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Hollywood Happy Hour Returns with Holiday Bash

Popular industry event comes back in style

Hollywood, Calif., Oct. 22, 2009—After a one-year hiatus, **Cricket Feet, Inc.**, is partnering with **The Basham Company** to create a special **Hollywood Happy Hour (HHH)** event for the holiday season. The entertainment industry schmoozefest will bring together hundreds of professionals from every aspect of the entertainment business for socializing and libations.

The **HHH Holiday Bash** will begin at 6pm on **Tuesday, November 10, 2009**, at restaurant/bar *Life on Wilshire*, in the heart of Los Angeles at Wilshire Boulevard and Crescent Heights Boulevard. The party will continue until the staff of *Life* sends everyone packing!

"We're ecstatic to bring **HHH** back for the holiday season, and especially thrilled to align with Ryan at **The Basham Company** to do so," said **Bonnie Gillespie**, **Hollywood Happy Hour** co-founder, casting director, author, and CEO of **Cricket Feet, Inc.**

"*Life on Wilshire* is one of my favorite hangouts in LA, and there's no better place to bring people together before the holiday hiatus," said **Ryan Basham**, producer and CEO of **The Basham Company**. "I can't wait to kick off this party with **Cricket Feet!**"

HHH guests will enjoy happy hour-priced drinks all evening, including \$20 margarita pitchers, \$25 mojito pitchers, and \$2 off all regularly-priced drinks. The kitchen will also be open all night, with loads of **HHH**-priced specials.

Hollywood Happy Hour has been hosting industry mixers, panels, and meet-and-greets since 2003. The event series was co-founded by **Bonnie Gillespie**, international celebrity reporter **Nelson Aspen**, and television host/spokesperson **Kristyn Burtt**.

Just a few of the previous guests of **HHH** have been executive producer **Greer Shephard**; casting directors **Mary-Rachel Foot**, **Michael Donovan**, **Francine Selkirk**, **Michelle Metzner**, and **Luke Yankee**; agents **Stella Archer** and **Janet Tscha**; actors **Blake Robbins**, **Cindy Margolis**, **Kaya Wittenberg**, **Jason Stuart**, **Stephon Fuller**, **Julie Stevens**, **Melissa Paull**, **Bob Oschack**, **Fred Goss**, and **James Hong**; entertainment reporters **Ken Baker**, **Craig Tomashoff**, **Thom DeLorenzo**, and **Louise Pennell**; filmmakers **Daniel Waters** and **JD DiSalvitore**; celebrity jewelry designer **Jonathan Arndt**; industry entrepreneur **Gary Marsh**; and celebrity hairstylist **José Eber**.

Space at *Life on Wilshire* is limited, and a PayPal payment of \$5 per person is required to secure a spot on the priority guest list. Guests can RSVP at www.hollywoodhappyhour.com.