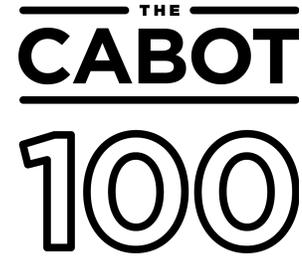


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The Cabot to Host Online Auction for Cabot 100 *Items for bid include private MFA Tour with Rose-Marie and Eijk van Otterloo*

(Beverly, MA – November 20, 2020) The Cabot is pleased to announce it will be hosting an online silent auction in conjunction with its 100th anniversary celebration. Bidding is now open and will close at approximately 10:00pm on Thursday, December 3rd. The auction can be accessed at <https://cabot.cbo.io>.

Items up for auction include a private tour for a group of ten people with lunch at the Museum of Fine Arts with Rose-Marie and Eijk van Otterloo of their Dutch art collection; an aerial tour of the North Shore; a Super Bowl party at The Cabot; and an original painting by Beverly artist Andrew Houle, among other items.

“We are incredibly grateful to all the folks who have helped contribute items for our silent auction, especially to Rose-Marie and Eijk van Otterloo for donating their time for a tour of their world famous collection,” said J. Casey Soward, Executive Director of The Cabot. “Though we are saddened that we cannot host everyone at the theater, funds from the auction will be going directly to support our reopening. The show will go on!”

Also on this page, attendees will have the option to purchase a specialty cocktail kit to be delivered to their home to raise a glass in celebration. The event will pay homage to the five founders who brought The Cabot back to life in 2014 after it had been for sale for over a year: Henry Bertolon, Bill Howard, Rich Marino, Thad Siemasko, and Paul Van Ness. Each cocktail kit has been named after one of the founders and includes both ingredients and glassware. A mocktail offering will also be available for purchase. Cabot 100 merchandise can also be purchased from this page.

The Cabot 100 anniversary celebration will be held virtually on Thursday, December 3rd beginning at 7:00pm. Free and open to the public, the evening will feature musical performances from several artists, including James Taylor, Grace Potter, Fantastic Negrito, Rodriguez, and John Hiatt, with more to be announced. More information on the event, including RSVP, can be found at thecabot.org/cabot100celebration.

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About The Cabot

For a century, The Cabot in Beverly has been a local treasure, a dream palace at the heart of the downtown, and a welcoming gathering place for generations of North Shore residents. Originally known as The Ware, this opulent, neoclassical-style theater was built in 1920 by the renowned architectural firm Funk & Wilcox. Originally used for vaudeville shows and silent movies, it was later owned by the movie chain E.M. Loews. In 1976, The Cabot was purchased by Le Grand David and his own Spectacular Magic Company, and for the next 36 years was home to this world-famous magic show. The Cabot is now being transformed into a 21st century venue for audiences of all ages, with nationally recognized live performers, current and classic movies and community events. Since its reopening in November 2014, The Cabot is once again a vital part of the North Shore's artistic life. The Cabot is celebrating its 100th anniversary in 2020. visit <https://thecabot.org>.