News from Friends of Marine Stadium

**Friends of Marine Stadium Newsletter**

**Friends of Marine Stadium Update**

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**To: Miami Marines**

Welcome to our new look! As our effort evolves, our newsletter will, too!

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**Tony Goldman Visits Miami Marine Stadium**

Tony Goldman is known as the developer who is most responsible for the revival of South Beach. The Company he founded, Goldman Properties, is also recognized internationally for its work in turning declining historic neighborhoods to world class destinations in areas such as Soho in NYC, Center City Philadelphia, Boston, and Miami's new Wynwood Art District.

Tony visited the Marine Stadium for the first time several weeks ago and we recorded his impressions and ideas on video. Click [here](http://ui.constantcontact.com/visualeditor/visual_editor_preview.jsp) to see it.

His ideas go beyond anything we have thought of—and provide additional documentation as to the remarkable opportunity that the Stadium presents. We are thrilled to have Tony's participation, support, and involvement.

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**Friends of Marine Stadium Logo Contest**

We had 34 entries in our contest to design a logo for Friends of Marine Stadium. Because of the number of intriguing entries, this has been a very difficult decision for our panel of judges! After much deliberation, the winner is Alejandra Marquez. Alejandra's winning entry can be seen by clicking [here](http://ui.constantcontact.com/visualeditor/visual_editor_preview.jsp). We are delighted with it. And we thank all the graphic artists for participating in our contest and being involved in the Marine Stadium effort. We will leave up all of the entries on our website.

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**More Press**

There is a terrific article on the Marine Stadium in the December issue of Metropolis Magazine. Click [here](http://ui.constantcontact.com/visualeditor/visual_editor_preview.jsp) to see it. After you click, you can go to the previous page to see another image of the Marine Stadium. In fact, check out the whole magazine.

Press continues to be an important focus for us and our dynamic duo...
of Penny Lambeth and Violette Sproul are working on more media and print pieces.

What You Can Do

It is the end of the year, which means time to make your tax deductible contributions. If you believe in the restoration of Marine Stadium, please consider us! Our all volunteer organization has made great progress, but relies on your support. You can join Friends of Marine Stadium for only $60, tax deductible-and you’ll become a member of Dade Heritage Trust (DHT), Miami Dade County’s foremost preservation organization. When you join, you will receive a copy of Preservation Today, DHT’s annual magazine format publication which features Miami Marine Stadium. Click here to print out a copy of the application. And if you have already joined for the year, please consider making an extra contribution to our cause, which is tax deductible. Checks should be made out to Dade Heritage Trust and sent to DHT at 190 SE 12th Terrace, Miami, FL 33131 with a notation “for Friends of Marine Stadium”.

Holiday Party

Finally, click here to see an invite for Dade Heritage Trust’s Holiday Party, which is Dec. 17. The party is at a beautiful home in Coral Gables and features food and beverage. Cost is only $45; $40 for members of Friends of Marine Stadium and Dade Heritage Trust, RSVP by December 10. This is a lovely, classy evening and a wonderful way to support our parent organization, Dade Heritage Trust-and a great way to connect up with other Marine Stadium supporters!

Friends of Marine Stadium won the 2009 Historic Preservation Award from the Miami Chapter of the American Association of Architects (AIA). The award was presented at the AIA Annual Dinner in November. Miami AIA was our first sponsor-and is one of the many organizations supporting restoration of the Marine Stadium. Congratulations to all of us!

Holiday Cheers

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