

Chapter accomplishments 1968 - 2017

- 1968** First official Meeting of Chefs in Las Vegas and beginning of our Chapter
- 1976** Joined the American Culinary Federation
- 1977** Incorporated with the State of Nevada
- 1978** Printed our First Cookbook
- 1979** ACF National Chapter of the Year.
- 1980** Host Chapter, National ACF Convention, MGM
ACF National Chapter of the Year
Printed our Second Cookbook
- 1987** 1st Place Las Vegas Rib Burn-off
- 1989** Host Chapter, National ACF Convention, Caesars Palace
Michael Ty, CEC, AAC – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Jack Braun CEC, AAC
Claude Lambertz – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Jack Braun, CEC, AAC
- 1990** 1st Place ACF Chapter Newsletter “*Mise En Place*”
Van Atkins, CEC – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Jack Braun, CEC, AAC
- 1991** 1st Year Las Vegas, ACF Apprentice Program
Produced Career Video for Young Culinarians
Gold Award “*Are You Really ACF*”
1st Place ACF Chapter Newsletter “*Mise En Place*”
Western Regional Chef Professionalism Award, Michael Ty, CEC AAC
Western Regional Chef of the Year Award, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
Chefs for Kids, was founded
- 1992** Gold Award “*Are You Really ACF*”
1st Place ACF Chapter Newsletter “*Mise En Place*”
Chef and Child Little Oscar Award
- 1993** Gold Award “*Are You Really ACF*”
Home Chapter of ACF National President
Michael Ty, CEC, AAC 1993-1994 (one year term)
- 1994** Western Regional Chef Professionalism Award, Werner Zefferer, CEC, AAC
ACF Chefs Las Vegas Hall of Fame was established
- 1995** Michael Ty, CEC, AAC – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, John Folse, CEC, AAC
- 1996** Michael Ty, CEC, AAC - AAC Chairman’s Medal presented by AAC Chairman, Bert Cutino, CEC, AAC
- 1997** National ACF Chef of the Year, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
1st ACF Chefs Las Vegas Golf Tournament, hosted by The Associate Advisory Board
- 1998** ACF Baron H. Galand Culinary Knowledge Bowl
National Champions Gold Medal – CCSN
- 1999** Host Chapter, ACF Western Regional Conference, Orleans Hotel Michael Ty, CEC, AAC – Chairman
Special Recognition Award presented by Reimund Pitz, CEC, AAC
Michael Ty, CEC, AAC – Antonin Careme Medal #108 presented by the Chefs Association of the Pacific
- 2000** Gold Award “*Are You Really ACF*”
1st Place Chapter Newsletter Award “*Mise En Place*”
Michael Ty, CEC, AAC – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Noel Cullen, CMC, AAC
Christopher Johns CEC – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Noel Cullen, CMC, AAC
- 2001** Host Chapter, National ACF Convention, MGM Grand
Michael Ty, CEC, AAC - ACF President’s Gold Eagle award presented by National President, Noel Cullen, CMC, AAC
Junior Team National Knowledge Bowl Champions, CCSN
1st Place Chapter Newsletter “*Mise En Place*”
- 2002** Host Chapter, National ACF Convention, MGM Grand
Western Region Professionalism Award, John Hui CEPC
- 2003** Antonin Careme Medal – John Hui, CEPC - presented by ACF Chef’s Association of the Pacific Coast
ACF Nevada State Champion Jr Hot Food Team, CCSN - Gold Medals
ACF Western Region Jr Culinary Competition, CCSN – Silver Medals
- 2004** Team Las Vegas wins 9 Silver and 2 Bronze Medals at the Culinary Olympics in Germany
Western Regional Pastry Chef of the Year, John Hui, CEPC
ACF Nevada State Champion Jr Hot Food Team, CCSN - Silver Medals
ACF Western Region Jr Team Culinary Competition, CCSN – Gold Medals
- 2005** Western Regional Pastry Chef of the Year, Brenda Hitchins
ACF Western Region Jr Team Culinary Competition, CCSN – Silver Medals
- 2006** ACF Western Regional Educator of the Year and National Educator of the Year Raimund Hofmeister, CMC, AAC
AAC Western Regional Chair’s Award - John Hui, CEPC, AAC
Claude Lambertz – Awarded ACF Presidents Medallion by National President, John Kinsella, CMC, AAC
ACF Western Regional Presidents Award, John Hui, CEPC, AAC

