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The Best Advice I Ever Heard: An Evening with Disney Legend Marty Sklar *Wait List Tickets Only for Celebrity Lecture Event*

Fort Worth, TX – Prepare for an evening of insight, advice, and creative magic as Disney Legend Marty Sklar brings his unique perspective to the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History on Thursday, April 28th at 7 pm. RSVPs for the Celebrity Lecture and book signing are no longer being accepted for the event, which is expected to draw a capacity crowd.

Marty Sklar lives up to the title, Disney Legend, which was conveyed by the Walt Disney Company in 2001. The former head of Imagineering spent more than 50 years at Disney and enjoyed a long working relationship with Walt Disney himself. He retired in 2009 as the only Disney employee involved in the opening of all eleven theme parks around the world.

“He epitomizes the reason Disney Parks today continue to excel as the attractions they are for families,” said Van A. Romans, Museum President, who worked with Sklar at Disney. “At Disney, he did an important thing by being able to interpret Walt’s philosophy. There is perhaps no one more firmly committed to the guiding Disney principles, the way stories are told, than Marty. He understood the values that connect us to our audience - he understood what Walt wanted.”

The Best Advice I Ever Heard, An Evening with Disney Legend Marty Sklar promises anecdotes and advice from individuals such as Walt Disney, George Lucas, and Buzz Price. Sklar will also screen a rarely shown film, “EPCOT” which tells the story of how the Experimental Prototype Community of Tomorrow or EPCOT went from concept to reality. After 53 years with Disney, Sklar retired as the Executive Vice President and Ambassador for Walt Disney Imagineering. Sklar is now the President of Marty Sklar Creative, Inc. and the author of two books, “Dream It! Do It! My Half-Century Creating Disney’s Magic Kingdoms” and “One Little Spark: Mickey’s Ten Commandments and the Road to Imagineering”.

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Thursday, April 28, 2016 7pm
&
Advance Media Availability
Wednesday, April 27 1-3pm

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About the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History

The Museum was established in 1941 and is accredited by the American Alliance of Museums. Anchored by its rich collections, the Museum is dedicated to lifelong learning. It engages guests through creative, vibrant programs and exhibits interpreting science and the history of Texas and the Southwest. The Museum is open daily, except Thanksgiving, Christmas Eve and Christmas Day. For more information, visit www.fortworthmuseum.org