



ARROWHEAD PROFESSIONAL CHEFS
P.O. Box 16486, Duluth, MN 55816

February 9th. 2004

Before the meeting Steve Johnson from CHS Cenex Harvest State gave a demonstration on tortilla chips and flour tortillas. They were the Cruz brand labels available through your food distributors. They are preservative free and they offer a pressed, stretched, and a die-cut.

Secretary Gary Baregi called the meeting to order after the presentation in the absence of Dan Flesch who was down in the Twin Cities for Duluth days.

The minutes were accepted from last months meeting.

Paul gave the treasures report and we still have \$800.00 out from the golf outing.

We are down from last month due to the "Cooking is for Kids" and some registration fees for the upcoming regional conference.

The next 6 months rent is due in February and that will take away \$1800.00 from our kitty. But we have the Signature Series Dinner and the Brunch coming up in the next two months as fundraisers to off set that cost.

NEW BUSINESS

Our web site should be up and running in about 30 days. We are working with Murphy McGinnis to set it up. Once it is up and running we will be able to go in and make any changes that we need to make.

Patrick Plys will be looking into renting a bus for the **April Meeting** to be held at the **Hibbing Technical College**. We would like to see a large group of members attend this meeting. Let us know if you are planning on coming so we know how big of a bus we need to rent.

Mike Tillman had asked that anyone that is going to the regional conference if they could get some information on the practical testing for certification, it would be beneficial to the club so we know what to expect for those that would like to seek certification.

Regional conference will be held in Chicago March 31st. thru April 4th. Those that are planning to attend make sure that you have your registration in and you hotel and airline booked. Keep your receipts so that Paul may reimburse you.

We Can Ride will be held this year on Sunday March 7th. If you would like to participate in this event contact John Riley at (612) 221-4270 he would be able to give you more information on this event. It is for a well worthy cause and a lot of fun to participate.

OLD BUSINESS

Signature Series dinner will be held at the Holiday Great Lakes Ballroom Sunday March 28th. Ticket prices are \$50.00 and are available through Rocky Mountain Chocolate or the Lake Ave. Café or you can get them through Gary. The classes have started as of February 19th and run through March 25th. One ticket will be given away at each class. The club will receive \$100.00 for each class taught. For those teaching the class the Blue Heron will give you a check made out to the chefs club at the end of your class. Make sure you get to Paul.

The annual Brunch will be held at the DECC Sunday May 2nd. Ticket prices will be \$25.00 Paul will bring tickets to the March meeting for you to sell. Have a list of the items that you will be serving at the brunch to Paul by the March meeting or no later than the April meeting. I will bring posters for anyone that wishes to post them.

This is an election year so we need to appoint 6 members to the board by the May meeting 2004. I am enclosing a ballot sheet for all members to vote. There are instructions on the bottom of how to turn them in. It is important that everyone votes for members that they feel would do a good job on the board. We want to keep our club running viably for the next two years. If you wish to **NOT** be elected as a board member please let us know so we may pass on that information to those that may want to vote for you.

It looks like 5-Star will be doing a demonstration before the March meeting.

NEXT MONTHS MEETING WILL BE MARCH 8TH. 6:30 P.M. AT THE OFFICE SPACE.

UPCOMING EVENTS

SIGNATURE SERIES DINNER

ANNUAL BRUNCH

ELECTIONS

Submitted by Gary Baregi

SUNDAY MARCH 28TH.

SUNDAY MAY 2ND.

MONTH OF MAY

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