**American Culinary Federation New Orleans Chapter Agenda**

**Date: 2/8/2021**

* **Call to Order and Welcome  -** Jon Pitrie
* **Pledge of Allegiance**  - Not Read
* **Attendance**
  + - Jon Pitire
    - Greyze Vieira
    - Anastasia Joyner
    - Matt Guillory
    - Mark
    - Paula Cottingham
    - Angela Wilson
    - Joe St. Paul
      * Delgado Students
    - Mike Haffner
    - Rowland Joyner
    - Dr. Mary Bartholomew
    - Charles \_\_\_\_
    - Paula Cottingham
* **Minutes** – Anastasia Joyner
* **Reports from Officers and Standing Committees** –
  + Treasurer Report – Matt Guillory
* **Old Business:**
  + Committees – Jon Petrie (call for volunteers & nominations)
    - * Financial Stability
      * Best Chefs of Louisiana
      * Membership
      * Bylaws Revisions
      * Scholarships
      * Governmental Compliance
      * Public Relations / Media
      * Chef and Child
* **New Business:**
  + Call for Ideas – Anastasia Joyner (open discussion)
    - * What is \*your\* “Why I Am Here?”
        + Experience & Exposure to new methods, businesses, and ideas
        + Information clearinghouse
        + Guidance
        + Expressing ideas openly without negative criticism
        + Showcase ideas – student competition
        + Mentorship

Mentorship for Ascension

* + - * + Motivation
        + Commiseration
        + Communicating with Colleagues of All Levels
      * Best Chefs Virtual/ Small Class Presentations
        + Within another event in October - FQF? Promotion?
        + Sponsor Demonstration Stage?
        + Take over cooking stage at Jazz Fest? (would cost us)
        + Wait until 2022 and really blow the doors off
        + Virtual in Summer
        + TV Cooking Classes?? Rest of Year??

Students Involved as Sous

* + - * + Daily demos for a month for promotion online

Builds on followership

* + - * + Social Media is paramount
      * Outreach Opportunities
        + Mentorship – Chef to Student & Student to Future Students
      * Alternative Event @ LaFreniere – Greyze Vieira
      * Student Enrichment/ Competition Committee
        + Mentorship for future career members
    - Educational Unit Ideas Outreach – Jon Petrie
  + **MENTORSHIP AS A MAIN FOCUS**
* **Call for Other New Business (Chef Jon Petrie)**
  + Food for golf tournament for Kiwanis & Dawn Busters – Paula Cottingham& Mike Haffner(Kiwanis)
    - June @ Lakefront
    - Advertise Food Providers (signs moved every couple of weeks)
  + Program for Chef & Child that includes backpacks – Paula Cottingham
    - Connected to Dawn Busters
* **Motion to Adjourn?**Motion Called (Chef Anastasia Joyner)  
  Motion Seconded (Chef Greyze Vieira)
  + Unanimous “Aye”
* **Meeting Adjourned**