The Red Carpet Goes Green

Non-profit organization offers complimentary gourmet plant-based menus and recipes from top chefs to encourage sustainable eating during major events.

For Immediate Release, Miami, FL—For the first time in history, the most talented stars in Hollywood enjoyed a completely plant-based dinner during the 77th edition of the **Golden Globe awards**. The example set by the **Hollywood Foreign Press** clearly acknowledges the connection between animal agriculture and climate change and sets a milestone for humanity and for the entertainment industry and beyond.

WFPB.ORG (Whole Food, Plant-based Organization), announced today that it will offer complimentary gourmet red-carpet quality menus to the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences, Academy of Television Arts & Sciences, The Recording Academy, MTV Awards, VH1 Awards, National Football League (NFL), The Australian Open, The Grand Prix, and any other major entertainment, fashion, sports, or industry event that wishes to adapt their food options into plant-based menus without sacrificing flavor, decadency, and elegance following the example of the 77th Golden Globe Awards. WFPB.ORG is the leading non-profit organization worldwide supporting the scientific evidence behind the benefits of a plant-based lifestyle for human and planetary health.

"Animal agriculture is the leading cause of **climate change. Deforestation in the Amazonian forest** to make way for cattle production and animal farming, and **rising levels of CO2** are warming the planet causing catastrophic fires such as those in **Australia**. Human choices are compromising the stability of the planet, its biodiversity, and our possibility of maintaining human life on it," says Margarita Restrepo, founder of <u>WFPB.ORG</u>. "Furthermore, **animal-based diets** are responsible for the devastating global statistics of preventable chronic diseases that are hitting developed societies globally, such as heart disease, diabetes, cancer, obesity, and many others."

<u>WFPB.ORG</u> organizes star-gazed plant-based events in the United States, UK, and South America including the international **Wholexpo**—the only 100% plant-based, zero-waste, plastic-free and sustainable event worldwide—as well as the **green-carpet award** event, the **Whollys**. The organization is also the publisher of the **award-winning** *Naked Food Magazine*, the leading plant-based lifestyle publication in North America, Australia, and the UK. The organization is launching exclusive red-carpet menu concepts including a collection of **plant-based substitutes for common ingredients** and a number of **gourmet recipes** from the most influential chefs of the plant-based movement.

Standing up for the truth is in vogue. Joaquin Phoenix, Ricky Gervais, Benedict Cumberbatch, Jessica Chastain, Natalie Portman, Woody Harrelson, James Cameron, Novak Djokovic, Venus Williams, Lewis Hamilton, Kyrie Irving, Jermain Defoe and Nate Diaz are just some of the many celebrities who follow and support sustainable plant-based diets and speak up about how their lifestyle choices benefit human, animal, and planetary well-being.

Will the **Oscars** and the **Super Bowl** set a sustainable example? Sustainable, healthful, and conscious lifestyles are receiving their deserved spotlight, and with the support of events of this genre we will collectively be able to create a more conscious humanity and planet for all.

Further gastronomic counseling is available upon request. To request a **Red Carpet Menu Kit**, please contact Lyda Durango at marketing@wfpb.org, or visit wfpb.org

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Naked Food is the quarterly publication from <u>WFPB.ORG</u>, available as subscription as well as newsstands and digital platforms worldwide. Naked Food is the whole food, plant-based nutrition approach to preventing and reversing disease for humans and planet alike.