



**American Culinary Federation  
Greater Grand Rapids Chefs**

May 4<sup>th</sup>

**Grand Rapids May ACF Meeting  
Zoom Quarantine meeting**

General meeting– 5:30pm

Presentation – 6:15pm

**Board Introductions**

**Board Chair – Andrew Eggert**

**Vice President – Jenn Fillenworth**

**Treasurer – Jason Welnitz**

**Diversity Chair – Oscar Moreno**

**Marketing Chair – Christina Bodanza**

**Volunteer Chair – Sarah Waller**

**Student Liaison Chair (KCTC) – Matt Jensen**

**Student Liaison Chair (GRCC) – Jenn Fillenworth**

**Educations and Meeting Chair – Jay Monson**

**President – Shawn Kohlhaas**

**Secretary – Justin Stermin**

**Community Outreach – David Olson**

**Sergeant at Arms – Cyril Mayne**

**Membership Chair - Chad Dietrich**

**Certification Chair – Andrew Eggert**

**Diversity Committee**

**Chair – Oscar Moreno**

**Members – None**

**Marketing Committee**

**Chair – Christina Bodanza**

**Members – None**

**Board meeting**

- Roll Call – Cyril Mayne
- Justin Stermin to make sure Zoom is being recorded
- President's Report – Shawn Kohlhaas
  - Open forum at the end of the agenda. Please type in comments to address at the end of the agenda.
  - Reach out Initiative
  - KFB fundraiser BBQ

- KFB – FFK event needs auction items
  - Feeding First responders and frontline initiative
  - Diversity chair - NEW!!!! Chef Oscar from Mexo
- Vice President’s Report – Jenn Fillenworth
  - VP Report
- Treasurers Report – Jason Welnitz
  - Current balance
  - Expenditures
  - New revenue
- Marketing chair – Christina Bodanza
  - New marketing committee members?
- Community Outreach –David Olson
  - Chefs with Benefits – Launch April 1<sup>st</sup> - Postponed
- Diversity Chair – **Oscar Moreno**
  - First step is to work on inviting and getting more ethnic food service professionals involved in meetings/ events/educational opportunities
- Student Liaison Chairs – Jennifer Fillenworth, Matthew Jensen
  - KCTC liaison update – Matthew Jensen
  - GRCC liaison update – Jenn Fillenworth
- Certification Chair – Andrew Eggert, CEC
  - Certifications plans for 2020?
- Volunteer Chair – Sarah Waller
  - Volunteers needed?
- Membership chair – Chad Dietrich
  - New members?

### **Events Chairs**

- Feast for Kids Chair –Andrew Eggert & Shawn Kohlhaas
  - Update – Andrew Eggert
- Summer BBQ – Shawn Kohlhaas turning to Jay Monson
  - New email sent to Bill. Currently still planning on the event.
- Brew Competition Chair – Shawn Kohlhaas w/ Jay Monson
  - Started competition early – April 7<sup>th</sup>
  - Need entries by June 1st
- March of Dimes Signature Chef Event – Jenn Fillenworth
  - Update
- GFS Food Show – Jay Monson

- ALL Michigan Meeting – Sent out email to all MI ACF presidents on 2/26/20
- ACF Booth

## Open forum to speak about needs in the community

### 2020 Schedule of Events & Dates

- **????** Feast for Kids for Kids Food Basket – Noto's Old World Italian
- 4/1/20 - Chef brew competition applications submission begins
- 5/4/20 – **????** ACF May meeting – Zoom call
- 6/1/20 – Chef brew competition applications submission ends
- 6/11/20 – ACF Summer BBQ – Michaels and Associates
- 6/15/20 - Chef brew competition winner announced
- 8/?/20 – August Meeting – Foraging rip – With who? (Start quarterly meetings?)
- 9/14/20 – Farm Country Cheese tour and dinner
- 9/?/20 – ACF Brew launch Party
- 10/6/20 –All Michigan ACF meeting – GFS Food Show
- 11/?/20 – Signature Chef event
- 11/?/20 – November Meeting - ?
  
- Adjournment – Shawn Kohlhaas

**Chef David Olson - Demo**

### March Meeting Minutes