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BARNYARD SHOPPING VILLAGE HOSTS 18th ANNUAL ART & WINE FESTIVAL

Local boutique wineries, flavorful cuisine and unique works of art to be featured during outdoor festival

CARMEL, Calif. – June 14, 2007 — The Barnyard Shopping Village will host its **18th Annual Art & Wine Festival** on **Saturday, June 16 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m.** Guests will have the opportunity to enjoy local entertainment, stroll through the award-winning gardens, explore Barnyard shops, visit with local artisans, and pair delicious wines with the diverse world-class cuisine of the barnyard's restaurants and cafes.

This year's elegant affair is being coordinated by James Kellogg, food and beverage general manager of Tehama, and will feature music by Trusting Lucy, two local women from Pacific Grove who write their own original music, two unique automobiles on display courtesy of Barron Mercedes, a charity silent auction, 20 California premier wineries, and an exhibition of the works of well-known sculptor, Richard MacDonald, which will be showcased throughout the festival.

WHO: The Barnyard Shopping Village

WHAT: 18th Annual Art & Wine Festival, featuring Barnyard artisans and 20 Monterey County vintners. The flavorful world cuisine of The Barnyard restaurants will pair nicely with the variety of wines.

In addition, a silent auction will be held where participants may bid on items donated by participating wineries, artists, and Barnyard merchants. All silent auction proceeds will benefit **Girls, Inc.** and **The First Tee of Monterey County**.

WHERE: The Barnyard Shopping Village
3618 The Barnyard, Carmel, CA 93923
Near the intersection of Highway 1 and Carmel Valley Road

WHEN: Saturday, June 16, 2007
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.
Silent Auction will close at 4:30 p.m.

COST: Tickets are \$25 and sold only at the event

EVENT INFORMATION: For more information or questions, please call The Barnyard Shopping Village at 831.624.8886 or visit www.TheBarnyard.com.

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About the Barnyard Shopping Village

The Barnyard Shopping Village, built in Carmel in 1976, is a landmark on the Monterey Peninsula, featuring 50 merchants ranging from boutique shops, restaurants, office spaces, salons and art galleries. Owned by SIMA Barnyard, LLC and managed by SIMA Corporation, the Barnyard hosts many open-air events in its courtyards and is a popular meeting place for the community. For more information about the Barnyard Shopping Village visit www.TheBarnyard.com or call 831.624.8886.