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ODYSSEO'S 70 MAJESTIC HORSES GALLOP INTO SCOTTSDALE ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15

**RED CARPET ARRIVAL, "LIBERTY" DEMONSTRATION & UNIQUE BEHIND-THE-SCENES
VISIT AT SHOW SITE IN ADVANCE OF FIRST PERFORMANCE ON FEBRUARY 21**

A group of sworn officers attending the Tempe Police Mounted School will be joining members of the media for this special event in order to learn more about the relationship between human and horses at Cavalía, and the Cavalía training philosophy to help them further their educational program

WHAT: *Cavalía Odysseo's* seventy majestic horses will settle into their new home in Scottsdale – a spacious stable tent next to the show's signature White Big Top near Red Mountain 202 at McClintock Dr. in Scottsdale. Following a relaxing 10-day vacation at a California farm following a successful run in Camarillo, CA, the four-legged stars will meet the press during a red carpet arrival event. After the red carpet meet & greet with the horses, an *Odysseo* trainer will demonstrate the art of liberty training. Members of the media will experience a unique behind-the-scenes stable tour to get a glimpse of the *Cavalía Odysseo* daily routine and the first-class care provided to the horses. Alongside their four-legged co-stars, riders and acrobats will also be available to discuss the disciplines showcased in *Cavalía Odysseo*.

Samuel Alvarez, *Odysseo's* resident Artistic Director, will preside over a comprehensive visit of the largest touring production on earth by inviting journalists onto the massive stage, which is almost twice the size as the one seen during the last stop in Arizona, enabling larger-scale, cutting-edge creative performances. The new scenic space allowed to build a full 3-story high mountain built with 10,000 tons of rock, earth and sand for astounding fresh perspectives, literally recreating nature on stage. Workers will apply the finishing touches to the new performance area that also includes an 18-ton merry-go-round, a projection screen three times the size of an IMAX screen, a forest and the 80-ton technical grid. *Cavalía Odysseo* opens in Scottsdale on February 21. Even more magical, spectacular and grandiose than before, *Cavalía Odysseo* now features more horses - 70 horses of 12 different breeds; and more artists - 50 talented riders, acrobats, dancers and musicians. The \$30 million breathtaking production has grown considerably in size and scope over the last few years without losing its soul.

WHEN: **THURSDAY FEBRUARY 15 @ 11 AM**
Media check-in @ 10:45am

WHERE: *Odysseo* White Big Top in Scottsdale – Red Mountain 202 at McClintock Dr.
1475 N. McClintock Dr, Scottsdale, AZ 85257 - complimentary parking available

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ODYSSEO PRESS ROOM

For photos, show b-roll, music (mp3) and more information on the production, visit the *Odysseo* Press Room:

<https://cavalía.com/press/scottsdale>

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