:30p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre**

10th Anniversary Season 2020-2021 Kauffman Center Presents events:

- Monday, August 3, 2020 The Beach Boys 7:30p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre
- Tuesday October 6, 2020 Black Violin: Impossible Tour 2020 7:30p.m., Muriel Kauffman Theatre

ABOUT THE KAUFFMAN CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

The Kauffman Center for the Performing Arts – a major not-for-profit center for music, opera, theater and dance designed by Moshe Safdie – opened in 2011. Serving as a cultural cornerstone for Kansas City and the region, the Kauffman Center delivers extraordinary and diverse performing arts experiences. Honored as one of the World's 15 Most Beautiful Concert Halls, the Kauffman Center attracts some of the world's most renowned performers and entertainers.

Through educational outreach programs and community enrichment, the Kauffman Center supports Kansas City as a cultural destination. More information on the Kauffman Center for the Performing Arts is available at kauffmancenter.org.

Thanks to Kauffman Center Presents series sponsors for their generous support of the 2019-2020 season: Saint Luke's Health System, PNC Bank, and Aristocrat Motors and Mercedes-Benz of Kansas City.

^{*}Events announced to date. Additional performances will be announced throughout the 2019-2020 season. Updates are available at www.kauffmancenter.org/events-tickets/kauffman-center-presents/.

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