



ASSIST Conference August 2010

SCOTY - SCOTHOT Initiative 2011

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- Why now?
- Re-energising a ‘tired format’ in SCOTY?
- Lets showcase the wealth of talent we have in our frontline staff
- Increase their confidence and esteem even further
- Increase the profile of the cook
- Promote the SCOTY ‘brand’ particularly in the North East

Timescales

- Expression of interest/registration by 30/9/2010
- Entrant paper based applications by 29/10/10
- Judging days to be held on 2-3/11/2010
- Regional finalists announced 3/11/2010
- Regional finals held between January – March 2011
- Introduction of Regional Finalists at NE Conference on 24/2/2011
- Regional Final confirmed for SCOTHOT 28/2 – 2/3/2011
- Winner to go to National Finals in May 2011

Rules

- 4 portions of main course and dessert
- Suitable for 11 year old
- Nutritional Standards/Eat Well Plate compliant
- Should reflect seasonality and locality
- Minimum of 2 portions of fruit and/or vegetables
- Must contain one portion of carbohydrate
- Must contain a Maggi product from the Nestlé list
- Maximum of £1.35 per head food cost
- 90 minutes preparation and cooking time
- Must be able to be produced en masse

Judging criteria

- Flavours, colours and textures
- Food presentation
- Working practices including services
- Creativity, composition and service
- Use of regional/seasonal produce and Nestlé products
- Ability to replicate en masse
- Nutritional balance
- Service counter marketing
- Judged by Chef, LACA and dietician judge plus 2 pupils

What next for all of us?

- LACA and ASSIST – how can we better pool our efforts, knowledge and passion for what we do?
- Region and National context
- Changes to Regional Committee
- Regional sustainability
- Renewed focus on business activities
- Schedule of events across the Region
- Look toward increasing membership in Scotland
- Increased partnership opportunities

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