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November 14, 2011

6:00 PM - education

7:00 PM - business meeting



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Officers Reports

President's Report: Chef Greg Beachey CCC, CIC– Currently preparing the application for the chapter achievement award that needs to be sent to the national office.

Vice President's Report: Brent Spring - Currently working out details for the Ivy Tech culinary trip to New York City in May of 2012. The meeting in November will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn, Gilesie Conference Center, on the campus of St. Mary's College. We will be including the members of the local American Chemist's Society to discuss wine making and tasting. The discussion will revolve around the science and chemistry behind the process.

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. Chili cook off expenses were a little higher this year but it was still productive. There were 17 contestants, 681 paid attendees, and we will work on controlling costs for next year.

Recording Secretary's Report: Chef Karen Reynolds CEC– A recommendation was made to let the student representatives be responsible for keeping the facebook page updated.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: Chef April Howell CC–

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 participated in the following events

-Battell Elementary School (Mishawaka): 25 students and parents

-Wilson Primary Center (South Bend): 28 parents and students

-Harrison Primary Center (South Bend): 56 parents and students

-McKinley School family fall harvest. 108 parents and students

-LaSalle Elementary School (Mishawaka): 24 parents and students.

Thank you to NDH for supplying pasta and Chicken and Veggie Stir fry ingredients.

Thank you to Bob Noble, Sarah Stroup, Tony Williams, Patsy Wyman, and Brenda Miller.

Thanks again to Bob Noble who helped me in all but one of these events.

Up coming:

October 19th – Unity Gardens fall harvest cooking demo at Potawatomi park (6 p.m. -7p.m.).

October 27th at Navarre School (5-6p.m.)

November 17 at Greene Scholl (5-6p.m.)

Apprenticeship Chair: Chef Don Miller CEC,CCE,AAC – The apprenticeship committee is starting a new apprentice at Notre Dame October 22. Another may possibly start in January 2012. Some changes have been made to the apprenticeship programs, the educational hours have been reduced, the logbook entries will be digital, and sustainability issues will be studied. Apprenticeship report must be submitted to the national office by November 1 or the chapter will suffer a late fee. Alcona Country Club has declined to take on an apprentice. Adam Weber graduates the program in January 2012.

Old Business:

New Business: Chef Don Miller has received nomination for the Chef Professionalism award.

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Chapter Meeting Minutes:

October 10, 2011
7:00 p.m.

Thank you to Garrick Trotter for his cake decorating demonstration.

Brent Spring welcomed several visitors.

Culinarians code was read by chef Alan Seidler.

The NRA show has been moved and will be two weeks earlier in the year in 2012. It will be held the first week end in May.

Chapter Elections! We will be voting in November for chapter president, recording secretary, student member representative, chef of the year, and student chef of the year.

The candidates are listed on page 4 of the newsletter.

The November meeting will be in conjunction with the local American Chemist's Society.

Motion to adjourn: 7:40 p.m.

FYI

The president of the ACF, Michael Ty, will be in Chicago, IL on November 12 and would like to attend our humble chapter meeting November 14.

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/>**



Nominations

Nominations for officers are as follows:

Chapter president: Alan Seidler
Recording secretary: Melissa Bradley
Student representative: Melissa Clear, Katie Butler
Student chef of the year: Adam Weber, Josh Anodar, Melissa Bradley
Chapter chef of the year: Brent Spring, Elise Kunkel, Ralph Pieniazkiewicz

Calendar of Events

2011

November

- 14 Chapter Meeting: Hilton Garden Inn
Gilespie Center on the campus of St. Mary's

December

- 12 Chapter Meeting: To be determined

2012

January

- 9 Chapter Meeting: To be determined



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

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