



North County African American Women's Association

15th Annual GENTLEMEN'S GOURMET *"Come to the Cabaret"*

A Scholarship Fundraiser (ID# 501C 7053120014011)

Saturday, October 15, 2011

6PM – 10PM

St Margaret Hall – 4300 Oceanside Blvd. – Oceanside, CA 92056

Dear Gourmet Chef;

The North County African American Women's Association (NCAAWA) is a non-profit organization and a mentoring network committed to helping our youth and young women in need of developing their personal and professional goals. Through your participation in the *Gentlemen's Gourmet*, you are supporting our efforts in generating the financial support needed for educational and vocational scholarship awards.

We invite all professional and amateur **male chefs** to participate in this event by contributing their culinary talents to this worthwhile goal. **Professional Chefs** can use this gourmet to advertise their businesses to hundreds of guests who are coming to enjoy your dishes. For those of you with a competitive edge, **the Grand Prize** – “the **Best Overall Chef**” will be **awarded \$200; first Place - Best Professional Chef \$125. First Place - Best Amateur Chef \$125; People's Choice Chef \$100.** Trophies will be presented in each category as determined by a panel of judges. **Professional and amateur chefs** will be judged separately. Admission for **participating chefs** is complimentary. **Other guests must purchase a ticket for \$40.00 in advance, \$45 at the door. Please encourage your friends and family to attend and cast their vote for you as their “People's Choice” winner.** Ticket sales have already begun and historically this has been a sold out event.

Culinary Categories (You may enter in more than one category)

*Appetizers *Sides (Vegetables/Salads/Breads) *Entrees *Soups/Gumbo/Chili *Pasta Dishes *Barbecue *Desserts

Special Directions for Participating Chefs

- All food should be prepared and ready to serve upon arrival at the event.
- Each dish should serve 50-60 guests (small portions).
- Hot foods should be kept warm (please bring an extension cord if heating is required).
- Please bring your own serving utensils, i.e., spoon, spatula, knife, etc.
- Judging is from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.
- No judging for dishes brought after guest arrives.
- Please inform us in advance of any special setup needs (ex. electrical outlet, extra table, etc).

-----Cut and return-----

I will ___ participate as a Chef. Culinary Category (ies) _____

Name of Dish(s) _____ Phone Number _____

Name _____ E-mail _____

Address _____ City _____ ST _____ Zip _____

I will not ___ be able to participate this year but please keep me on your mailing list.

Complete and return no later than **Friday, October 7, 2011, *this will insure your inclusion in our program.*** Please fax to 760-529-0875 or return your completed application to **NCAAWA Gentlemen's Gourmet, 211 Brooks Street, P.O. Box 2075, Oceanside, CA 92051-2075 in the self addressed stamped envelope. You may also complete the application online at www.ncaawa.org For information/questions call 760-978-6534**

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