



49ers Foundation to Host Winter Fest

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The San Francisco 49ers are heading to the snowy slopes of Olympic Valley, CA, where current players, coaches, alumni, Winter Olympians and 49ers Foundation supporters will come together for the 12th Annual Winter Fest, a world-class charity event at the luxurious Resort at Squaw Creek, March 22-25.

A wide array of participants, including Team Owner John York, General Manager Trent Baalke, and Head Coach Jim Harbaugh will be in attendance to support the 49ers Foundation and this year's spotlighted beneficiary City Year San Jose/Silicon Valley. They will be joined by Olympic figure skater Peggy Fleming, Olympic skiers Kristen Clark-Richenbach, Greg Jones, and Jeff Hamilton, and Olympic curlers John Benton and Tracy Sachtjen.

The exclusive weekend features a Chalk Talk presented by the 49ers coaching staff and players, a food and wine pairing, or cupcake tasting for the young-at-heart, as well as bonfire S'mores with the 49ers Gold Rush Girls. In addition, those in attendance can participate in a skate-along with Peggy Fleming, a Curling 101 session and enjoy first-class dining, auctions and live entertainment throughout the weekend.

The event also showcases the finest wineries from Napa and Sonoma Counties. The following wineries will pour at wine tastings throughout the weekend: Araujo Estate Wines, Bennett Lane Winery, Bespoke Collection, Ferrari Carano Vineyards & Winery, Juslyn Vineyards, Kapcsandy Family Winery, Papapietro Perry Winery, Pride Mountain Vineyards, Stewart Cellars, Terra Valentine, Williams Selyem Winery, D.R. Stephens Estate, Joseph Phelps Vineyards, Kosta Browne Winery, Mi Sueno Winery, Revana Family Vineyard, Robert Foley Vineyards, Roy Estate, Spring Mountain Vineyard, Switchback Ridge, Tusk Estates, and William Cole Vineyards.

More on the 49ers Foundation

The San Francisco 49ers Foundation is the non-profit community funding extension of the San Francisco 49ers. Now in its 20th year, the 49ers Foundation supports development programs for underserved youth that keep them Safe, On Track, and In School. The San Francisco 49ers are promoting RESPECT for schools and community by donating a significant portion of the Foundation's funding toward family violence prevention programs and activities that teach youth leadership and respect. Since 1992, the Foundation has donated over \$16 million to support non-profits, including \$2.4 million in 2011.