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FOREIGNER

COMEDIAN **FORTUNE FEIMSTER**



WELCOME



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As Golden Gala celebrates its 41st anniversary of charitable commitment to Tallahassee Memorial HealthCare (TMH), please accept our profound gratitude for your purpose-driven philanthropy.

Your gifts, your leadership and active participation inform the TMH mission, “Transforming Care. Advancing Health. Improving Lives,” and illuminate its vision, “To be known as the most engaged and supportive organization in America.”



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Program

Cocktails 5:30 pm

Dinner Service 7:15 pm

Salute to Donors & Guests 9:10 pm

Comedy Fortune Feimster

Concert Foreigner



Salute to Donors

Thank you for helping us celebrate the 41st TMH Golden Gala with iconic rock band FOREIGNER and comedian Fortune Feimster! As much as this night is a celebration of the gala, it's also a celebration of YOU, our supporters, and all we have accomplished together to transform care, advance health and improve lives in our region.

By attending Golden Gala, you are guaranteed a memorable night with world-class entertainment, and you are supporting a critical area of healthcare in our community. This year's proceeds will help expand Tallahassee Memorial's ECMO (Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation) program, an advanced level of life support for patients whose heart or lungs are not working properly.

You may not be aware of this, but nearly two-thirds of all Leon County EMS patients are transported to TMH, and all patients in the region requiring care for traumatic injury are transported to the Bixler Trauma and Emergency Center.

Sincerely,

G. Mark O'Bryant

*President & CEO
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As the healthcare system with our region's highest level of care, we have a special duty to care for our community — and we thank you for helping us do just that. Through your attendance at Golden Gala, you are helping TMH access critical technology to serve our patients when they need us most.

You never know when you or a loved one may need critical care, but it is comforting to know TMH is here for all of us, with highly skilled physicians, nurses, technicians and other clinical teams, working to ensure we provide the best medical care possible.

We couldn't provide this level of care without our talented team, and we couldn't do it without your support. We can't say thank you enough!

We hope you enjoy Golden Gala and look forward to working with you as we continue to improve our region's health and provide compassionate, state-of-the-art care to our community.

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ECMO Program

Proceeds from the 41st Golden Gala will help expand Tallahassee Memorial's ECMO (Extracorporeal Membrane Oxygenation) program. ECMO is an advanced level of life support that helps people whose lungs or heart are not working properly.

During ECMO treatment, blood is pumped out of the body into a machine that removes carbon dioxide and adds oxygen. The oxygenated blood is then pumped back into the body. This treatment can be used to provide support for the heart and lungs while they heal from infection or trauma, or it can fully bypass heart and lung function if needed.

For many patients who need it, ECMO is their last chance at survival.

Behind every life saved with ECMO is a team of dedicated colleagues working tirelessly to provide exceptional care.

As we celebrate Golden Gala 2025, we're highlighting the incredible individuals who make up the Tallahassee Memorial ECMO team, including

- Pulmonary & Cardiology Physicians
- Mechanical Circulatory Support (MCS Team)
- Nurses
- Respiratory Therapists
- Cath Lab Team
- Perfusionists

Your support will help provide our team with the equipment and training they need save more lives and to provide an advanced level of care right here in Tallahassee.

Thank you for celebrating the 41st TMH Golden Gala and for making TMH your hospital for life!

Visit [TMH.ORG/ECMO](https://tmh.org/ecmo) to learn more about the ECMO program at TMH and how you can continue to support lifesaving care for our community.





MENU

THE SALAD COURSE

Tomato Mozzarella Salad
with cucumber and balsamic vinaigrette

THE MAIN COURSE

Filet of Beef
with Au Gratin Potato,
Roasted Baby Carrots,
& a red wine reduction

THE DESSERT COURSE

Salted Caramel Apple Cheesecake
topped with an apple compote, streusel crumble,
and whipped cream, drizzled with a Disaronno Velvet
caramel sauce and garnished with a halved strawberry
and white chocolate garnish

BEVERAGES

Specially selected Red and White Wines,
Water, and Iced Tea on Tables. A full bar
will be available in the Dining Rooms.

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The TMH Foundation would like to give a well deserved
Thank You to Tito's Vodka



Introducing **FOREIGNER**

"I Want to Know What Love Is," "Cold as Ice," "Hot Blooded," "Juke Box Hero," "Urgent" and no less than five more Top 10 hits. TMH Golden Gala is proud to host FOREIGNER, the band behind these iconic songs.

With more Top 10 hits than Journey, as many as Fleetwood Mac, and 10 multi-platinum albums, FOREIGNER is universally hailed as one of the most popular rock acts in the world with a formidable musical arsenal that continues to propel sold-out tours and album sales, now exceeding 80 million.

Responsible for some of rock and roll's most enduring anthems, FOREIGNER still rocks the charts more than 40 years into the game with massive airplay and continued Billboard Top 200 album success. Streams of FOREIGNER's hits are approaching 15 million per week.

Leader and founder of FOREIGNER, Mick Jones says, "Many years ago, I wrote a song called 'Feels Like the First Time,' and today we are launching one last worldwide tour. We will be presenting a show that I know will have the same enthusiasm as our very first appearances. The tour will start this summer in America, and we hope to get to every place that we have played over the last several years. While I'm sure our fans will have mixed feelings about the end of the road for the band, I know our shows are going to delight audiences everywhere."

Says FOREIGNER lead singer Kelly Hansen, "The time has come. We have more or less lived our lives on the road for almost 18 years. We have always strived to give you our best and we intend to finish this the same way. FOREIGNER has a brilliant and increasingly demanding catalogue of songs to sing, and I refuse to give them less than they deserve. So, we're going to finish strong."

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Fortune Feimster

Affable, charismatic and one of a kind, Fortune Feimster is a stand-up comedian, writer and actor who uses her confessional comedy to bring people together. Through laughter and storytelling, she shows audiences of all ages, backgrounds and sexual orientations that common ground is only a joke or two away.

You may recognize Fortune from her Netflix specials, “Sweet & Salty,” which was nominated for a Critics Choice Award; “Good Fortune” and her latest, “Crushing It.” You can also see her on the Netflix action-comedy series, “FUBAR,” alongside actor Arnold Schwarzenegger.

Fortune is known for her storytelling brand of comedy, hilariously delving into love, relationships, sexuality and shared experiences with Southern charm and the perspective of someone who grew up in the 1980s.

A North Carolina native, she began her ascent to popularity as a writer and panelist on E’s hit show “Chelsea Lately.” She then starred as a series regular on “The Mindy Project” for Hulu and on “Champions” and “Kenan” for NBC. She has logged guest appearances on television shows, including “Claws,” “Nora from Queens,” “2 Broke Girls,” “The L Word: Generation Q,” “Workaholics,” “Glee” and “Tales of the City.” Audiences became even more familiar with Fortune through her recurring role as the popular character Dougie on CBS’s “Life In Pieces.”

Fortune has been building an innovative, inclusive and unique career for more than 20 years. Be it on the road, her radio show, film or television, her contagious and joyous comedy is touching lives and bringing us together.





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