



PROCEEDS BENEFIT HARVEST FOR HUNGER



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**24<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL "MARKET AT THE FOOD BANK"**  
**SETS THE TABLE FOR GREAT FOOD & FUN!**

CLEVELAND, OH - Mark your calendar for the Greater Cleveland Food Bank's premier event, **Market at the Food Bank**, which will take place on **Sunday, April 28, from 6-8:30 p.m. at the Greater Cleveland Food Bank**. The event benefits the annual Harvest for Hunger campaign, a 21-county food and funds drive, coordinated by the Greater Cleveland Food Bank and is presented by PNC Bank - Cleveland and Medical Mutual.

The event will take place in the Greater Cleveland Food Bank's 128,000 square-foot community food distribution center, giving guests and donors the opportunity to see how their contributions make the Food Bank's mission possible.

Approximately 1,000 guests will spend the evening sampling superb cuisine and delicious wines from nearly 50 of Cleveland's premier restaurants and beverage purveyors. There will also be a silent auction & chance raffle, including fabulous restaurant and unique entertainment packages. Enjoy live entertainment and an opportunity to attend one of Cleveland's most talked about parties while helping support local hunger relief efforts. (See attached list of restaurants confirmed to date.)

A general admission ticket to the benefit, \$125 per person, entitles you to the wide array of fine food and drink. Or treat yourself by purchasing a VIP ticket at \$200 per person. This ticket gives you entrance into an exclusive VIP reception from 5-6 p.m. that will include first-look at the auction, hand passed hors d'oeuvres as well as a special seated area just for VIPs.

Tickets to Market at the Food Bank may be purchased online at [www.GreaterClevelandFoodBank.org/Market](http://www.GreaterClevelandFoodBank.org/Market) or by calling 216-738-2139.

**REGARDING DAY-OF COVERAGE FOR MARKET AT THE FOOD BANK:** Single media passes will be issued to working media covering Greater Cleveland Food Bank's Market at the Food Bank fundraising event. **Please register by replying to this email no later than Thursday, April 25, 2019.** Information about the event (where to park, enter, check in, etc.) will be sent to those who register their credentials.

***About the Greater Cleveland Food Bank***

The Greater Cleveland Food Bank is celebrating 40 years of service to the community in 2019. It is the largest hunger relief organization in Northeast Ohio having provided more than 57 million meals in FY2018 to hungry people in Cuyahoga, Ashtabula, Geauga, Lake, Ashland and Richland counties. Our mission is working together to ensure that everyone in our communities has the nutritious food they need every day. We do this through both food distribution and SNAP outreach efforts.

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## 2019 Restaurants and Beverage Purveyors

The Berea Depot	Miceli Dairy Products Company
Beverage Distributors	Mitchell's Homemade Ice Cream
CLE Urban Winery	Muldoon's Saloon & Eatery
Debonne Vineyards	Nomad Culinary Catering
Easley Winery	Orlando Banking Company
EDWINS Leadership and Restaurant Institute	Pearl of the Orient Restaurant
Fantasy Candies Chocolate Factory and Fine Wines	Perfectly Imperfect Produce
Geraci's Restaurant	Pope's Kitchen
The Greatroom at Cleveland Marriott Downtown at Key Tower	Private Reserve Fine Wines
The Grocery	Reggae Wines
Heidelberg Distributors	The Sanson Company
Hilton Garden Inn & 700 BETA Banquet & Conference Center	Shoreby Club
Hospitality Center of Excellence Cuyahoga Community College	Starbucks Coffee Company
Landmark	Strip Steakhouse
LockKeepers	Sushi 86
Lutheran Metropolitan Ministries	Tito's Handmade Vodka
Mama Roberto's	TownHall
Market District Strongsville	University Hospitals   Sodexo Healthcare Services
Market Garden Brewery	West Side Market Cafe
Melt Bar and Grilled	The Woods Restaurant and Lounge
	Zack Bruell Restaurant Group

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