



**It's Not Too Late to Have Fun at the Beach!**



The quarterly student competition is rapidly approaching. The competition is taking FCI to the beach for a day, figuratively. On June 1st, the grassy area beside the break patio will be turned into our very own beach party! All throughout the day, we will be enjoying beach music and having all sorts of mini-competitions and events. The signup sheets will be available for the rest of the month. There have been several students and teams that have already signed up:

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| Big Kahuna:                     | 9 teams        |
| Tropical Virgin Drink:          | 11 people      |
| Water Balloon Toss:             | 4 teams        |
| Flying Fish Toss:               | 4 teams        |
| Dessert on the Beach:           | 6 people/teams |
| Fruit-Legged Beach Relay:       | 1 team         |
| Boardwalk Food:                 | 2 teams        |
| Hot Dog on the Beach:           | 6 teams        |
| Sand Sculpture:                 | 1 person/team  |
| Fastest Oyster Shucker & Eater: | 3 people       |
| Fastest Fish Filletting:        | 4 people       |
| Fish Sandwich:                  | 4 people/teams |



There is still time to sign up! You can do the contests by yourself and some require that you be a part of a team. As if that wasn't enough fun, remember that you can help raise money for the Quantum House through your selfless donations for the dunk tank. Take this opportunity to dunk your favorite instructor, dean, student services staff member, financial aid, business office, or admissions rep. Wouldn't it be great to dunk Chef Schmidtke? What about Chefs Lecaroz or Carreiro? Or even better, what about Dean Pantone? Whatever your plans for "A Day at the Beach" may be, make sure that you are signed up and ready for the fun activities that await you. The activities will run from 10am to 7pm. All competitions are open to all FCI students. Pick up more info at the front desk and sign yourself or your team up for these events before it's too late!

**Upcoming Events:**

- Wed, May 20th  
Pastry Club
- Thurs, May 21st  
Wine Enthusiasts
- Mon, May 25th  
Memorial Day  
NO SCHOOL!
- Mon, June 1st  
A Day at the Beach!
- Mon, June 8th  
Road to ACF Salon
- Sept 20-Sept 24  
Wine Country Tour
- Sept 18-Oct 2nd  
Tour of France & Spain

**Trip Deadlines:**

**4th Annual Wine Country Tour:** \$500 deposit is due **today**. If you are still interested, there are 7 seats remaining. However, the price may be higher if the deposit is not received **today**. See Chef Sitnick for more info. **Tour of France and Spain:** \$1,200 due by June 15th.

Florida Culinary Institute/Lincoln Tech and its employees are not affiliated with these tours and make no expressed or implied warranties or representations.

**Tip of the Week**

"One hour of glorious living is better than an age without none."  
-Professor Boateng on always trying your best to achieve success and enjoy the benefits of hard work.

**Exit Interviews :**



Graduates must attend the Exit Interview in

order to receive their diploma!  
Mon, May 18th at 9am  
Mon, May 18th at 1pm  
Tues, May 19th at 6pm  
*\*Monday interviews will be held in Room 233 and the Tuesday interviews will be in Room 245, both in the Lincoln Building.*

**George Snow Scholarship**

**Recipient:** The George Snow Scholarship Fund is a Boca-Raton based organization that provides educational grants to deserving scholars. Over the years, George Snow and its community partners have awarded over \$3,500,000 to over 900 of Palm Beach and Northern Broward County's brightest and most worthy students. Congratulations **Melissa Guzman** on being awarded a \$6,500 scholarship from the George Snow Scholarship Fund.

**Let us Know More About You!**



Learn more about your classmate's hobbies and interests. See **Akil Grant's** bio in the bulletin board this week!

## Scholarship Opportunities

Robert W. Hiller for Baking/Pastry Arts

Deadline JUNE 1st  
Submit an essay and 3 references.

Sales & Marketing Association International

Deadline JUNE 15th  
Good academic standing.  
Submit 3 essays. Have industry-related experience.

NRAEF Undergrad  
Deadline JULY 31st.  
Complete one grading term.  
Write 2 essays and fill out an application online.

## Competitions

America's Best Raisin Bread

Deadline AUGUST 15th  
Create a recipe using California Raisins for the title of "Best Artisan" or "Wholesale/Commercial Raisin Bread." 5 students will be chosen to participate in the final bake-off. You could win a trip to CA!  
Visit: [loveyourraisins.com](http://loveyourraisins.com)

## Important Lincoln College Test Out Policy:

Beginning in July, students must test out of General Education classes within the first 30 days of the student's initial start date. Current students are **grandfathered** in and have until **June 26th** to test out. For more information, pick up a flyer at the front desk.



## School Clubs

**Pastry Club!** Join the Pastry Club Wed, May 20th at 4 pm in Lab 110 to partake in more activities with Chef Gray. The club is open to all students regardless of the degree you are seeking. The club is working on a cake for the Mayor. Also, there will be a cake competition in June. The teams are already selected. More details about this event will follow shortly.

**Wine Enthusiasts Club:** Join Chef



Sitnick on Thurs, May 21st from 3:45pm-5:15pm in the Practicum (Room 201) to be involved in wine appreciation.

Students will have the opportunity to *taste* various wines from all over the world and discuss their origins. Everyone is welcome to attend!

## Print Free Resumes and Business Cards

In this shaky job market, it's good to know that there are companies on your side. Staples and Office Depot are offering job searching specials: free copies of resumes, free faxing, and free business cards! For more detailed info, pick up a flyer at the front desk.



Nice, spacious Townhouse with pool and recreation facility. 2 bed/2 bath. Located near school on Village Blvd.  
Call Walter at (561) 254-8505.

If you have been the recipient of a scholarship or award, please let your What's Cooking staff know. Success stories are great to share with your fellow classmates.

## Online Gen Ed Classes:

There will be no online Gen Ed classes for July. All classes will be held in the Lincoln College building.

## Win a Trip to the World Pastry Forum

The World Pastry Forum is a series of demo classes this July 1st-5th in Phoenix, AZ.



You will learn from 10 world-class, highly-respected pastry chefs at the forum. This event is well worth over \$1,500! You must submit a 200-word essay detailing why YOU deserve to win the demonstrations. Pick up a flyer at the front desk for more information. Entries are due by 5pm, May 22nd. Good luck!

## GET ON THE BUS!

Donate blood on the Big Red Bus on Thurs, May 28 from 9am-2pm. Receive a T-shirt, pizza, and a 2009 Enjoyment coupon book.



## 7th Week of the Quarter Trivia

What percentage of the palate do most people use?

Drop your answer in the What's Cooking? toque that's located in the lobby.

**Previous questions:** "What are the 6 fats found in the bakeshop?" Answer: Butter, margarine, lard, shortening, emulsified shortening, and oil.

**Congratulations: Eddie Duhart-Chef Birney AM** Please claim your prize at the front desk!

