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JUST FOR LAUGHS MONTREAL SETS ITS RETURN NEXT SUMMER BY ANNOUNCING THEIR FIRST ARENA SHOW WITH COMEDY TOUR DE FORCE, **BILL BURR** AS PART OF THE *BILL BURR (SLIGHT RETURN)*

THIS WILL BE HIS LONG-AWAITED RETURN AFTER HIS 2020 FESTIVAL SHOW POSTPONEMENT

ARENA AND AMPHITHEATER TOUR

Tickets go on sale tomorrow, Wednesday, October 13th at 10:00 AM EST

Bill Burr was originally scheduled to perform as part of the Just For Laughs MONTREAL festival in 2020. This is his rescheduled performance. If tickets were already purchased tickets in 2020, they are still valid for this performance. For more information, please contact <u>boxoffice@hahaha.com</u>

Montréal, October 12, 2021 – Just For Laughs MONTRÉAL presented by Beneva born from the coming together of La Capitale and SSQ Insurance, in collaboration with Loto-Québec, is thrilled to reveal the beginning plans for the highly-anticipated return of the 2022 internationally beloved comedy festival by announcing that Grammy-nominated comedian, actor and podcaster, **Bill Burr** will be taking the stage next summer for his rescheduled Montreal appearance! Burr's 2022 arena and amphitheater tour, *Bill Burr (Slight Return)* will be stopping at the Bell Centre on July 30, 2022. The North American tour will visit 23 cities from April through August. Tickets go on sale Wednesday, October 13 at 10:00 AM local time. Download photos and tour art here.

A Grammy-nominated comedian, Bill Burr is one of the top comedic voices of his generation achieving success in TV and film as well as on stage. Bill sells out venues internationally and his Monday Morning Podcast is one of the most downloaded comedy podcasts.

In September, Bill was seen in a guest role on the hit FX on Hulu series, *Reservation Dogs*, and he released the live, vinyl, double album, *Bill Burr Live From Madison Square Garden*.

Later this year, Bill's animated Netflix series, *F Is For Family*, will premiere its fifth and final season starring Bill, Laura Dern, Justin Long and Sam Rockwell in the cast.

Bill made his debut as host of *Saturday Night Live* on October 10, 2020, he starred opposite Pete Davidson and Marisa Tomei in the Judd Apatow film, *The King of Staten Island*, and he starred as Mayfeld in *The Mandalorian* on Disney Plus.

In September 2019, Bill released his sixth hour-long comedy special, *Bill Burr: Paper Tiger*, which was nominated for a Grammy Award, was recorded at London's Royal Albert Hall and is streaming on Netflix.

Bill was seen in the Hugh Jackman film, *The Front Runner;* the Mark Wahlberg and Will Ferrell film, *Daddy's Home;* he co-stars opposite Kevin Costner in the indie film, *Black or White;* was seen in the Paul Feig film, *The Heat*, alongside Sandra Bullock and Melissa McCarthy and in the Al Pacino and Christopher Walken film *Stand Up Guys.* Bill received raves for his recurring role as "Kuby" on the hit AMC-TV show, *Breaking Bad.*

For more go to Bill's website and follow Bill on Twitter, Instagram and Facebook.

Stay tuned for more exciting Just For Laughs programming details, coming soon!

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About the Just for Laughs Group

Founded in 1983, the Just for Laughs Group is the most important player in the global comedy industry. Under the management of Groupe CH, Bell Media and ICM Partners, the company is an international powerhouse in the creation of multiplatform comedy content. Every year, it entertains millions of spectators with its festivals on Canadian and international stages, in Montréal – the biggest comedy event in the world – as well as in Toronto, Vancouver, Sydney and Bermuda. The Group organizes shows featuring thousands of comics from Canada and other countries, including established artists as well as up-and-comers; stages its own comedy shows and musicals; produces touring shows; broadcasts digital and televised content (notably Gags, which is shown in 150 countries and followed by an online audience of ten million on YouTube); manages talented artists; and is the originator of the ComedyPRO and JPR Pro industry conferences. <u>www.hahaha.com</u>

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