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Harry Connick, Jr. On Stage in San Jose

*Concert marks the same day as the release of **Bug**, a new movie thriller with Harry Connick, Jr. and Ashley Judd*

SAN JOSÉ, CA. — **May 9, 2007**— The San Jose Convention and Visitors Bureau and Team San Jose, in partnership with Live Nation, welcomes Harry Connick, Jr. to San Jose's Center for Performing Arts. Blue skies and May sunny days welcome this award-winning performer as he takes the stage in San Jose on May 25, 2007.

With the recent release of two albums capturing New Orleans culture and lifestyle, *Oh, My NOLA* and *Chanson du Vieux Carre*, Connick and his big band will bring a mix of jazz, gospel, brass band, rhythm and blues, country and funk to an evening that is sure to celebrate the magic of music.

"We are thrilled to welcome Harry Connick, Jr. and his big band to San Jose," said Dan Fenton, CEO and Chairman of Team San Jose, also the CEO of the San Jose Convention and Visitors Bureau, "the concert is a must see!"

Tickets are going fast for the one night concert in San Jose. For ticket information, please go to livenation.com. For questions about the San Jose concert, please contact Aaron Siuda at (415) 281-9216 or by email at aaronsiuda@livenation.com.

On the same night as the San Jose tour concert, a new thriller will entertain audiences everywhere with the release of *Bug*. Probing the blurry lines between paranoia and nightmarish reality, *Bug* is an intense, mind-bending psychological thriller in which nothing is quite as it seems. Directed by Academy Award winner William Friedkin (*The French Connection*, *The Exorcist*) and adapted by Tracy Letts from his hit off-Broadway play, *Bug* stars Golden Globe nominee Ashley Judd, Harry Connick, Jr., Michael Shannon, Lynn Collins and Brian O'Byrne.

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About Live Nation

Live Nation is the world's largest live music company and the largest promoter of live concerts in the world, the second-largest entertainment venue management company and has a rapidly growing online presence. Live Nation websites collectively are the second most popular entertainment/event websites in the United States, according to Nielsen//NetRatings. In 2006, they connected nearly 60 million fans with their favorite performers at approximately 26,000 events in 18 countries around the world.

About Team San Jose (TSJ)

Team San Jose (TSJ) manages the San Jose McEnery Convention Center and Cultural Facilities including the Center for Performing Arts and the California Theatre. The TSJ mission is to ensure that San Jose's Convention Center and Cultural Facilities are effectively managed to reduce costs, improve the local economy, and add value for our customers, residents, workers, and businesses in San Jose.

About The San Jose Convention & Visitors Bureau (SJCVB)

The mission of the San Jose Convention & Visitors Bureau (SJCVB) is to enhance the image and economic well-being of San Jose by marketing San Jose as a globally recognized destination.

For more information about Team San Jose or the San Jose Convention & Visitors Bureau please visit our website at <http://www.sanjose.org>.

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