COVID Safety Requirements

The health of our guests is of utmost importance, and in order to provide the safest experience at the 12th Annual Black Tie & Tails Gala, <u>we are requiring all attendees</u> show proof of full vaccination AND submit a negative COVID-19 test prior to attending the event.

STEP 1: Preclearance for Proof of Vaccination

Email a photo or scan of your vaccination card along with valid photo ID; OR take a screenshot of your digital vaccine record and email it to katrina@hstt.org <u>no later</u> than 5pm on May 2nd, 2022.

Digital vaccine record (verified QR code) from the State of California or VaxYes, along with a photo ID. It's free, completely confidential, and HIPPA compliant.

- California residents can access their digital vaccine record here.
- If you live outside the state of California, or are having trouble accessing your digital vaccine record via CA.gov, you can also <u>get</u> <u>verified through VaxYes</u>.

* "Fully vaccinated" means you have received your second dose of the Pfizer or Moderna (or first/only dose of J&J) on or before April 30, 2022.

STEP 2: Negative COVID-19 Test

Guests must submit a negative PCR or Verified Rapid Antigen/NAAT COVID test and a valid photo ID before or upon entry to the event to attend. The test must be taken within 72 hours of the event start time.

We recommend going to an OPTUMServe/LHI COVID-19 testing site if you are in California. Testing is free and they have walk-in availability and appointment scheduling available for both a PCR test and Rapid Antigen test with verified results in an hour.

All walk-ins and appointments require the patient to already have an account. We strongly recommend making an appointment as we will have many guests and volunteers utilizing these services at the same time in the Tahoe Basin. Attached is an information form by OPTUMServe/LHI for FAQ. Please visit their website for more information and to see if there is testing in your area: <u>https://lhi.care/covidtesting</u>

Boosters

Boosters are not required to be considered "fully vaccinated". However, we highly recommend receiving your booster, if applicable, prior to the event as an added precaution.

Questions? Email <u>katrina@gmail.com</u>.

Thank you for helping to keep all of our guests, entertainment, volunteers, and vendors healthy! We look forward to celebrating together as we raise money for our community's homeless pets on May 14th.