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Front Door Agency Announces 28th Gourmet Festival and Auction
“There’s No Place Like Home.”

(Nashua, NH)-- *“There’s No Place Like Home!”* These memorable words from Dorothy inspired the Wizard of Oz theme for the Front Door Agency’s 28th Annual Gourmet Festival & Auction. A limited number of tickets are now available for this popular spring event taking place at the Nashua Country Club on March 20 beginning at 4 PM. To purchase tickets, visit gourmetfestival.eventbrite.com or call 603-886-2866.

The Gourmet Festival & Auction features delicious cuisine and fine spirits from more than 20 of the area’s best chefs and beverage vendors, as well as lively silent and live auctions. All proceeds from the evening benefit families in our community at risk of homelessness.

While Dorothy only had to “click her heels together three times” to magically arrive home, individuals and families facing homelessness in our area need more serious solutions to their challenges. Many turn for assistance to the Front Door Agency, whose programs offer real tools and support to individuals and families in crisis as they stabilize, transform and flourish.

The Gourmet Festival & Auction, the agency’s largest fundraiser of the year, features trips, tickets to sporting events and concerts, spa getaways and gift certificates from many area businesses. Included this year is the ever popular African photo safari trip plus a trip to Ireland with a rail or drive option; also, four tickets to a Kenny Chesney concert, two tickets to see Billy Joel at Madison Square Garden, and a luxurious weekend getaway to the Mt. Washington Hotel, among many other “must have” items. The entertaining live auction is presented by professional auctioneer John Terrio.

Participating restaurants, bakeries and beverage vendors include: Bertuccis, Buckley’s Steakhouse, Burton’s Grill, Celebrations Catering, Cruzin Cakes Shop, Cucina Toscana, Djinn Spirits, Fratello’s, Fredrick’s Pastries, Labelle Winery, MTs Local Kitchen, 110 Grill, Nashua Country Club, Nashua Community College, Not Your Average Joe’s, Pine State Beverage, Riverside Barbeque, Southern New Hampshire Wine & Spirits of New England, Sub Zero Ice Cream & Yogurt, Surf, Whole Foods Nashua, and You You’s Japanese Bistro.

The Gourmet Festival & Auction is made possible through the support of the Front Door Agency’s corporate partners: BAE Systems, Cityside Management, Triangle Credit Union, Bellwether Community Credit Union, Lowell Five, and MESH Agency. Media partners include The Telegraph and WMUR-TV; the United Way of Greater Nashua is a community partner.

Major gourmet event sponsors are **Emerald City:** RBC Wealth Management; **Caring Level:** Eastern Bank and Right Networks; **Courage Level:** Atlantic Parking Services, Christian Party Rental, Conway Office Solutions, Dartmouth-Hitchcock, Eaton & Berube Insurance, Enterprise Bank, J. Lawrence Hall, Loren Morse Electrical, The Harbor Group, NTI Data Products, St. Joseph's Hospital, Stanley Elevator, and UBS Financial; **Knowledge Level:** Charles Schwab, Flynn Construction, GM Roth, Frasca & Frasca, Hanover Insurance, Hunt Communities, Skillsoft, the Tamposi Foundation and Third Party Administrators. NH Healthy Families is the exclusive Yellow Brick Game sponsor.

Tickets to the Gourmet Festival can be purchased for \$100 per person. For more information, visit the event page at gourmetfestival.eventbrite.com or call (603) 886-2866. Gourmet Festival & Auction updates are also available at [Facebook.com/TheFrontDoorAgency](https://www.facebook.com/TheFrontDoorAgency).