



ARROWHEAD PROFESSIONAL CHEFS
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9-12-05

The September meeting was hosted by Chef Paul at the DECC. Paul and his staff provided us with a great meal. Thanks to Paul and the DECC for letting us use the space.

The meeting was called to order by President Dan Flesch at 7:10 pm.

We need to start selling some of the website sponsorships to help off set the cost of operating the site. \$200 sponsorships are available to anyone. They will get a front page "new sponsor" highlight, plus the ability to access and use our local job finder function. The club will periodically run ads in the news tribune classified section directing people, in search of food related jobs, to our website. Just this feature alone is well worth the sponsorship. Plus, sponsors will have full color logo icon links on our sponsorship page. Please tell all of your vendors, brokers, manufacturer's and anyone else who could benefit from this sponsorship program, to sign up today.

The Club made a financial donation to the Buddy Walk. The walk is to promote awareness and advocacy for people with Down Syndrome. Patrick Plys is also looking for 3-4 volunteers to help with the walk on Sunday, September 25, 2005. Please email Patrick at patrickplys@aol.com, or call him at his office 218-728-3435.

Patrick Plys will be doing a "Cooking is for Kids" program through out the spring at Congdon Park Elementary School. He will need some volunteers to help with this in the Spring.

Bob Bennett spoke about the Hurricane Katrina relief fundraiser, "Taste For New Orleans", Fitger's and Bennett's on the Lake are sponsoring. The event will be held Tuesday, September 27. 100% of the monies raised will go directly to the Red Cross. If you would like to help out by donating time, money or product to this cause, please contact Kathy Bennett at 218-722-2829 for more information. They are also looking for silent auction donations.

There are still a few spots available for our trip to Italy. If you are at all interested please contact Travis Johnson at tjohnson1@smdc.org or at 218-786-1050 for more information. Group 1 leaves Duluth on November 2, and Group 2 leaves on November 9, 2005.

A motion was made by Travis Johnson, for the Club to purchase a digital camera. The motion was seconded and approved by the club to make the purchase. The camera will be used to take photo's at club sponsored events and other club related activities.

The "2005 Arrowhead Professional Chefs Golf Classic" will be held Monday, September 19, 2005. We are still in need of hole sponsors and silent auction/raffle items. Please make an attempt to round up some auction/raffle items to help with this event. The tournament starts at 12 noon sharp, with social hour and meal immediately following.

Jennifer Young, a local entrepreneur, came to the meeting to tell us about her "cooking wares store", scheduled to open Spring of 2006. The store will offer a wide variety of kitchen wares, and also house a cooking school. Make sure to checkout her new store when it opens. We will keep you posted.

Earlier this year, we decided to move the Brunch to the Fall. Due to an extremely busy Fall season we have decided to move it back to the Spring. Stay tuned for more details!

We have decided to participate in the "Death by Chocolate" Fundraiser again this coming February 13, 2005. We will talk more about this in the months to come.

The next meeting will be held, October 10th, 2005 at Patrick and Heather Moore's Twin Gables Restaurant in Brule, WI. We will carpool from the DECC parking lot at 5 pm. Call Travis to arrange for a ride. 218-786-1050.