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ENVIRONMENTAL NATURE CENTER TO HOST 4th ANNUAL SUMMER SOIREE FUNDRAISER

Evening Under the Stars will help raise funds for new Nature Preschool.

NEWPORT BEACH, Calif., May 23, 2017 - The Environmental Nature Center (ENC) will host a Summer Soiree fundraiser on Saturday June 10, 2017. The night will include cocktails & hors d'oeuvres served by the stream, dinner under the stars, live music, and a live auction - including the opportunity to release a rehabilitated owl into the wild.

The Summer Soiree is the ENC's largest fundraiser of the year. The event is expected to bring together more than 150 guests and raise funds to support the ENC's environmental education programs and help build the community's first nature-based preschool.

"The ENC is proud to host our annual Summer Soiree," said Bo Glover, ENC Executive Director. "This beautiful evening is a unique opportunity for our supporters to gather surrounded by nature to enjoy great food, great music, and great company while raising funds for our Nature Preschool."

Tickets are \$150 per person or \$1,500 per table. RSVP by June 2. For more information call (949) 645-8489 ext. 103 or visit our website at www.encenter.org.

About the ENC

Founded in 1972, the ENC is a fascinating combination of 15 California native plant communities, wildlife habitat, walking trails, and sustainably designed, LEED Platinum certified learning center. For over 40 years, the ENC has been shaped and caressed into a 5-acre landscape for learning, a sanctuary from life's pressures and a place of preservation and instruction. Serving over 21,000 students and thousands of visitors annually, the ENC is recognized as a leader in science and social science education providing opportunities for increasing our community's knowledge, understanding and appreciation of the natural world.

The ENC recently purchased property to develop a nature play area, and construct our community's first nature based preschool. With a mission of providing quality education through hands-on experience with nature, the ENC inspires all generations to protect the natural world by serving as our community's foremost authority on ecological responsibility, sustainable practices and environmental education. The ENC is a non-profit 501(c)-3 public benefit corporation. For more information call 949-645-8489, or visit www.ENCcenter.org. The ENC is located at 1601 16th St. in Newport Beach.

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