Aging Mind Foundation Trio Announce Plans For “Living With Bob: A Salute To Robert A. Wilson”

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Overlooking the Dallas Arts District, the Klyde Warren Park, Perot Museum and the Margaret Hunt Hill Bridge, there was no more spectacular place to kick off a new fundraiser on Friday, November 21. The spot was Laree Hulshoff’s and Ben Fischer’s palatial nest at Museum Tower.

Talk about the ultimate in so many ways — the views, the layout and the décor! As guests (Jeff Bryon, Kevin Hurst, Claire and Dwight Emanuelson, John Clutts, Dr. Sami Arslanlar, Kenny Goss, Steele Cooper, Jennifer and Coley Clark and Center for Vital Longevity’s Dr. Michael “Mick” Rugg) departed the private elevator to the mansion-in-the-sky, it was pretty obvious who was a returnee and who was a newcomer. Those who had visited the home before immediately headed to their fav spots. The newbies just wandered throughout trying to take it all in. If they needed escorts, Laree’s two Shih Tzus were just a whisker away.

Laree and her co-chairs/conspirators “The Barbys” (Barbara Buzzell and Barbara Daseke) right-like officially revealed the creation of the Aging Mind Foundation fundraiser for the Center for Vital Longevity that will take place at The Joule on
Saturday, February 21.

The evening will celebrate “Living With Bob: A Salute To Robert A. Wilson” with The Joule as the presenting sponsor.

Co-Chair Laree and the Bartos and Honorary Chair Bill Booziotis have also arranged for Bob’s son/actor/former S&D Company waiter, Owen Wilson, to handle the special guest duties.

According to the trio, following cocktails, a seated dinner and a presentation in the Praetorian and Mosaic ballrooms, the crowd will head to the Joule Terrace for dessert and dancing.

The evening committee includes Jo Marie Lilly, Caleen Mathura, Holly Hull Miori, Lisa Shardon, Shelle Sills and Julie Tregoning.

If The Aging Mind Foundation is now on your radar, its purpose is to address and support critical issues unique to the aging mind including research, treatment, education and advocacy.

Bit of trivia: In addition to co-chairing the upcoming event, interior designer Barbara D. also partnered up with Laree and Ben in creating the spectacular residence.