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Highfield Hall & Gardens to Hold 14th Annual *Holidays at Highfield* Fundraiser

Falmouth, MA – September 28, 2020 - Highfield Hall & Gardens is pleased to announce the return of the Holidays at Highfield! Opening on November 27th, 2020 and running through December 13th, 2020, this annual fundraiser has been a staple local tradition for many years, and this winter season is no exception. Although the existing COVID-19 safety and health protocols will be in place, Highfield will offer the public an outdoor and indoor-holiday- themed experience to remember.

Event Designer, Rita Pacheco, will unveil a theme focused on “The Most Wonderful Time of the Year.” The decorations will be splendid and once again provide the audience with a multitude of decorating ideas.

Programming is still in development, but you can mark your calendar for Gingerbread House and cookie decorating workshops, floral workshops and culinary classes to warm your heart with gift giving solutions. Program schedule to be published soon.

New this year, The *Winter Wonderland Village* aims to showcase art made by the community, and we are encouraging creative individuals to submit their interpretation of a miniature winter wonderland. If you are an artist with a background in floral, horticulture, landscape, and/or architectural design, we are currently accepting idea submissions for the first annual winter wonderland village. Please send all entries, and information requests, to Joanne Ingersoll, Director of Programs and Exhibitions. Joanne can be reached at jingersoll@highfieldhall.org, or 508-495-1878, ext. 316.

Be sure to visit the Highfield Hall & Gardens website to register and check event updates at www.highfieldhallandgardens.org.

Gallery Hours:

Highfield Hall will follow health safety protocols by restricting the number of people in the gallery at one time.

The Gallery is open Wednesday through Friday, 10 am – 4 pm
Saturday, 10 am – 2 pm

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About Highfield Hall & Gardens

The house is a rare surviving example of transitional Stick Style architecture, containing beautiful gardens located in the heart of Falmouth, Massachusetts. It is a unique combination of a historic house, expansive gardens and trails, and a vibrant cultural center. Built in 1878 as the summer home for Boston's Beebe family,

the house sits on 5.5 pristine acres surrounded by nearly 400 acres of conservation land and public walking trails. Highfield Hall & Gardens is not your typical historic estate. It is an example of a historic building saved by

grassroots community organizing. An effort of tenacity and vision that continues as new research on the structure and its story of the people who lived here add to the building's significance. It offers world-class music, international art exhibitions, culinary classes, family programs, and year-round special events. For more information, visit highfieldhallandgardens.org.

Mission

Highfield Hall & Gardens' mission is to honor the beauty and historic significance of the house and grounds by providing high-quality artistic, cultural, and educational programs for the enrichment of our community and visitors of all ages.

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