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HGTV Star Designers Serve Up Home Entertaining Tips During 17th Epcot International Food & Wine Festival

Celebrities Appear Weekends at Festival Center from Sept. 28 through Nov. 12

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. – HGTV presents fresh home-entertaining ideas by celebrity designers each weekend at the Epcot International Food & Wine Festival presented by Chase Sept. 28 through Nov. 12. In each 30-minute noon seminar Friday through Sunday, designers will offer tips to festival guests on stylish table settings, perfect holiday gifts and other hot topics. Celebrities also will meet guests at 1 and 3 p.m. at the Vineyard Stage.

The HGTV celebrity lineup includes:

Sept. 28-30 – **Danielle Colding**, *HGTV Design Star winner*, Season 7, *Shop This Room.* Seminar topic: "Entertainment Passport: Your Ticket to Creating a Travel-Inspired Dining Experience."

Oct. 5-7 – **Casey Noble**, *Design on a Dime.* Seminar topic: "Gifts that Keep Giving: Holiday Favors that Double as Décor."

Oct. 12-14 – **Alison Victoria**, DIY Network's *Kitchen Crashers*. Seminar topic: "Crash Course for Holiday Décor."

Oct. 19-21 – **Brian Patrick Flynn**, HGTV.com, *Design Happens* contributor. Seminar topic: "Express Lane Elegance: Stylish Table Settings from Supermarket Finds."

Oct. 26-28 – **Meg Caswell**, *Meg's Great Rooms*. Seminar topic: "Entertaining in Style: Make It and Make It Fun."

Nov. 2-4 – **Marianne Canada**, HGTV.com Special Projects Editor. Seminar topic: "Handmade Goodies They Won't Regift."

Nov. 9-12 – **Emily Henderson**, *Secrets from a Stylist*. Seminar topic: "Create Holiday Memories: Style, Share and Preserve Those Family Photos & Cards."

The country's leading home and lifestyle television brand, HGTV offers an addictive blend of design and decorating to the 46-day festival at Walt Disney World Resort in Lake Buena Vista, Fla.

More information about the 17th annual Epcot International Food & Wine Festival is available by calling 407/WDW-FEST (939-3378) or by visiting ww.epcotfoodfestival.com.

<u>What's Included with Epcot Admission:</u>

HGTV Home Entertaining Seminars, Authentic Taste seminars, special book signings, **Eat to the Beat concerts**, Marketplace Discovery Passport and all attractions and park entertainment are included with regular Epcot admission.

Special Programming by Reservation:

The **Party for the Senses** grand tasting events and other special wine and culinary programs require reservations and separate event admission. Guests can call 407/WDW-FEST (939-3378) to make reservations. Information and reservations for select events and programs are at www.epcotfoodfestival.com.

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About HGTV:

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