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August 8, 2011

6:00 PM - education

7:00 PM - business meeting

Edward Christian
~DINING~

115 W. Plymouth St, Bremen, IN

Please RSVP to Bela Szalay at
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Officers Reports

President's Report: Chef Greg Beachey CCC, CIC– Unavailable

Vice President's Report: Brent Spring - would like to encourage suggestions for the education segment of the meetings, what would you, the members be interested in learning about? Please don't hesitate to discuss ideas.

Any one who would like to host a meeting is encouraged to contact me. The press release for the ACF National Elections was discussed. The Central Region has a new vice president, Kyle Richardson, CEC, CCE, CHE, AAC, a professor of culinary arts at Joliet Junior College, Joliet, IL. There are details on the national website for a dues deferral program to assist chefs who are currently seeking employment.

Treasurer's Report: Chef Charu Pant CCC- The treasurer's ledger keeps track of all ACF South Bend Chefs and Cooks Association money as a whole, and allocates funds to individual accounts (scholarships). The ledger will be maintained by the treasurer and may be reviewed by any members upon request. Still trying to make contact with members of the Junior League to solidify numbers.

Recording Secretary's Report: Chef Karen Reynolds CEC– I issued an apology to Aaron Perri for the misspelling of his name in the past newsletter, sorry Aaron.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: Chef April Howell CC– issued no report but brought 5 of her students from the nutrition class to visit the meeting.

Committee Reports

Membership Chair: Chef Greg Beachey CCC–

Certification Chair:

Scholarship Chair: Brent Spring– STUDENTS! Check out the scholarships on line! All scholarship applications are available on our web site. Deadlines do apply.

Chef and Child Chair: Chef Alan Seidler CEC– We will closed out the 2011 school year with the Lincoln Kindergarten program (3rd year). We presented our program to 50+ children 2 weeks in a row on Tuesday May 17th and 24th from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. Thank you to Chef Patsy, Chef Bob, and to Corby Hall. We changed up the program in order to keep the attention of 50 kindergartners for an hour. Chef Patsy and Bob did a wonderful job of presenting and reiterating food safety, sanitation, and nutrition throughout the presentation.

We have guests today:

Karen Case SNS, Nutrition Education Facilitator, SBSCS. Future project with SBSCS (McKinley School)

Apprenticeship Chair: Chef Don Miller CEC,CCE,AAC –

Old Business:

New Business:

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Thank you! To Chef Marty Carpenter CCC and Tom Quinn, Canadian trade commissioner for the very educational seminar on Canadian beef.

Thank you to Charu Pant CCC and all his helpers, he organized the event.

The culinarians code was read by an Ivy Tech student named Jalani, sorry, but I don't have his last name and it's not on the sign in sheets.

The minutes from the May meeting were accepted as printed in the newsletter.

August meeting will be held in Bremen, IN, at Edward Christian Dining.

Katie Butler inducted as a member tonight.

Ralph and Elise will be meeting soon to organize the chili cook off on Sunday, October 2, 2011, time 12:00 - 4:00. The event will be at Heritage Square again this year and they plan to have handouts ready for the August meeting. Half the proceeds benefit the Food Bank of Northern Indiana.

The chapter currently has 43 culinarian and 21 student members.

Page 2 officer reports included.

Motion to adjourn: 7:55 pm

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ACF South Bend Scholarships Available


<u>Scholarship</u>	Member 5 day course at CIA
Junior League Starter Scholarship.....	Junior Member Tools and Classes
Junior League Regional Conference Scholarship.....	Active Member Registration, Lodging, travel
Ivy Tech Endowment Scholarship.....	Up to \$500 per semester
Chef of the Year Scholarship.....	Conference expenses and one year's dues
President's Certification Award.....	Initial Certification expenses up to \$500


**Deadlines may apply, check the website:
<http://www.acfsouthbendchefs.org/resources/>**

Driving directions to Edward Christian Dining in Bremen, IN.

Take 331 south to Bremen. Continue south to junction 106 (Plymouth Street). Turn left (east) onto Plymouth Street and proceed about 6 blocks. Edward is on the right just past Montgomery Street. If you get to Jackson Street you have gone too far.

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL





Sunday, October 2 Noon - 4pm
Town Square, Heritage Square Shopping Plaza

APPLICATION:

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Business or Organization _____

THIRTY SPOTS AVAILABLE: First 30 applications received will be given a space.

ACF WILL PROVIDE: *1-8 ft table *cups *spoons *napkins *crackers
*limited electrical outlets-please have alternate heat source

ENTRANT WILL PROVIDE: *\$25 entry fee (waived for ACF members)
*10-15 gallons chili *banners and/or decorations *heat source (outlets limited)

JUDGING: Best chili determined by celebrity panel and popular vote.

Proceeds to be split equally with the Food Bank of Northern Indiana.

PRESENTED BY ACF SOUTH BEND CHEFS AND COOKS ASSOCIATION

Calendar of Events

2011

August

- 8 Chapter Meeting: Edward Christian Dining
Bremen, IN
- 27 Art Beat: Downtown South Bend, IN
11:00am - 6:00pm

September

- 12 Chapter Meeting: to be determined

October

- 2 Chili Cook Off: 12:00 - 4:00
Martin's Supermarket in Heritage Square,
Mishawaka, IN
- 10 Chapter Meeting: to be determined



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If you are interested in hosting a meeting during 2009, contact Patsy Wyman at (574)289-7001 ex.1036 or pwyman@ivytech.edu

The ACF South Bend Video Library is available on line at:

<http://www.acfsouthbendchefs.org/library.php>

Select the video you would like to borrow and contact Chef Gordon Turley at (574)259-8657. Chef Turley



On the Web

www.acfsouthbendchefs.org

New things are being added daily!

Quotable Quotes

"Gardening is about enjoying the smell of things growing in the soil, getting dirty without feeling guilty, and generally taking the time to soak up a little peace and serenity."

Lindley Karstens

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#1002 \$46.00

#1005 \$75.00

**ACF South Bend 13th Annual Michiana Chili Cook-off
Participation Agreement**

I, _____ plan to participate in the ACF 13th Annual Michiana Chili Cook-off. I (We) will represent _____ and understand that we will supply the following:

- \$25.00 entry fee to reserve your space (fee waived for ACF members)
- At least 15 gallons of chili
- A St. Joseph County Temporary Food Handlers Permit
- A signed statement that chili is prepared in a licensed kitchen
- Decorations and banners to display at the booth
- A basket or container to hold cups/spoons/napkins/etc
- Heat source to keep chili hot at booth (**outlets limited!**)
- Certificate of Insurance (if not a member of South Bend ACF) 7 days before event.

The ACF South Bend Chefs and Cooks Association and Martin's Super Markets will supply the following:

- 1 8-foot table
- Electric outlet (outlets limited; first come, first served)
- Sampling cups
- Sampling spoons
- Napkins
- Crackers

Creativity in garnish and presentation is purely up to you. Additional items seen in past cook-offs; tortilla chips and strips, tamales, sour cream, shredded cheese, salsas, etc.
Have fun!

Signature _____ Date _____

Please send \$25 entry fee to

Martin's Super Markets
Attn: Elise Kunkel
7355 Heritage Square Drive
Granger, IN 46530

Make checks payable to ACF of South Bend

For more information, please contact **Ralph Pieniazkiewicz (574) 631-5621**
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