



MEDIA ADVISORY
October 4, 2021

Dolores Huerta Foundation hosts 16th Annual Richard E. Chavez Celebrity Golf Classic

What: Golf Classic Tournament Press Conference

Who: Civil Rights Leader Dolores Huerta, Executive Director Camila Chavez

When: Friday, October 8, **11:30 AM P.T. Press Conference**, 12 PM P.T. Shotgun Start

Where: 5201 Riverlakes Dr, Bakersfield, CA 93312

***Participants must wear masks and practice social distancing protocols.

Celebrities Confirmed to Appear:

Dennis Leoni - Award-winning Executive Producer, Writer, and Director known for Resurrection Blvd, Covington Cross, and Los Americans.

Joey Medina - Comedian, Director, and Producer known for The Original Latin Kings of Comedy, Loco Comedy Jam, and The Matador.

Geoffrey Rivas - Actor and Producer, known for playing Rudy in La Bamba, Powwow Highway, and Sam Vega on CSI: Crime Scene Investigation.

Jay Montalvo - Actor and Producer, best known for Get Shorty, S.W.A.T., and The Onion Movie.

Background: The Dolores Huerta Foundation hosts its annual Golf Classic honoring Richard E. Chavez, UFW Labor Leader and Founder of the Golf Classic. Proceeds from this year's event will go towards the construction of the Dolores Huerta Peace and Justice Cultural Center, a multicultural community center complex, covering an entire city block in downtown Bakersfield. The DHPJCC will draw tourists and revitalize small businesses in the area and include an auditorium, outdoor event center, early child development center, and a community organizing leadership academy. The Dolores Huerta Foundation has chosen to locate the Peace and Justice cultural center in downtown Bakersfield as part of its long-term commitment to revitalize the Eye St. Corridor.

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