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Musicians and Emcee Announced for Gold Medal Plates Toronto

*This incredible Canadian talent showcase confirmed for the
Gold Medal Plates Toronto is stellar!*

TORONTO – Toronto’s Gold Medal Plates (GMP) Dinner will feature one of the strongest and most impressive line-ups on November 3, 2016 at the Metro Toronto Convention Centre, south building Hall F&G.

Leading the way as the Master of Ceremonies for this year’s event is Scott Russell, Olympic Prime Time Host and Host of Road to the Olympic Games on CBC.

Scott will also have the honour of announcing this year’s incredible line up of Canadian icons. Those in attendance will be:

Jim Cuddy – Guitarist and lead singer for Blue Rodeo

Colin Cripps – Guitarist and tours with Blue Rodeo and The Jim Cuddy Band

Anne Lindsay – Toronto violinist/fiddler who has performed with Blue Rodeo

Alan Doyle - Great Big Sea

Ed Robertson - Barenaked Ladies

Devin Cuddy - Devin Cuddy Band

Sam Polley

“This years line up is incredible,” said Toronto’s Co-Chair Mark Maybank, “Those lucky enough to attend this years Gold Medal Plates Toronto are in for a fantastic night.” This line up of musicians coupled with an equally impressive line up of Olympic athletes from the Rio Olympics will make this event our best ever.” And to top if all off, having Scott Russell as our MC is just icing on the cake!”

Toronto’s GMP Event Partner Robin Turnbull added, “Our committee is invested in making this years event one to remember. We expect to be sold out by the end of



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September. This event is always a well-attended making it one of the most influential events on the city's calendar.

Those interested in sponsorship opportunities or wishing to purchase tickets for Gold Medal Plates Toronto may do so by contacting Robin Turnbull at 416.604.0310 or by email at toronto@goldmedalplates.com.

Event information can also be found:

Official Regina Website: www.toronto.goldmedalplates.com

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About Gold Medal Plates - Gold Medal Plates is the ultimate celebration of Canadian excellence in cuisine, wine, entertainment and athletic achievement. Celebrating in 11 cities across Canada in 2015, Gold Medal Plates features superb Canadian wines, premier chefs and Canadian Olympic athletes, in a competition to crown a gold, silver and bronze medal culinary team in each city, and subsequently nation-wide. Since 2004, this event has received tremendous support and accolades all across Canada and generated a combined net total of close to \$11 million for Canada's Olympic athletes. For more information, visit the Gold Medal Plates website www.goldmedalplates.com.

About Canadian Olympic Foundation – The Beneficiary of the events The Canadian Olympic Foundation is a national charitable organization created by the Canadian Olympic Committee (COC) supporting high performance athletes across all winter and summer sports. The Foundation's mission is to generate support to meet the technical, scientific, medical and coaching needs of Canada's high performance sport system and assist Canada's athletes in becoming ambassadors for sport, healthy living and the pursuit of excellence across the nation. Net proceeds from Gold Medal Plates are given to the Canadian Olympic Foundation to support high performance programs such as Own the Podium. To learn more about the Foundation and the programs it funds, please visit www.olympicfoundation.ca.

