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For Immediate Release:

YWCA Banish Your February Blues Event on February 13 at Pinestone

The YWCA Women's Centre of Haliburton County and HERS is thrilled to announce a wonderful evening of wonderful food, fabulous art and fantastic music in support of the women of Haliburton County.

Canada's fabulous Blues duo Rick Fines and Suzie Vinnick will team up on stage in support of the YWCA Women's Centre of Haliburton County and Haliburton Emergency Rural SafeSpace (HERS) on February 13 at Pinestone.

On February 13 – just in time for Valentine's Day – YWCA Women's Centre of Haliburton County will host the Banish Your February Blues event, featuring a sumptuous buffet dinner, a silent auction, a live auction of 'altered art' and then a fabulous exclusive concert appearance by Rick Fines and Suzie Vinnick – www.rickandsuzie.com. Rick and Suzie just released a new album together earlier this year, and this dynamic duo will light up the stage with their sizzling blues licks and their sensational lyrics.

The 'altered art' component of the evening will feature a live auction of art created specifically for this event by local artists who will alter an image to help alter the life of a woman in Haliburton County. The artists have each been given the same photograph taken by Haliburton-based photographer Barbara Koch, and they will create a piece of art in response to that photograph in their own medium. The resulting art will be auctioned during a live auction segment of this event.

Don't miss this exceptional fundraising event for the YWCA. It's a sweetheart of a deal, just in time for Valentine's Day. Tickets are just \$50 and they are available by contacting the YWCA Women's Centre of Haliburton County at 705-286-1942.

For more information, please contact Laura Redman, YWCA Volunteer & Event Developer, 286-1942, ext. 14, lredmanywcahal@bellnet.ca or www.ywcapeterborough.org