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Limited Number of Show-Only Tickets for "An Evening with Brian Stokes Mitchell" Are Now Available for \$95



October 17, 2011 (Palm Springs, CA) – A limited amount of tickets for the Annenberg Theater's upcoming *An Evening with Brian Stokes Mitchell* are now available at the theater's Box Office for just \$95. This performance is a benefit to support the Annenberg Theater and is the opening act for the 2011-2012 season. Tickets for the performance and après concert dinner, where Mr. Mitchell will be on hand to meet the public, are also still available for \$295 (\$265 for Annenberg Theater council members). To reserve tickets for the show or the show and reception, call the theater's Box Office at 760-325-4490 or go to annenbergtheater.org.

About the Performance An Evening with Brain Stokes Mitchell, Saturday, November 19, 2011, 6 p.m.

Dubbed "The Last Leading Man on Broadway" by the *New York Times*, Mitchell will perform with his band on the stage of the Annenberg Theater at the Palm Springs Art Museum. The annual "Opening Night" benefit performance is presented by the museum's Annenberg Theater Council (ATC) and all proceeds raised will go to directly supporting the theatrical programming for the 2011-2012 season. Tickets for this event are \$295 (\$265 for ATC members) and can be purchased through the Annenberg Theater Box office at 760-325-4490 or at annenbergtheater.org. A reception with dinner honoring Mr. Mitchell will follow immediately after the concert in the museum.

Additional Annenberg Theater performances this season include:

Christine Ebersole, Friday, December 2, 2011, 8 p.m.

Freda Payne, Saturday, January 21, 2012, 8 p.m.

Callaway Sisters, Saturday, April 7, 2012, 8 p.m.

The Phantom's Leading Ladies, Saturday April 14, 8 p.m.

Ticket prices for these performances are: Gold Seat \$55 and Silver Seat \$45 and are available by calling 760-325-4490 (or annenbergtheater.org).

Located downtown in an architecturally-significant building, the Palm Springs Art Museum features compelling exhibitions and a robust permanent collection of modern, contemporary, Native American, Western and Pre-Columbian and glass art in 28 spacious galleries and in its two outdoor sculpture gardens. The museum offers educational lectures, films and an assortment of programs and art workshops for all ages. The museum's Annenberg Theater features outstanding musical performances. The museum is open six days a week; Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., and Thursday from 12 p.m. to 8 p.m. with free admission from 4 - 8 p.m. sponsored by the City of Palm Springs. Admission is free to members; \$12.50 for adults; \$10.50 for seniors 62 and over; \$5 for adult students and active-duty military with I.D. and free for youths 12 and under. For more information, call 760.322.4800 or visit www.psmuseum.org.

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