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Grammy Award Winners Judy Collins and Tom Paxton Come to the Weinberg Center



FREDERICK, MD, November 4, 2021 — <u>An Evening with Judy Collins, Tom Paxton and The Don Juans</u> brings the longtime friends together for a rare concert event at the Weinberg Center for the Arts in Frederick, Maryland on Saturday, December 4, 2021 at 8:00 PM.

This event is presented by Key West Productions and F.A.M.E. Tickets start at \$55 and may be purchased online at <u>WeinbergCenter.org</u>, by calling the box office at 301-600-2828, or in person at 20 West Patrick Street.

Judy Collins has inspired audiences with sublime vocals, boldly vulnerable songwriting, personal life triumphs and a firm commitment to social activism. In the 1960's she evoked both the idealism and steely determination of a generation united against social and environmental injustices. Five decades later, her luminescent presence shines brightly as new generations bask in the glow of her iconic 50-album body of work. Judy Collins' award winning career includes such hits as Send in the Clowns, Chelsea Morning, Amazing Grace, Some Day Soon, Both Sides Now and so many more. Grammy Lifetime Achievement Award winner and folk icon, Tom Paxton, teams up with the Grammy award-winning singer/songwriter duo The Don Juans. Collectively their songs have been covered by performers such as John Mellencamp, Miranda Lambert, Neil Diamond, Ray Charles, Pete Seeger, John Denver, Faith Hill, Blake Shelton, and Bob Dylan. Within days of writing and making music together, Paxton and The Don Juans (Don Henry and Jon Vezner) knew they were on to something special. Paxton provides vocals and stories as well as plays the guitar; Henry provides vocals and plays the guitar, ukulele and banjo; and Vezner provides vocals and plays the piano, guitar and ukulele. For your convenience below is a link to photos of the artists. <u>https://bit.ly/Collins\_Paxton\_images</u>

A complete listing of artists and performers scheduled for the 2021-2022 season can be found at <u>WeinbergCenter.org</u>.

## ABOUT THE WEINBERG CENTER FOR THE ARTS

The Weinberg Center for the Arts is one of the region's premier performing arts presenters, offering film, music, dance, theater, and family-focused programming. Located in the historic Tivoli movie theater in downtown Frederick Maryland, the Weinberg Center strives to ensure that the arts remain accessible and affordable to local and regional audiences alike. Weinberg Center events are made possible with major support from the City of Frederick, the Maryland State Arts Council, Plamondon Hospitality Partners, and other corporate and individual donors.