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COCACABANA: ELECTRIC OASIS TO SUPPORT ARTS EDUCATION & SCHOLARSHIPS FOR COCA STUDENTS

COCA annual fundraiser to be held Friday, April 28

ST. LOUIS (April 24, 2023)—More than 500 business and community leaders are expected to attend COCAcabana 2023: Electric Oasis on Friday, April 28, at COCA. As COCA's annual fundraiser, COCAcabana sustains COCA's work throughout the community, which provides arts programming in schools without access to arts education and offers scholarships for students to participate in COCA programs. Accounting for nearly 20 percent of COCA's annual contributed revenue, COCAcabana is crucial to continuing this vital work. Stifel is the Presenting Sponsor.

WHAT: COCAcabana 2023: Electric Oasis

WHEN: Friday, April 28, 2023

WHERE: COCA, 6880 Washington Avenue, St. Louis, MO 63130

PHOTO 5:30PM | VIP Arrival OPPORTUNITIES: 6:00PM | Patron Arrival

7:00PM | Student Performances & Live Auction 8:30PM | Dinner & Live Music by FatPocket 10:00PM | Silent Disco & Food Trucks

EVENT WEBSITE: cocastl.org/cocacabana-event/

TICKETS: Event tickets may be purchased online at electricoasis.givesmart.com/

PHOTOS: High-resolution photos available (after the event) upon request.

LEADERSHIP: COCAcabana 2023 Chairs: Tiffany & Bill Bradley, Elizabeth & Tyler Cain, Lydia & Josh

Bledsoe, Betsy & Colin Toney; Alumni Chair: Rodney Hamilton

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ABOUT COCA

COCA's mission is to *enrich lives* and *build* community through the arts. With a commitment to equity and access, COCA serves as a regional hub for learning in and through the arts for all ages from all backgrounds. One of the most diverse cultural institutions in St. Louis, COCA serves more than 50,000 students, audience members, artists, and families from more than 200 zip codes across the St. Louis region every year. The fourth largest multi-disciplinary arts organization in the country, COCA is committed to supporting the vitality and creativity of more than 200 artists at the heart of their work in schools, community centers, local business, cultural organizations, and onsite at its campus in University City.