

Cowboys & Cowgirls Who Cook IX Thursday, October 27, 2011
The Admiral on Clear Lake @ Endeavour Marina
3101 NASA Parkway ~ Seabrook

Celebrity Chef Information and Instruction Form

Please **email** us the following information:

- a) Provide the name of your recipe and the appropriate category
- b) Categories are: Appetizer, Side Dish, Entrée, Dessert, Rodeo Texas
- c) Chefs will have a name card pre-printed and placed at their station.

Day of the Event Instructions:

- 1) Prepare your dish in advance, for 100 or more 1 oz. servings.
- 2) Transport your dish, to the event, in a disposable serving tray
- 3) If you are preparing a hot dish, please bring it in a chafing dish to keep it warm.
- 4) The event begins at 6:00 PM so please be there for set up **no later than 5:30PM**
- 5) This year each chef will decorate their own chef station; there will be basic Halloween colors linens - black, orange, white - so plan you decorations around that. Doesn't have to be elaborate but should be enough to catch the judges attention.
- 6) There will be celebrity judges for Best Decorated Chef Station, Crowd Pleaser (People's Choice) and best of each food category (listed above). There are even two new categories this year – "Best Amateur Chef and Best Professional Chef".
- 7) You will receive a collector's pin commemorating your participation in this year's event. New chefs will receive a *Cowboys & Cowgirls Who Cook* apron and pin. **Returning chefs please bring your Cowboys & Cowgirls Who Cook apron with you.**

Event Tickets: \$35 Each

Chefs will be admitted with a wristband and may have one additional guest. We would like to enthusiastically encourage you to invite your family, friends and business contacts to attend this event. After all, you do want to showoff your culinary expertise! In your email, please indicate the number of tickets you would like and we will reserve your tickets for you.

The event features live music by Kelly McGuire Band. Described as "an award-winning singer/songwriter that will make you smile, cry, tap your toes, kiss your guitar and call your momma with his great storylines", Kelly resides in the Clear Lake area of Houston. Nominated for ENTERTAINER as well as PRODUCER of the Year for the 2008 Texas Music Awards, he was also awarded ALBUM of the YEAR for his third CD "Boat in Belize" with its island & sailing theme. Kelly has also been nominated for 3 awards this year in the 2011 Trop-Rock Music Awards as Male Vocalist, Songwriter, and Musician of the Year. His 5th CD was released this year, "King of the Island", it sums up Kelly's history on Belize and how he feels about performing on the beach a few feet from the water to a hundred or so of his friends and fans and most of those nights, he truly felt like "King of the Island"!

To purchase additional tickets, or if you have any other questions please feel free to contact one of our event coordinators -

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