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2018 ARThritis Soirée - Tickets on Sale Now! An unforgettable night to benefit arthritis research!

January 22, 2018 (Vancouver, BC) – Get your tickets now! Don't miss out on a memorable night to support a great cause on May 17, 2018. The Roof at Hotel Vancouver is the place to be to help raise funds for Arthritis Research Canada and critically needed arthritis research. Early Bird tickets are now on sale for the 6th annual event at www.arthritissoiree.ca as are a limited number of VIP Meet & Greet ticket packages. VIP tickets include the unique opportunity to attend a pre-reception with this year's special guest and entertainer. Early bird pricing ends April 17th.

The ARThritis Soirée was created with the knowledge that art adds to one's wellbeing and is a great element in managing chronic disease on a holistic level. The event brings together those with an appreciation for art and a desire to support arthritis research. Each year, a new art form is introduced and Arthritis Research Canada is thrilled to have the theme of music for the 2018 ARThritis Soirée, presented by an amazing, Juno award-winning Canadian artist.

The ARThritis Soirée is presented as an elegant cocktail reception, allowing guests to circulate and network while enjoying fabulous hors d'oeuvres, champagne and wine, an amazing raffle, exciting live and silent auctions, and of course an unforgettable performance by this year's musical guest.

Arthritis Research Canada is grateful to have the continued support of City Square Shopping Centre as Presenting Sponsor. Naz Panahi, Vice President of City Square Holdings and Chair of the Arthritis Soirée, believes the Soirée is an excellent opportunity to elevate the level of awareness about arthritis to substantially increase the funding to support research: Panahi says, "With arthritis affecting more than 5.6 million Canadians, we need to continue to raise much needed funds to find answers and save lives through research."

Please join us with your support for a fabulous evening to benefit arthritis research. For more information on the ARThritis Soirée, visit www.arthritissoiree.ca.

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About ARTHRITIS RESEARCH CANADA:

Arthritis Research Canada is the largest clinical arthritis research centre in North America. Our mission is to transform the lives of people living with arthritis through research and engagement. Led by world-renowned rheumatologist, Dr. John Esdaile, Arthritis Research Canada's scientific team of 70 are creating a future where people living with arthritis are empowered to triumph over

pain and disability. Each of the three centres in BC, Alberta and Quebec are conducting leading research in arthritis prevention, early diagnosis, and treatment and quality of life issues.

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