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**Entertainment the Perfect Accent to
Casa Pacifica Angels 16th Annual Wine & Food Festival**

Camarillo, CA - The upcoming Casa Pacifica Angels Wine & Food Festival on Sunday, June 7th, isn't just about a great afternoon of sampling excellent wines, microbrews, specialty foods, and other delectable fare from top wine and food purveyors from throughout the Central Coast. No, the first class event set in an idyllic courtyard of California State University Channel Island's campus will also offer some exciting, sexy, and make-you-want-to-shake-your-body entertainment that will have festival-goers dancing to the beat throughout the day.

Benise – an annual attraction in his own right to the fundraising festival that benefits Casa Pacifica Centers for Children and Families – will once again offer his steamy, smooth flamenco guitar rhythms guaranteeing that the wine and microbrews won't be the only thing getting the Festival attendees' blood racing. Benise's music is known for touching the hearts and souls of people of all ages, cultures, and diverse musical backgrounds through his captivating talent – pushing the boundaries of traditional Flamenco/Spanish guitar. Through his fiery melodies and high-energy rhythms, Benise completely captures his audience by weaving a stunning tapestry of emotions into their souls.

The Spazmatics will also be vibing their special retro sounds again this year. Judging by last year's enthusiastic crowd, and with the relaxing effects of good food and drink, this group of "cool, crazy, new-wave nerds that rock" will have the dance floor crammed from side-to-side once again as the festival attendees rock out to the ultimate 80s songs by artists such as Oingo Boingo, Duran Duran, Thomas Dolby, Billy Idol, and many, many more. A great show filled with crazy on-stage antics from band members Kevin (lead singer), Linus (guitar), S'yd (drums), and Curtis (bass) presented in a 'Weird Science,' 'Revenge of the Nerds' comedy-style, the Spazmatics are sure to bring unbridled exuberance and unbeatable fun well worth the price of admission.

A very special attraction for those guests who purchase VIP tickets is exclusive admission to the Four Seasons Hotel VIP Lounge which will be featuring the classy, smooth stylings of the band Sound Effect. This group artfully offers a varied blend of Rhythm & Blues, Jazz, Soul, Pop, and Funk music, something it has been doing at clubs around Ventura County as well as at private engagements, fairs, and fundraisers since 1978.

Casa Pacifica is a crisis-care and residential treatment facility for abused, neglected, or at-risk

children serving primarily Ventura and Santa Barbara counties. The agency is the largest non-profit provider of children's mental health services in those counties and, along with its campus-based programs, administers a number of community-based programs which are designed with the intent to strengthen families and keep children in their homes. For more information about Casa Pacifica visit its web site at www.casapacifica.org or call the Development Department at (805) 445-7800.