

Minutes from the ACF Meeting
October 25, 2005

- Meeting started at 6:15 pm with an educational program by William Norton of Curly's Ribs.
- Dinner followed.
- The General Meeting was called to order at 7:15pm.
- The minutes were taken by Frankie Jedneak in Paul's absence.
- Pledge of Allegiance.
- Self-introductions--starting with the Board.
- Thank you to the hosts Dan Salem and US Foodservice. Also to William Norton for the Educational part.
- Minutes- as posted on the Web.
 - Motion to Accept-- Mark Good
 - Seconded-- Chuck D.
 - Vote- passed
- Committee Reports
 - Fundraising
 - Helping paws Certificates are being done and will be passed out.
 - Pica Head start is Dec. 10 at the McKnight Center. Prep will be the night before
 - The main cooking will be on Saturday.
 - Romance in Minnetonka-- This year the Romance will be held at the Sheraton West in Minnetonka. The Chef of the Brigade will be Scott Biehl, the co- chair will be Chris Sturzl. The auction chair will be Steve Venne. Please start getting items together for the Silent Auction and get them to Steve.
 - Membership -- nothing at this time.
 - Central Regional Conference-- Trade Show If you know of any one interested in being at the trade show please give their names to either Steve Venne or Jim Lund so they can be given to MBI.
 - Juniors'-- November 19 Sharon Gilsrud will be doing a chocolate demo at Hennepin Tech. North Campus. Other dates None in December. January -- a Wine Tasting, February-- Olive oil Tasting and March-- Beer tasting. Watch the Website for further details.
 - Scholarships-- Letters have been sent out to the recipients to invite them to the Awards Dinner to receive the Scholarships. They will be given one ticket to the dinner along with a Chef's coat. This year we awarded five Scholarships.
 - Website--Please send any information to Jim Lund at chefjim1@msn.com.
 - Are you Really ACF-- It looks like we will be getting another Gold Plate. This is great.
 - PR-- Cheri will now have two more people to help her with this. Andrea Gustafson and Mike M. from Foodservice News will be helping out.
 - Chef and Child-- Kid's Cafe is looking for chefs to work with them. Contact Mark Good if you can help.
 - By-laws and Elections-- Nothing at this time

-- AAC-- Nothing to report.

-- Historian-- Please get any items from the past or present to either Steve Schuster or Frankie Jedneak. We are looking for photos, articles and any other items.

--Old Business

-- The Southeast Chapter will be doing the Chef tracs program again this year. The price is \$30.

--New Business

-- The Southwest chapter presented Chris Dwyer with a check for Katrina Aid. We will send it with the other money that has been raised.

-- Awards Banquet-- The Dinner this year is being held at the Wellstead of Rogers. Purchase tickets from Chris Dwyer. 300 tickets are available for this awesome dinner

Motion to Adjourn

Accepted-- Ellie Koopman

Seconded-- Todd Summers

Adjourned-- 8:00 pm.