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## CONSERVATORY'S WEDDING SHOWCASE IS ONE-STOP SHOP FOR WEDDING INSPIRATION

Columbus, Ohio—On Friday, January 26, 2018 from 6–9pm, couples across central Ohio can visit Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens to preview venue spaces and meet over 40 select vendors representing the best of the wedding industry.

The Wedding Showcase provides a unique opportunity for couples to view the Conservatory's distinctive spaces at night. The Conservatory offers a range of venues to accommodate any event size and style. From the rustic-meets-refined Wells Barn to the warm and tropical John F. Wolfe Palm House, guests will experience each venue's unique aesthetic.

While touring central Ohio's premier wedding venue, couples can sample exquisite cuisine, wedding cakes and favors, decadent wines and bubbly. The Conservatory's Event Sales & Catering Department hand-selected the vendors represented at the Wedding Showcase, curating a collection of high-quality professionals to help make each couple's dream wedding a reality.

From wedding photography to dance instruction, every detail of a couple's big day is covered at the Conservatory's Wedding Showcase. Preview designer fashion trends, floral arrangements, decor options and more. The event also includes musical entertainment, a photo booth and a chance to win fabulous prizes! Visit <a href="www.fpconservatory.org/weddings">www.fpconservatory.org/weddings</a> to learn more. Registration recommended. Tickets (per person) are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door.

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Franklin Park Conservatory and Botanical Gardens offers botanical collections, art and nature-based exhibitions, plant shows, and educational programs for all ages. Situated in an 88-acre urban park, the Conservatory features the historic 1895 John F. Wolfe Palm House and 83,000 square feet of glasshouses, classrooms, and meeting and event spaces. The Conservatory owns a signature collection of glass artwork by Dale Chihuly. Light Raiment II, a permanent installation by internationally recognized light artist James Turrell, illuminates the John F. Wolfe Palm House every evening from dusk until dawn.