

Turks & Caicos Caribbean Food & Wine Festival to Benefit Island



Grace Bay Resorts, in partnership with the Turks and Caicos Tourist Board and The Wine Cellar, has announced the guest chefs, winemakers and schedule of events for the Fourth Annual Caribbean Food & Wine Festival. The highly anticipated, weekend-long celebration of Caribbean culture and cuisine will take place November 6-8, 2014 in

Providenciales, Turks & Caicos, bringing together expert guest and local chefs and outstanding food and wine for an unparalleled culinary experience in the Caribbean.

This year, the festival welcomes all-star chefs from around the world, including former “Top Chef” contestant and owner of New York’s Pig & Khao Leah Cohen, David Lefevre of Manhattan Beach Post in California, and Hans Peter Haider of Austria’s hotel12, as well as renowned vintners from Benzinger Family Winery, Cuvaison Estate, Weingut SalzlSeewinkelhof and Duck Pond Cellars & Desert Wind Winery.

The **not-for-profit event** will raise funds for The Department of Youth Affairs and the islands’ ‘Little Chefs’ mentor program that supports and encourages young local chefs to pursue careers in hospitality, a vital industry of Turks and Caicos. The 2013 festival raised an estimated \$50,000 for the program.