PRESS RELEASE – FOR IMMEDIATE PUBLICATION!

The 19th Annual Las Vegas International Accordion Convention will be October 15-18, 2018 at the Gold Coast Hotel located at 4000 West Flamingo Blvd., in Las Vegas, Nevada. This year we celebrate the return to fall with the theme "Oktoberfest Fun". Notable this year, Wednesday will be our Oktoberfest Evening featuring a German cuisine! New this year, all seven meals will be served in the Ballroom.

Returning to the event by popular demand are **Grayson Masefield** (Zurich, Switzerland) and **Cory Pesaturo** (North Providence, Rhode Island) both World Champions and both of whom are totally amazing. Below is a complete list of artists and clinicians:

Europa Trio
Joan Sommers
Stas Veglevski
Kim & Dan Christian
Mary Tokarski
Linda Warren
Mike Zampiceni

Cory Pesaturo
Grayson Masefield
Gordon Kohl
Paul Betkin
Jerry Cigler
Gina Brannelli
Pete Barbutti

Liz Finch

Thursday evening will feature the 11th installment of the **Las Vegas International Accordion Orchestra** under the direction of the esteemed **Joan Cochran Sommers**.

Registration fee for the event includes 7 wonderful Las Vegas banquet meals with concerts, plus over 40 workshops and master classes taught by top experts. Check out special pricing valid until September 15 (save \$50 off your registration when you book a room at the Gold Coast with our group code A8ACC10). See our website AccordionStars.com for complete pricing options.

Special group room rates are only \$39/\$47 (Deluxe/Premium) per room Sunday thru Thursday nights (weekend nights \$89/\$104 a night) and special lowered resort fee of only \$9.99 with group block (resort fee off block \$20.99) a night per room – but you must use group code A8ACC10 to get these lowest guaranteed rates. Rates valid until the block fills or until September 15. The Gold Coast has cautioned that the hotel will fill rapidly this year. Recommended stays -- check in before 3PM Monday, October 15 and check out Friday morning, October 19, 2018.

If you are interested in attending you may register online at our website www.AccordionStars.com or contact the Paul Pasquali, event organizer, by phone at 1-800-472-1695 or (801) 485-5840, email paul@accordioninfo.com, or mail - LVAC, 1760 South 450 West, Salt Lake City, UT 84115.