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Party with a Purpose for Ronald McDonald House Charities of Northwest Florida

January 11, 2022 — Pensacola, Fl.— Wine & Fries in partnership with Hotel Effie Sandestin, powered by Step One Automotive Group, features the iconic McDonald's french fries paired with the perfect wine for a party with a purpose. Enjoy sipping wine, indulging your inner child with fries, and bidding on auction items, all to continue keeping families close at Ronald McDonald House.

Wine & Fries will be held on Friday, February 18th on the incredible Ara Rooftop Pool & Lounge located at Hotel Effie Sandestin (1 Grand Sandestin Blvd, Miramar Beach, FL 32550) from 6pm-9pm. Tickets are \$100 each. You can purchase tickets online by visiting rmhc-nwfl.org/wineandfries. This is a 21 and over event. Wine & Fries will feature a wine tasting and menu catered by Hotel Effie Sandestin, and of course, McDonald's french fries, donated by Costa McDonald's. During the night, guests will have the chance to bid on auction items, sample a selection of wines, and kick off their 2022 in style while partying for a purpose.

"Wine and Fries has quickly become one of our most loved events," shared Executive Director, Summer Jimmerson. "We are excited to welcome our Wine and Fries guests to the beautiful rooftop deck at Hotel Effie Sandestin. Nearly forty percent of the families who stay at RMHC are traveling from Okaloosa, Walton, and Bay Counties. Wine and Fries has helped us better care for these families traveling for their child's medical care. We can't wait to have you join us for Wine and Fries 2022!"

About Ronald McDonald House Charities® of Northwest Florida

The mission of Ronald McDonald House Charities of Northwest Florida is to love and support families of children with medical needs by giving them a place to call home. Since opening its doors in 1984, the Ronald McDonald House of Northwest Florida has been a lifeline of hope for families. Locally owned and operated, the Ronald McDonald House of Northwest Florida is able to continue its mission with the assistance of faithful volunteers and through the generosity of the community. For more information, visit www.rmhc-nwflorg or find us on Facebook (<a href="www.rmhc-nwf