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TASTE OF SOUTH COBB A MAJOR FUNDRAISER FOR C.A.M.P AND AMATEUR ADVOCATE ASSOCIATION

[Smyrna, GA]. Join us for the Taste of South Cobb, a major fundraiser for two of the South Cobb area's non-profits, on November 16th at the Mable House Barnes Amphitheater. The Taste of South Cobb benefits C.A.M.P. a food pantry serving over 800 hundred families per month with groceries, clothing and utility assistance, as well as Amateur Advocate Association, a group responsible for the positive guidance of youth and community. The Event is being supported by the South Cobb Arts Alliance, whose mission of is to build our community by encouraging appreciation and active participation in the visual arts, performing arts and local heritage.

Amateur Advocate Association and C.A.M.P host several programs to raise the funds needed to continue their contributions to local residents, such as the Spring Chicken Run and Mableton Day. The Taste of South Cobb, however, is a collaboration of the two organizations to make a greater impact in the community. One hundred percent of net proceeds from the Event go to the groups. "Because of the great demand, particularly around the holidays, we hope to attract the kind of attention and patronage during this Festival to help more families and children in distress," says Albert McRae III, co-founder and president of Amateur Advocate Association.

The line up of the Taste will include a **First Responders Cook-off**, when local firefighters, EMS and police engage in a food battle for the 501c3s. **Executive Chef Eric Spivey** sponsors the **WellStar Cobb Hospital Eat Well with Farm Fresh Foods**. More activities of the event include the customary **Taste Row**, highlighting local restaurants and caterers; a **Coca-Cola Pavilion**; the **South Cobb Arts Alliance Kids Corner** with karaoke, Make It and Take It and first responders training; **Wine Tasting**; **Corporate** and **Small Business Vendors**; plus a Full **Lunch and Dinner Concert on the Amph**, featuring local and regional acts. The hours of the Taste of South Cobb are 11 am - 7 pm on Saturday, November 16, 2013.

For more information or to become a sponsor, vendor or volunteer for the Taste of South Cobb, please contact us 770-944-7005.

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