

# RTHS EDUCATION FOUNDATION

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### RTHS Education Foundation, Annual 30 Men Who Cook

The Rochelle Township High School Education Foundation celebrates the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual **30 Men Who Cook**, Saturday, September 20, at the Rochelle Country Club, from 6-9 pm. 30 local men pull out all the stops to create a spectacular evening. Fantastic food, fabulous raffle prizes, and supporting RTHS students make this event worth attending.

The community is invited to tantalize your taste buds and sample the culinary delights of area celebrity chefs. The chef's lineup will feature First National Bank's Jeff Tilton, RTHS's own Superintendent Jamie Craven, Principal Travis McGuire and teacher Tim Thompson, Flagg-Rochelle Park District's Director Steve Liezert, Ogle County Sherriff Greg Beitel, Faith Lutheran Church's Rev. Steve Dow and many more! The event-goers will then decide whose recipe is the best in each category, appetizer/salads, side dish, entrée, and dessert. The award ceremony will take place at 9pm, with the crowning of the King in each of the four categories. The raffle prizes are a 42" Flat Screen TV, a GPS unit, and a Nintendo Wii. Raffle winners will be announced during the awards ceremony.

The Men Who Cook event provides the RTHS Education Foundation with the means to issue grants to the RTHS teachers. The RTHSEF is an independent not-for-profit, tax-exempt corporation organized as a method of providing a long term, self-sustaining financial program to better enrich, enhance and supplement educational opportunities beyond limits of normal tax support for all students. This year alone, the RTHSEF funded over \$9,000 in grant projects.

Mark your calendars to attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual 30 Men Who Cook, Saturday, September 20th, enjoy over 30 sample-size servings of extraordinary appetizers/salads, savory side dishes, elegant entrees, and delicious desserts. Without our sponsors, this night wouldn't be possible. We gratefully acknowledge business and in-kind contributors that help us to create this special event: **Allstate Insurance, Castle Bank, First National Bank, Rochelle Country Club, Rochelle Foods, WRHL, Holcomb State Bank, Northern Illinois Rehab, Hub City Photography, Dr. Dean Cater, Rochelle News-Leader, Family Vision Center, Total Logistics Control, Fearer, Nye, & Chadwick, Queens Trucking & Construction, Maplehurst, Century 21 Hayden Real Estate, Inc., Rochelle Printing, Rochelle Veterinary Hospital, Rock Valley Credit Union, and Gensler Gardens.** Advance tickets will be on sale starting **August 1<sup>st</sup>** for \$25 or \$30 at the door. The following locations will offer tickets sales: First National Bank, Holcomb State Bank, Stillman Bank, and Lincoln State Bank. For more information about the 30 Men Who Cook, contact one of the RTHSEF Board members: Becky Rogers, Cathey Stoddard, Karen Hayden, Sharon Duncan, Joel Thompson, Sara Hall, Amy Hayden, Teri Gensler, Fran O'Rorke, Derek Horner or Scott Mincemoyer or by calling 815-562-5092.

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