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February 7, 2011

6:00 PM - education

7:00 PM - business meeting



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Officers Reports

President's Report: Chef Greg Beachey CCC, CIC– Thank you to Legend's Restaurant and thank you to the apprentices and Chef Miller for their wine making demonstration. Congratulations to Charu Pant and Brett Jacobs for their chef of the year awards. Ballots for the Central Region Herman G. Rusch Award have eight candidates this year.

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. Due to the February 14, Valentine Day holiday, the chapter meeting will be changed to the first Monday of the month, February 7. The Junior League Fundraiser will be held March 6, 2011 at the Center for History in downtown South Bend.

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.— Financials and budget information will be available for discussion at the February meeting. Proposals voted on tonight will most likely be supported by future fundraising events.

Recording Secretary's Report: Chef Karen Reynolds CEC– Asked the members is they would like more information included in the newsletter regarding competitions and/or certification exams. The members prefer to do their own research on these matters.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: Chef April Howell-

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. Welcome to the three students who attended the meeting.

Chef and Child Chair: Chef Alan Seidler CEC– We are scheduled to go to Wilson Primary Center on Friday, January 21,2010. Program starts at 5 p.m. - 6 p.m.. I will be there at 4:45 p.m. to set up.

I am returning from Tucson, AZ. late Thursday the 20th.

I will have all hardware and paper supplies organized and ready to go before I leave (Thursday 1-13-11).

Karen Strom to give us an estimated number of attendees.

Chef Patsy is helping me out with food prep. Let me know if you can commit t assisting. We are scheduled at LaSalle School in Mishawaka the following Thursday, Jan 27 from 5:15p.m. -6:15 p.m. and then at Battell School on Feb. 24, 2011.

Apprenticeship Chair: Chef Don Miller CEC,CCE,AAC – Announced he is starting a new apprentice on July 1, 2011. Brett Jacobs is finishing his apprenticeship soon. A few new field trips are in the works, but nothing is solidified at this point.

Old Business: proposal information on page 2

New Business: How can we get more chef members to attend?

Some ideas are as follows: tighten (have) agenda, provide better content and improve education seminars.

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Minutes from Chapter Meeting

January 10, 2011

7:08 p.m.

Thank you to Legend's Restaurant for hosting and to the apprentices and Chef Miller for their wine making demonstration.

Alan Seidler read the culinarian's code.

Thank you to Palais Royal and all the work of the students and apprentices for their work on the December dinner. There were 50 people in attendance and the meal was wonderful.

Ballots for the Central Region Herman G. Rusch Award have been distributed and there are eight candidates listed. This chapter will be voting for Chef Denis Ellis, CEC ,AAC.

Proposals:

- 1: To change the name of the Fischhoff Fund to the ACF Competition Fund (assets go with the name). Passed
- 2: Establish an ACF Benevolent Fund to assist members experiencing hardship. Passed
- 3: Division of funds from the ArtBeat event. Passed
- 4: Culinary Tour proposal to assist 4 members with this one-time-gift scholarship. Passed
- 5: ACF Conference registration scholarship to be used at either the regional or national by as many as 8 members. Passed

The recording secretary, April Howell CC was installed as an officer, she took her oath tonight.

Up for discussion is the manner in which the chapter votes on issues. It has been suggested that proposals could be voted on and passed by a 2/3 vote of present members and not lay dormant until a quorum is in attendance. For this to be successful, the proposals must be in writing and available to all members. This may require that proxy votes be allowed and counted at the monthly meeting. Monetary issues, scholarship issues and changes to by-laws would not qualify for this process.

Motion to adjourn: 8:15 p.m.

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ACF South Bend Scholarships Available

<u>Scholarship</u>	
Junior League Starter Scholarship.....	Member 5 day course at CIA 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/>**

Please note that the monthly chapter meeting has been
Changed from February 14 to be held on February 7 due to
the Valentine Day holiday. It will be held at Ivy Tech,
South Bend.

Calendar of Events

2011

February

7 Chapter Meeting: Ivy Tech South Bend

March

8 Chapter Meeting

April

12 Chapter Meeting

17 - 20 Regional Conference: New Orleans, LA



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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

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Quotable Quotes

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