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Highfield Hall & Gardens Virtual Supper Club series celebrates Women's History month with Dr. Marcia Macedo of the Woodwell Climate Research Center

March 11, 2021 | 6 pm – 7:30 pm

(Falmouth, Massachusetts): Highfield Hall & Gardens is pleased to announce Dr. Marcia Macedo, Water Program Director at the Woodwell Climate Research Center, for the Supper Club Series's next installment.

Dr. Marcia Macedo takes a unique view of Amazon forests – seeing the forests for the streams. Water is the fuel that drives economic and political stability. Mounting water scarcity presents mankind with formidable challenges as modern societies require increasing amounts of water for agriculture and food production amidst a changing landscape due to the climate crisis.

Dr. Marcia Macedo explores how agricultural expansion and climate change are altering the flow of water through tropical landscapes, such as the Amazon forests, focusing on hotspots of connection between upland forests and aquatic systems, like streams and rivers.

For over fifteen years, Dr. Macedo has worked with agricultural producers in a research role, developing strong and productive relationships. She links detailed, on-the-ground ecological understanding with large-scale, remote sensing data and statistical models to inform decisions about land use.

Dinner is catered by **Bucatino's Restaurant**. This delectable meal will be delivered to you, with reheating instructions. Guests will be provided with a three-course meal for this Supper Club. Entrée choices are Char-grilled fillet of Salmon, Chicken Saltimbocca with prosciutto, spinach and provolone cheese, and Eggplant Parmigiana topped with pomodoro, provolone, and Parmigiano-Reggiano cheese.

About Highfield Hall & Gardens Supper Clubs

Each Virtual Dinner Party will begin at 6:00 p.m. and will last approximately 60 – 90 minutes. One week prior to the event, you will receive a menu to choose your meal options. Your dinner and gift bag will arrive at your home prior to the start of the dinner party between 4:00 – 5:00 p.m. Your gift bag will include preparation instructions for your meal, Zoom instructions to participate online, an evening program, a special gift relevant to the evening.

To have your meal delivered, you must be within a 20-mile radius of Falmouth.

If you would like to participate in the event without receiving a meal, we are offering a discounted ticket price. If you would like to sign up for multiple dates, please email Lisa Walker for special discounted series subscription rates.

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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.

Gallery Hours:

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

The Gallery is now open Wednesday – Friday; 10 am – 4 pm & Saturday; 10 am – 2 pm