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Central Garden & Pet to Participate in Investor Conferences

Morgan Stanley Global Consumer & Retail Conference (December 1)
BofA Securities Leveraged Finance Conference (December 1)
KBCM Consumer Conference (December 10)

WALNUT CREEK, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Central Garden & Pet Company (NASDAQ: CENT) (NASDAQ: CENTA), a leading consumer goods company in the pet and garden industries, today announced that senior management will participate in the following investor conferences:

- **Morgan Stanley Global Consumer & Retail Conference (December 1)**
  InterContinental New York Barclay Hotel, New York, NY
  Brad Smith, Chief Financial Officer, and Friederike Edelmann, VP Investor Relations, will be available for one-on-one meetings with investors throughout the day. To request a meeting, please contact your Morgan Stanley representative or reach out to Central's Investor Relations team at IR@central.com.
- **BofA Securities Leveraged Finance Conference (December 1)**
  Boca Raton Hotel, Boca Raton, FL
  Niko Lahanas, Chief Executive Officer, will host a fireside chat on Tuesday, December 1, at 10:10 a.m. ET (7:10 a.m. PT). Niko Lahanas and Andrew Hovanes, VP Finance & Corporate Treasurer, will be available for one-on-one meetings with investors throughout the day. A live webcast of the fireside chat will be available to registered participants at https://bit.ly/4CdJaE0.
- **KBCM Consumer Conference (December 10)**
  Virtual
  Brad Smith, Chief Financial Officer, will host a fireside chat on Thursday, December 10, at 2:15 p.m. ET (11:15 a.m. PT). Brad Smith, Greg Andrews, CFO Pet Segment, and Friederike Edelmann, VP Investor Relations, will be available for one-on-one meetings with investors throughout the day. A live webcast of the fireside chat will be available to registered participants at https://bit.ly/3VsaBtk. To request a meeting, please contact your KBCM representative or reach out to Central's Investor Relations team at IR@central.com.

Replays of the webcast fireside chats will also be available following the events in the Investor Relations section of Central's website at https://ir.central.com.

About Central Garden & Pet

Central Garden & Pet Company (NASDAQ: CENT) (NASDAQ: CENTA) understands that home is central to life and has proudly nurtured happy and healthy homes for over 45 years. With fiscal 2025 net sales of $3.1 billion, Central is on a mission to lead the future of the pet and garden industries. The Company's innovative and trusted products are dedicated to helping lawns grow greener, gardens bloom bigger, pets live healthier, and communities grow stronger. Central is home to a leading portfolio of more than 60 high-quality brands including Amdro®, Aqueon®, Cadet®, C&S®, Farnam®, Ferry-Morse®, Four Paws®, Kaytee®, Nylabone® and Pennington®, strong manufacturing and distribution capabilities, and a passionate, entrepreneurial growth culture. Central is based in Walnut Creek, California, with more than 6,000 employees primarily across North America. Visit www.central.com to learn more.

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