

ABC FAMILY STARS TO MEET FANS AT D23 EXPO 2015

-- Fans Invited to Meet the Stars of ABC Family's Hit Series from "Young & Hungry," "The Fosters," "Switched at Birth," "Stitchers," and "Baby Daddy" --

BURBANK, Calif. – July 17, 2015 – Fans can meet their favorite ABC Family stars and collect exclusive pin sets at D23 EXPO 2015, the ultimate Disney fan event, August 14-16 at the Anaheim Convention Center in Anaheim, California.

(Editors please note: For press releases and the official media credential application, please visit <u>D23EXPOPress.com</u>; photos will be available at this site and at www.disneyabcpress.com).

ABC Family will give away exclusive pin sets each day at the Disney | ABC TV Pavilion booth, from our much anticipated new series "Shadowhunters" on Friday, August 14, from the network's hit series "Pretty Little Liars" on Saturday, August 15 and from the network's annual event 25 Days of Christmas on Sunday, August 16.

Fans can also meet some of their favorite network stars throughout the weekend in the Disney | ABC TV Pavilion booth, located on the show floor. Following is the appearance schedule (subject to change):

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

11:00 – 11:50am

"Young & Hungry" stars Jonathan Sadowski and Aimee Carrero

1:00 - 1:50pm

"The Fosters" stars Sherri Saum and Hayden Byerly

5:00 - 5:50pm

"Switched at Birth" stars Constance Marie and Lea Thompson

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

12:00 – 12:50pm

"Stitchers" stars Emma Ishta, Kyle Harris, Ritesh Rajan, Salli Richardson-Whitfield and Allison Scagliotti

6:00 – 6:50pm

"Baby Daddy" stars Jean-Luc Bilodeau, Chelsea Kane and Melissa Peterman

*Schedule is subject to change.

Tickets for D23 EXPO 2015 are \$74 for a one-day adult admission and \$54 for children 3–12. Tickets for members of D23: The Official Disney Fan Club are \$65 for a one-day adult

admission and \$48 for children. Multi-day money-saving tickets are also available. D23 Members can save as much as \$112 off the price of admission, based on the purchase of four three-day tickets at the D23 Member rate. For more information on tickets and the ticket pricing structure for D23 Members and general admission, visit D23EXPO.com.

Additional details and updates about ABC Family star appearances and special activities will continue to be updated on www.D23EXPO.com and on Facebook and Twitter at "DisneyD23" as well as the ABC Family Media Relations Twitter and Instagram handle @ABC Family.

About ABC Family

Part of the Disney/ABC Television Group, ABC Family is distributed in 94 million homes. ABC Family entertains and connects to audiences with bold, relatable programming that celebrates the epic adventure of becoming an adult, from first kiss to first kid. ABC Family's programming is a combination of network-defining original series and original movies, quality acquired series and blockbuster theatricals. "WATCH ABC Family" is an authenticated service which allows viewers with participating TV subscription services access to 24/7 live viewing of the network, as well as continued on-demand access to such popular series at home and on-the-go via a wide array of devices. ABC Family is also the destination for annual holiday events with "13 Nights of Halloween" and "25 Days of Christmas."

About D23 EXPO 2015

D23 EXPO—The Ultimate Disney Fan Event—brings together all the worlds of Disney under one roof for three packed days of presentations, pavilions, experiences, concerts, sneak peeks, shopping, and more. The event provides fans with unprecedented access to Disney films, television, games, theme parks, and celebrities. For the latest D23 EXPO 2015 news, visit D23EXPO.com. To join the D23 EXPO conversation, make sure to follow @DISNeyD23 on Twitter and use #D23EXPO

About D23

The name "D23" pays homage to the exciting journey that began in 1923 when Walt Disney opened his first studio in Hollywood. D23 is the first official club for fans in Disney's 90-plus-year history. It gives its members a greater connection to the entire world of Disney by placing them in the middle of the magic through its quarterly publication, *Disney twenty-three*; a rich website at D23.com with members-only content; member-exclusive discounts; and special events for D23 Members throughout the year.

Fans can join D23 at Gold and General Membership levels at <u>D23.com</u> and at <u>DisneyStore.com/D23</u>. To keep up with all the latest D23 news and events, follow DisneyD23 on Twitter, Facebook, Pinterest, and YouTube.

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