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JAKE OWEN AND FRIENDS CIRCLE UP TO BENEFIT THE JAKE OWEN FOUNDATION ON FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11th

Intimate Acoustic Concert To Be Held At The Riverside Theatre In Vero Beach, FL

Proceeds To Benefit Indian River County Youth Organizations

Vero Beach, Fla. – Country music star and Vero Beach native **Jake Owen** will return home to Vero Beach, FL December 11, 2015 for an intimate performance at the Riverside Theatre, event host partner, to benefit the Jake Owen Foundation. The special evening will feature an acoustic set by Jake along with soon-to-be-announced special guests, in support of his mission to help youth organizations in Indian River County.

“I always look forward to coming home for the holidays and it is such a gift to be able to share this special evening with the Vero community and join together to support these incredible local charities,” shares Jake Owen. “And, we won’t stop here. I’m already getting excited for the big outdoor benefit show in 2016!”

Tickets for the Evening with Jake Owen and Friends **go on sale Monday, November 23rd at 10:00 a.m.** Tickets for the show start at \$50. To purchase tickets, call 772.231.6990 or visit <http://www.riversidetheatre.com/JakeOwen>. Tickets are limited. Sponsorship opportunities are available. Please phone C & H Events at 561.394.9190.

Founded in 2010, the Jake Owen Foundation was created to offer its support on a national level to children battling cancer and other childhood diseases through St. Jude’s Children’s Hospital while also lending its support to youth organizations and various charities in Owen’s hometown area of Indian River County, Fla. The local organizations benefiting from the foundation’s annual concert assist youth with illnesses, shelter, food, education, health and fitness, the arts and the opportunity to better themselves through various programs and organizations.

Amongst the organizations benefiting from the Evening with Jake Owen and Friends is host partner Riverside Theatre, Inc. Riverside Theatre, Florida's largest professional, independent producing, non-profit theatre, is committed to providing a total theatre arts experience that entertains, challenges, and educates both adults and children. Riverside Theatre is home to one of Florida's largest performing arts training programs for children, Riverside Children's Theatre, offering classes and performance opportunities year round.

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Jake Owen ascended to stardom with five #1 smashes - the 2X PLATINUM anthem “Barefoot Blue Jean Night,” PLATINUM-certified hits “Beachin’,” “Anywhere with You,” “Alone with You,” “The One That Got Away” and the critically acclaimed “What We Ain’t Got.” Owen’s latest hit “Real Life” released to rave reviews with *Entertainment Weekly* hailing the progressive song as “infectious.” The RCA Nashville recording artist is currently in the studio with award-winning producers Shane McAnally and Ross Copperman working on his fifth studio album due out in 2016. The upcoming project follows *DAYS OF GOLD* and the GOLD-certified, chart-topping *BAREFOOT BLUE JEAN NIGHT*, which has sold well over 5 million tracks to date. Previously taking home ACA and ACM Awards, the Vero Beach, FL native has earned GRAMMY and TEEN CHOICE Awards nominations. Known for his thrilling performances and laid-back style of country, he is just off his run on Kenny Chesney’s BIG REVIVAL Tour 2015 and will be playing major festivals and fairs throughout the fall. For tour dates and more, visit www.JakeOwen.net. Reach out to him on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#), and [Instagram](#).

The 2016 Jake Owen Foundation Benefit Concert will be the ninth concert over 11 years and will continue the successful history of increasing awareness and raising revenues for the Foundations’ mission to assist youth nationwide through **St. Jude Children’s Research Hospital** and in Indian River County through **Boys & Girls Club of Indian River County**, **Hibiscus Children’s Center**, the **Mardy Fish Foundation** and other local charities. The 2014 event successfully raised more than \$200,000, with more than 80% of funds raised remaining in Indian River County and first-time donations made to following five local charities in addition to the concert’s annual beneficiaries -- the **Youth Guidance Donation Fund of Indian River County Inc.**, **Indian River Golf Foundation**, **Scholarship Foundation of Indian River County**, **Education Foundation of Indian River County Inc.** and **Florida Institute of Technology’s Scott Center for Autism Treatment**.

For further information about Evening with Jake Owen and Friends, call C & H Events at 561.394.9190. For more information on the Jake Owen Foundation visit www.jakeowen.net/charity.

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