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**The 20th Anniversary of V-DAY at The Broad Stage, Santa Monica
Feb. 17th, 2018!**

“A Global Movement to End Violence Against Women and Girls Worldwide!”

LOS ANGELES, JANUARY 10, 2018 -- The 20th Anniversary of V-DAY will be celebrated worldwide this coming February. All around the globe local volunteers will come together to produce annual benefit performances of *The Vagina Monologues* to raise awareness and funds for anti-violence groups against women and girls within their own communities.

On February 17th, 2018, V-DAY Santa Monica will be hosting their event at The Broad Stage in Santa Monica, California. The night will kick off with a pre-show gathering, followed by a performance of *The Vagina Monologues*, and ending with an amazing red carpet after-party. Attendees will enjoy food, beverages, live entertainment by the Erotic Movement Choreographer, Rie Katagiri + The Flying V's, music from KCRW's DJ Jeremy Sole and will also be able to participate in a silent auction. All proceeds from the event will be donated to the Peace Over Violence (www.peaceoverviolence.org) and V-DAY (www.vday.org) organizations. With the star studded cast including Jane Fonda, Dylan McDermott, Frances Fisher, Rosario Dawson, Wendie Malick, Suzanne Whang, Jody Vaclav, Ashlee Marie Preston, Garcelle Beauvais, Deborah Kagan, Cheri Oteri, Wendy Hammers, Gia Carides and Mindy Sterling, this will be a night you won't want to miss.

“V-day is a movement: an organized effort to finally end violence against women. V-Day is a vision: we see a civilization where women live in freedom and safety. V-Day is a spirit: affirming that life should be alive creating and thriving rather than surviving or recovering from terrible atrocities. V-Day is a catalyst: by raising wide public awareness of the issue, it will reinvigorate efforts already under way and commence new initiatives in publicity, education, and law. V-Day is a vital ongoing process: we proclaim Valentine's Day as V-DAY until the violence



against women stops, and the it will become Victory Day.” – Eve Ensler, The Vagina Monologues

Where:

The Broad Stage
1310 11th St, Santa Monica, CA 90401

When:

Feb 17th, 2018
6pm Doors
7pm Showtime

For tickets and event info please visit V-DAY Santa Monica’s website at

www.vdaysantamonica.com

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V-Day is a global activist movement to end violence against women and girls. V-Day is a catalyst that promotes creative events to increase awareness, raise money, and revitalize the spirit of existing anti-violence organizations. V-Day generates broader attention for the fight to stop violence against women and girls, including rape, battery, incest, female genital mutilation (FGM), and sex slavery. www.vday.org