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Jeremy Hotz to Headline 11th Annual Komedy for Kidneys Benefit Show

Funniest Night in Niagara Returns on March 7th

Niagara Falls, ON – Organizers of the ***Komedy for Kidneys Rodney Pentland Memorial Benefit Show*** are proud to announce the 11th annual event will feature one of Canada's funniest stand-up comics, the uniquely talented **Jeremy Hotz**! The two-hour stand-up comedy show benefiting the Niagara Health Foundation will be held on **Wednesday, March 7th** at the **Greg Frewin Theatre**.

Jeremy Hotz continues to grab audiences with his completely original and confused, yet very astute, observational comedy. He has appeared on *The Late Show with David Letterman*, made five appearances on *The Tonight Show with Jay Leno*, and appeared on Comedy Central with his own half hour special. Most recently, Jeremy filmed a one-hour TV special "*What A Miserable Show This Is...*" and is currently on a Canada-wide tour.

Hotz was to headline last year but broke his arm the day before the show. "We were going to get him here this year even if we had to break his legs," joked Mark Matthews, Event Co-Manager and Emcee.

Tickets start at just \$30 plus fees/taxes and can be purchased by calling **905-356-0777** or visiting GregFrewinTheatre.com/buy-tickets.html (click on 'Mar 2018'). The Show begins at 8:20pm with doors opening at 7pm.

A tremendous thank you to event sponsors including the Greg Frewin Theatre, Rose City Chrysler, Wyndham Garden Niagara Falls Fallsview, Danima Creative Group, GIANT 91.7 FM/Country 89, and Ingage Digital Agency for their generous support.

Event proceeds will be donated to the Niagara Health Foundation in support of Dialysis Care in Niagara. Komedy for Kidneys Benefit Show was renamed in memory of comedian, Rodney Pentland, who passed away in 2009 from complications related to kidney disease. Pentland, who grew up in Niagara Falls, continued to entertain crowds throughout his long battle with renal disease and was best known for his outstanding impressions of Robert DeNiro, Marlon Brando and Bill Cosby. Komedy for Kidneys has raised over \$61,000 in support of Dialysis Care in Niagara.

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