FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE FIREWORKS BY GRUCCI BRINGS MAGIC TO NANTUCKET SKIES ON SUNDAY, JULY 3RD

World Renowned "First Family of Fireworks" Partners with the Town of Nantucket for Independence Day

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Who: Town of Nantucket What: Nantucket Independence Celebration When: July 3rd, 2016 at 9:00 PM! Where: Jetties Beach – Nantucket, MA

Thousands of tourists flock to Nantucket every 4th of July weekend to take in its magical charm and celebrate our nation's independence. This year, the town is teaming up with the 6th generation, Guinness World Record-Holding, Fireworks by Grucci for an astounding, internationally acclaimed fireworks extravaganza!

"Nantucket is one of the most beautiful places in the world, our team is honored and delighted to partner with the town for their Independence Day Celebration!" says CEO and Creative Director Phil Grucci. "At Fireworks by Grucci, we view our craft as an art form – designing precise choreography between light and sound to evoke emotion, dazzle the senses, and inspire. We hope that our show will capture all of the joy, struggle, and pride that Independence Day represents as we light up the skies over Jetties Beach!"

Beginning at 9pm, the fireworks display will last for an incredible 30 minutes. The show will feature a wide variety of special effects, including smiley faces, high aerials, and red, white, and blue USA shells!

Need a ride to Jetties Beach? Ride the WAVE! Bus transportation is available through the Nantucket Regional Transit Authority that evening from the Whaling Museum on Broad Street to Jetties Beach. For more information, visit <u>www.nrtawave.com</u>.

<u>Fun Facts</u>	
Fireworks Show Design: Phil Grucci	Chief Pyrotechnician: Ed Adam Jr.
Number of Days to Install: 2	Number of Pyrotechnicians: 5
Number of Man Hours to Set-Up: 120	Number of Hours to Choreograph: 45
Featured Fireworks: Grucci Grand Illuminations and High Aerials, including smiley faces and USA shells	

About Fireworks by Grucci: Fireworks by Grucci is a sixth-generation, family-owned and operated Fireworks Performance Company with its primary studio and corporate offices in Bellport, New York. Holders of the Guinness World Record for the "Largest Fireworks Display" ever recorded. Known as "America's First Family of Fireworks," the Gruccis have transformed the night skies to the delight of millions across the globe since 1850. They are world-renowned for pyrotechnic artistry, scientific innovation and old-fashioned values. Their signature performances include the recent official celebration of the 200th Anniversary of the National Anthem "Star Spangled Spectacular," in Baltimore, countless performances in and around Las Vegas, NV., seven consecutive U.S. Presidential Inaugurations; the Olympic Games in Beijing, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles and Lake Placid; commemorations such as the Centennial of the Statue of Liberty and star-studded extravaganzas including the grand opening of the Atlantis Dubai and the Palm Jumeirah Island in the United Arab Emirates. On New Year's Eve 2013, a stunning performance displaying 479,651 fireworks made its debut above Dubai's iconic skyline. The Gruccis achieved their "Largest Fireworks Display" title with this performance and smashed the Guinness Book of World Record's preceding mark. Phil Grucci currently serves as President, CEO and Creative Director of Fireworks by Grucci, Inc., the manufacturing entity of the Grucci group of companies.

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