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The Legacy Trust Ponte Vedra Beach Home and Art Tour benefiting The Cultural Center at Ponte Vedra Beach returns April 8th, 2017. Patrons \$35 ticket will provide an insider's view into some of Ponte Vedra's most distinctive homes. This year's tour will highlight beautiful artwork, landscape and architectural design in each home. Ticket holders will see first-hand how each homeowner incorporates art and color into the overall design of these homes. While each home will be staffed with volunteers from the Cultural Center, the program is actually a self-guided tour.

This year's home tour will showcase exquisite homes located in the exclusive neighborhoods of Marsh Landing on Ponte Vedra Boulevard and Roscoe Road. These homes will be open to the public for touring on Saturday from 10-4pm. The Cultural Center at Ponte Vedra Beach is a 501(c) non-profit organization. The mission of the Cultural Center is to "Bring the Arts into the Life of the Community" which is achieved through arts exhibitions, arts education and arts outreach. Proceeds from this event will directly benefit our arts education programs.

For tickets please visit: www.ccpvb.org



One of Our Featured Homes on the Tour This Year Was Designed by Architect Mark Macco, AIA, NCARB: Bringing Progressive Elegance to Beach Living

One of this year's homes is a contemporary beach home located a short two block stroll from the Atlantic Ocean. The design of this featured home is by one of northeast Florida's own Architects, Mark Macco, AIA, NCARB, who is also a Jacksonville Beaches resident.

"The approach to this design was holistic in nature; placing great emphasis on a purposeful procession through home's space. I make sure all the elements - space, lighting, design, and materials - work in harmony to create a total experience" Mark says. "I believe good design should be cohesive, consistent, and coherent."

With a clear understanding of the environment and special way of life that living in the area lends itself to, Macco was intent upon creating a design that would deliver his clients the total beaches contemporary lifestyle experience. One of the ways in which Macco achieved this goal was to create a timeless design that possesses a thoughtful repetition of design elements, intentional points of interest, and precise sight lines that lead the eye to a beautiful place to rest at every turn." Upon entering, one's eyes travel through the home across a peaceful outdoor living area and rest upon free falling water that descends over the spa's edge and free falls into the pool below. Another of the impressive architectural features is a

beautiful stone wall that is expressed on the exterior front of the home. The wall crashes through the home to create display niches and frame the kitchen, then crashes out the back to frame one of the outdoor sitting areas. A breezeway, connecting the detached three-car garage on the back-entrance frames one side of the pool area further creating privacy and more living areas.

The interior of the home is approximately 4000 square feet of air conditioned living with 4 bedrooms and 3 1/5 baths. With art as a main focus for the clients, the contemporary, yet casual elegance of the main floor living areas have been designed into distinct spaces via termination points and lighting. A purposeful layout and floating soffits creates interest and further delineates each space. This home represents the marriage of art and architecture. Its fascinating architectural details, contribute to and then leave one with a phenomenal impression of contemporary beach living at its best.



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