

# NEWS RELEASE

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## **JOHN CLEESE**

## LIVE ON STAGE FOR CONVERSATION AND Q&A AFTER A SCREENING OF *MONTY PYTHON AND THE HOLY GRAIL* COMING TO THE HANOVER THEATRE SUNDAY, JUNE 9 at 7:30 PM!



## Tickets on sale now!

**Worcester, Mass. (April 17, 2024)** Living comedy legend, JOHN CLEESE, is heading in your general direction for a live and truly unforgettable evening of conversation and audience Q&A on **Sunday, June 9 at 7:30 PM** at <u>The Hanover Theatre and Conservatory for the Performing</u> <u>Arts</u>. Absurd and/or ridiculous questions only, please. A limited number of VIP tickets will be available which include a photo opportunity with John. Tickets start at \$52.75 and are on sale now at <u>TheHanoverTheatre.org</u>, the box office or by phone at <u>877.571.7469</u>.\*\*\*

John will tell stories of his life and career, and you just may finally find out the air-speed of an unladen swallow. Before John silly walks his way onto the stage, the excitement will build as the audience will get to watch *Monty Python and the Holy Grail* in its entirety on the big screen.

Don't miss your chance to see the man who has achieved nothing short of comedy royalty in this thrill-of-a lifetime evening.

\*\*\*Coconuts NOT included in the ticket price.

### **About John Cleese**

On the small screen, John Cleese is known for his work on programs such as "Cheers", "3rd Rock from the Sun", "Will & Grace" and the Emmy<sup>®</sup>-nominated TLC documentary "The Human Face with John Cleese". His film credits include "Silverado", "The Out-of-Towners", "Rat Race" and Kenneth Branagh's "Frankenstein". He also co-authored two best-selling books on psychology – "Families and How to Survive Them and Life and How to Survive It" – and served briefly as Minister of Defense in the John Major Cabinet. He recently completed his autobiography "So, Anyway…" which was described by the Daily Mail as "self-obsessed." In his twilight years, John passes his time writing film scripts, giving speeches to business audiences, doing seminars on creativity, teaching at Cornell, paying alimony, and doting on three huge cats and a fish.

### **About Mills Entertainment**

Mills Entertainment Mills Entertainment, a live entertainment content studio, collaborates with top talent and property holders to create unforgettable live experiences. With full global distribution and partnerships worldwide, our specialty is taking shows from concept to stage, serving as the complete solution in realizing the vision. <u>www.millsentertainment.com</u>

### About The Hanover Theatre and Conservatory for the Performing Arts

Since opening in 2008, The Hanover Theatre has entertained more than two million guests with Broadway musicals, comedy headliners, music, dance and more. POLLSTAR consistently ranks The Hanover Theatre as one of the top theatres in the world. The award-winning historic theatre continues to establish its place as a world-class center for the performing arts, a venue for local cultural and civic organizations and a catalyst for the revitalization of downtown Worcester. The Hanover Theatre's facilities at 551 Main Street house function spaces, offices and The Hanover Theatre Conservatory.

Worcester Center for Performing Arts, a registered not-for-profit 501(c)(3) organization, owns and operates The Hanover Theatre and Conservatory for the Performing Arts (THT) and, on behalf of the Worcester Cultural Coalition (WCC), manages Worcester's BrickBox Theater at the Jean McDonough Arts Center (JMAC). All <u>donations</u> are tax deductible to the fullest extent allowed by law.

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