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Sherlock Holmes returns to Cambridge in "The Case of the Circumstantial Covenant" Nov. 3-4

CAMBRIDGE, OH (Oct. 10, 2017) – The game's afoot in Cambridge, Ohio, as world-renowned detective, Sherlock Holmes, returns to Cambridge, Ohio on November 3-4 to solve the mystery of "The Case of the Circumstantial Covenant" during the city's 10-week holiday celebration, Dickens Victorian Village.

The famous detective Sherlock Holmes, accompanied by his indispensable sidekick, Dr. Watson, will join a shady cast of characters at St. Benedict's Social Hall this November to solve a case.

Join your fellow "partners in crime" for an exciting evening on Friday, November 3 as the case begins to take shape. Holmes faces a personal crisis as he and the good doctor attempt to unravel a web of lies woven by a potential black widow. Is it possible that the mysterious woman who shows up at 221B Baker St. in London is who she claims to be? And what of the boy? The dynamic duo of the Victorian Era will risk all to uncover the truth -- as strange as it may be. For as Holmes says, "Once you eliminate the impossible, whatever remains, no matter how improbable, must be the truth. "The evening includes desserts, coffee, and tea. Registration and seating begin at 7:30 p.m. with the start of the 'problem' occurring at 8:30 p.m.

The game continues on Saturday, November 4. Participants will return to the meeting place for Act II of the mystery where a hearty brunch is served along with Mr. Holmes, Dr. Watson, and the full cast of characters. Match your theories to the local authorities and London's unofficial consulting detective, Holmes himself. Are these the same twists and turns that you should be discovering? What are the secrets that Holmes has discovered and do they lead to your ability to solve the crime? Have you matched wits with the celebrated detective or are you a clueless wonderer?

"We are so thrilled that local playwright, Anne Chlovechok, has penned a fifth murder mystery about the adventures of Sherlock and Watson. The first murder mystery in 2009 was a huge success with residents and visitors. We can't wait to see the pair solve yet another crime!" Cambridge/Guernsey County VCB Director Debbie Robinson said.

Participants are encouraged to get into the spirit by donning Victorian attire and wandering Cambridge's picturesque streets in search of clues to solve the mystery and win the grand prize. The 86 Dickens Victorian Village scenes in Downtown Cambridge will set the tone for adventure. Participants will follow a map to sites that have certain 'pre-placed' clues.

The murder-mystery weekend will take place Nov. 3-4 in Cambridge. For ticket pricing and reservations, log on to <u>VisitGuernseyCounty.com</u> or call the VCB office at 800-933-5480.

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