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A Great Date is in the Swag Bag for Emmy Celebs

Los Angeles, CA – Sep 21, 2008 – Green was the theme at the Mix Media Award Suites at the Sofitel Hotel in WEHO which was packed with celebrities – proving that the push to “Go Green” is a high priority for all. And what better way to do your part in saving the environment (and your relationships) than by staying in and playing a round or two of the new dating activity, Playing the Field, the best way to cover your bases and discover more about your friends and lovers! Invented by Amanda Brown, it is on regular playing cards but has a cheeky conversation starting question on each card.

The talk of the Suites was the buzz around the blackjack table where Scott Copon of *Scorpion King II*, Reid Scott of *My Boys*, Jeremy Glazer of *Save Me*, McKay Stewart of *Eagle Eye* and Kato Kaelin were dealing hands of “Playing the Field” Blackjack and answering the questions on their cards with hosts Amanda Brown and Brandon Birtwistle. A great game that is on regular playing cards but has a wonderful conversation starting question on each card.

Amanda reported an overwhelming response from the celebrities that she met. “I knew that my game would cause quite a stir with everyone visiting the party, but I have been astounded by the feedback! I’ve been receiving phone calls for the past week from celebrities who pulled out their game and started playing it with friends as soon as they got home. It’s great to hear their stories and answers to the questions...opens up a whole new perspective into someone...whether you thought you knew everything about them or knew nothing at all.”

Touted as “your new BFF to take on a date with you” Amanda’s game has been featured on *CNN*, *Cosmopolitan Magazine*, *DailyCandy.com* and numerous other media outlets. She is presently being courted for various opportunities, but her ideal cameo? “*My Boys*,” said Amanda, “I think they could use a Dating Coach on their show who comes complete with a dating game that they could use for poker nights. I see a great story line in the making here! And after meeting Reid I would be delighted to spend a few hours hanging out on the set with him – what a great smile!”

As an added benefit to being included in one of the top Swag Suites surrounding the Emmys, she used her time with celebrity friends as a chance to highlight her charity of choice, Global Lead (www.globalleadprogram.org). Touted as the modern version of the Peace Corps, Global Lead was created by one of her close friends, Garrett Graveson. Based on the premise of overseas volunteer service, Global Lead connects students to projects abroad as a way of expanding cultural horizons and creating a greater

awareness of the world. Many of the celebrities visiting the suites enthusiastically answered and autographed playing cards which will be auctioned off next spring at a benefit gala supporting Global Lead. If you are interested in finding out the answers of the many celebrities...stay tuned next spring when their answers go on the auction block!

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