- 2007** 10th ACF Chefs Las Vegas Golf Tournament, Hosted by The Associate Advisory Board
ACF Bellringers Award, Bobby O'Brien Awarded A.C.F Presidents Medallion by National President, John Kinsella, CMC, AAC
ACF Nevada State Champions, CSN Student Hot Food Team – Silver Medals
Western Regional Culinary Competition, CCSN's State Champion Hot Team received Silver Medals and placed third
- 2008** Host Chapter, National ACF Convention, MGM Grand
- 2009** Home Chapter of ACF National President Michael Ty, CEC, AAC 2009-2011
Heinz Lauer named Chef Educator of the Year 2009 for the American Culinary Federation Western Region
Levy Acosta, Jr – Awarded ACF President's Medallion by National President, John Kinsella, CMC, AAC
Christopher Johns – Awarded ACF Presidents Medallion by National President, John Kinsella, CMC, AAC
Jill Mora – Awarded ACF President's Medallion by National President, John Kinsella, CMC, AAC
Van Atkins CEC AAC Antonin Careme Medal presented by ACF Chef's Association of the Pacific Coast
Western Regional Culinary Competition, CSN's State Champion Hot Team received Silver Medals and placed third
John Metcalf – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
- 2010** 1st Chefs for Kids 5K Run and 1Mile Fun Walk
John Hui, CEPC, AAC – Awarded A.C.F Presidential Medallion by National President, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
Chefs for Kids received Cutting Edge Award from National President Michael Ty CEC AAC
Chefs for Kids ACF Chefs Las Vegas, Western Region presentation at National Convention on the success of Chefs for Kids
Frank Insera AAC – Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
- 2011** 2nd Chefs for Kids 5K Run and 1Mile Fun Walk
Michael Ty CEC AAC reelected National President 2011-2013
Dennis Lambertz CEC - Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
- 2011** Chefs Michael Ty, CEC, AAC and Christopher Johns attended The World Chefs Tour Against Hunger in Johannesburg, South Africa
1st Annual Chefs for Kids Golf Tournament
- 2012** 3rd Chefs for Kids 5K Run and 1Mile Fun Walk
21st Chefs for Kids Annual Dinner and Auction
2nd Annual Chefs for Kids Golf Tournament
- 2013** 4th Chefs for Kids 5K Run and 1Mile Fun Walk
Western Regional Culinary Competition, CSN's State Knowledge Bowl Team received Silver Medals
22nd Chefs for Kids Annual Dinner and Auction
Chefs for Kids, Western Regional winner ACF Chef & Child, Hidden Valley Ranch Childhood Nutrition Day Challenge \$10,000.00 award
Mike Whitesides - Awarded ACF Presidential Medallion by National President, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
Host Chapter, 2013 National ACF Convention, Cosmopolitan Hotel
Chef Jill Mora - Awarded 1st Year American Culinary Federation, Culinary Hero Award from National President, Michael Ty, CEC, AAC
3rd Annual Chefs for Kids Golf Tournament
- 2014** 5th Chefs for Kids 5K Run and 1Mile Fun Walk
23rd Chefs for Kids Annual Dinner and Auction
Chef Tom Rosenberger MS CEC FMP CHE CFPM - Awarded Cutting Edge Award from National President Chef Thomas Macrina CEC CCA HGT AAC
4th Annual Chefs for Kids Golf Tournament
- 2015** Chefs for Kids enters its 25th Year
6th Chefs for Kids 5K Run and 1Mile Fun Walk
24th Chefs for Kids Annual Dinner and Auction
Chef Jill Mora - Awarded Western Regional Culinary Salon Recognition Award
College of Southern Nevada, Culinary Arts, awarded Western Regional Culinary Salon Recognition Award
"Chefs for Kids Day" at Whole Foods
Hosted Friends and Family Appreciation Evening Baseball with the 51s
Supported Pro Start High School Culinary Program
- 2016** Chefs Monthly Porker Tournament Fund Raiser
Le Cordon Bleu Junior Hot Food Team Silver Medals, Western Regional Competition
Supported Pro Start High School Culinary Program
Chef Cheryl Lewis, CCC, CCE named Western Region Educator of the Year
25th Chefs for Kids Annual Dinner and Auction
Hosted Friends and Family Appreciation Evening Baseball with the 51s
6th Annual Chefs for Kids Golf Tournament
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- 2017** 26th Chefs for Kids Annual Dinner and Auction