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## WARTBURG LIGHTS THE NIGHT WITH 12TH ANNUAL JAZZ IN JUNE RED CARPET GALA FEATURING JB SMOOVE AND A STAR-STUDED GUEST LIST!

**Mount Vernon, NY** – Wartburg, an award-winning provider of comprehensive senior residential and healthcare services, marked their 12th Annual Jazz in June fundraiser on June 12, 2024, with an air of elegance and sophistication. The Red Carpet-inspired gala unfolded at the esteemed VIP Country Club in New Rochelle, graced by nearly 300 guests and supported by 55 sponsors. This year's event showcased acclaimed talents including Emmy Award-winning actor and comedian JB Smoove, complemented by tributes to icons such as Barbara Streisand, Joan Rivers, and James Brown.

The celebration honored several of Wartburg's community partners. Dr. William T. Smith, accepting on behalf of Aging in America, was awarded the Partners in Building Award. Tom & Margaret Roth were awarded the Volunteer Service Award. George Burns, accepting on behalf of Magna Dry, was awarded the Corporate Partner Award. Sr. Laura Donovan, accepting on behalf of the Divine Compassion Community, was awarded the Partners in Mission Award.

"We are grateful to our many partners who enable us to continue to provide quality service and allow us to build to meet the needs of our community," said President David J. Gentner, Ed.D. "It was such a fun evening – and real pleasure to present Aging In America & Dr. William T. Smith with the Partners in Building award for their financial support of the Waltemade adaptive reuse project."

Major sponsors for Jazz in June 2024 included Alzheimer's Association, New York-Presbyterian, Westchester Community Health Center, Sisters of the Divine Compassion, American Mobile Concrete, Aging in America, Morrison Community Living, David & Jacqueline Gentner, Michael & Cathleen Holden, Ulrich J. (Rick) and Noreen Rosa, Tom & Margaret Roth, PharmScript LLC, Norton Rose Fulbright, Parker Jewish Institute, Montefiore Mount Vernon, Montefiore New Rochelle, Gallagher Insurance, Magna-Dry, and Burke Rehabilitation Hospital.

"We could not be more thankful for the outpouring of support from the community through our Jazz in June gala," said Rose Cappa Rotunno, Vice President of Institutional Advancement at Wartburg. "I am so thankful for the many sponsors and volunteers who



helped make the event successful. Wartburg is an amazing facility, and this support will enable us to continue to serve our community in the best way possible.”

### **About Wartburg**

Nestled in Westchester County, NY, Wartburg stands apart with its holistic approach to senior living and healthcare. Unlike traditional retirement communities, Wartburg offers a vibrant 34-acre campus where residents enjoy integrated services that extend well beyond typical care. Whether it's independent living, award-winning nursing home care, or personalized home services, Wartburg's continuum of care is designed to meet diverse needs with excellence. Their dedication to families extends beyond medical care, providing robust caregiver support at every stage. Recognized as one of the "Best Nursing Homes in New York State" by U.S. News & World Report for a remarkable twelve years running, Wartburg continues to set the standard in senior care, fostering a community where well-being thrives.

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Jazz in June 2024 Honorees

George Burns, Magna Dry, Tom and Margaret Roth, Sr. Laura Donovan, Sisters of the Divine Compassion, and Dr. William T. Smith, Aging in America



Dr. David J. Gentner, Wartburg and JB Smoove