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## GALENTINE'S DAY PARTY SUPPORTS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE VICTIMS

**VIRGINIA BEACH, VA** – Women Against Violence (WAV), a local advocacy group of Samaritan House, is inviting community members to their *Fifth Annual Galentine's Day Party* on Sunday, February 9, 2025. For a minimum donation of \$25, guests can secure their spot at this special celebration of love and friendship.

The event, held in Virginia Beach's Town Center area, will include a build your own bouquet bar, mimosa bar, sweet treats from Nothing Bundt Cakes, fun swag bags, and live music from local artist Felicia Hoyos.

Women Against Violence (WAV) is a group of passionate and committed women who provide advocacy, awareness, volunteerism, financial support, and connections to assist Samaritan House in fulfilling its mission.

"We are honored to have the continued support of the WAV volunteers in furthering our mission of helping those in need of our services. For the last five years, this event has brought together like-minded women in the community to share love and strength while raising necessary funds for our programs," said Robin Gauthier, Executive Director of Samaritan House.

The *Galentine's Day Party* is generously presented by Realtor Mary Rice, Samantha Snyder with True North Title, Nothing Bundt Cakes, Freckled Fun, Norfolk Candle, Buck and Bramble, Musician Felicia Hoyos, Photographer Carrie Baker, Trish Coffey, and Susan Fulcher.

Those interested in attending can RSVP at https://bit.ly/wavgalentines.

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