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Enjoy Fall Savings at Aventura Arts & Cultural Center with Discounted Tickets To Select Performances Going on Sale October 6

Offer is good for tickets purchased from October 6 - 20

AVENTURA – Enjoy fall savings at Aventura Arts & Cultural Center with a \$5 per ticket discount on single tickets to select performances, including an exceptional lineup of music, dance and comedy, as well as spellbinding acrobatics from China. The discounts apply to the performances below, **if purchased from October 6 through October 20.**

Back by popular demand, Jake Ehrenreich brings his hit musical comedy *A Jew Grows in Brooklyn* (January 24, 25, 26) to Aventura. Delving into his struggles with family, Ehrenreich takes the audience on a hilarious romp from the streets of Brooklyn to summers in the Catskills. The *New York Times* describes Ehrenreich's staged life story as "touching and funny – a lot like Billy Crystal's *700 Sundays*." Presented by Door To Door Generations, LLC and Arnold Unger Foundation for Remembrance, Inc.

Always...Patsy Cline (February 4) is a musical play/tribute to the legendary singer that includes the story of Cline's friendship with a fan from Houston who befriended Cline in a Texas honky-tonk and corresponded with the star until her tragic death in 1963. The show includes many of Cline's unforgettable hits, such as "Crazy," "I Fall to Pieces," "Sweet Dreams" and "Walking after Midnight."

Described as a modern-day folk trio inspired by the legacy of Peter, Paul & Mary and many other legends of 60s folk-rock, a **Band Called Honalee** (February 5) brings fresh harmonies to songs from the famed trio as well as the Beatles, the Byrds, Bob Dylan and more, to inspire new audiences and rekindle the passion of long-time fans.

Ballroom: South Beach Style (February 6), created in Miami, is a fast-paced dance extravaganza featuring an amazing musical score and talented dancers in gorgeous sequined costumes who perform all the intricacies of the salsa, merengue, rhumba, mambo and the jive.

West Coast Performing Arts presents **Hello Gorgeous! A Live Tribute to Barbara Streisand** (February 11). Actress/singer Rebecca Clark *becomes* the legendary superstar by performing many of Streisand's classic hits, including "The Way We Were" and "Evergreen," and through comedic dialogue and audience interaction recounts her amazing journey from the streets of Brooklyn to Hollywood and fame.

ABBA Mania (February 12) is an exhilarating, hit-filled recreation of the famed Swedish pop group's last live concert, featuring seven performers who don signature costumes and deliver a full two hours of ABBA hits, including "Dancing Queen," "Fernando," "Waterloo," "Take a Chance on Me" and "The Winner Takes It All."

During **Around the World in 80 Minutes with the Terry Barer Trio** (February 13), member of the multiple Grammy-winning ensemble Chanticleer and internationally acclaimed countertenor Barber and his soloist collaborators on piano and wind instruments will perform the world's most beloved melodies in ten languages, including "Danny Boy," "La Vie en Rose," "Besame Mucho," "Bridge over Troubled Water" and more.

Ben Vereen: *Steppin' Out Live with Ben Vereen* (February 14) is the celebrated performer's one man show, combining an homage to Broadway, Frank Sinatra and Sammy Davis Jr. with song and dance, humor and stories from Vereen's life. The *New York Times* states, "Mr. Vereen is an old-school song and dance man who never lets up. He wins you over with his sheer energy, good will and showbiz know-how."

Beginnings: A **Tribute to the Music of Chicago** (Feb 20) features the ultimate Chicago tribute band Beginnings, comprised of artists who have toured with Peter Frampton, Lynyrd Skynyrd, Brett Michaels and Constatine Maroulis. The concert features songs from the entire Chicago catalog, including "25 or 6 to 4," "Just You & Me," "Hard Habit To Break," "Look Away," "If You Leave Me Now" and more.

Brandon Rubendall, Adam Roberts and Jake Odmark, who first performed together in *Spider Man: Turn Off the Dark*, are now **Apollo Link: Broadway's Premiere Vocal Trio** and will take to the Aventura stage (February 25) blending original arrangements, impeccable harmonies and powerful vocals on popular hits.

The *New York Times* describes the **New Shanghai Circus** (February 28) as delivering "Feats of circus art that reach literally breathtaking heights of skill." Direct from China, this troupe has been wowing audiences for 16 years with astonishing athletics, defying gravity while fearlessly stretching the limits of human ability.

Ticketmaster is the only official ticketing service of the Broward Center, Aventura Arts & Cultural Center and affiliated venues. Buy tickets online at <u>aventuracenter.org</u>; by phone at 877-311-7469; in person at Ticketmaster outlets or at the Aventura Arts & Cultural Center box office Tuesday through Saturday from noon to 5 p.m. and 90 minutes prior to each performance. Know who you are buying from when you purchase tickets. We CANNOT PROVIDE REFUNDS OR CUSTOMER SERVICE for tickets purchased from

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