

National Culinary Arts Competition

Reminders and updates for the 2024 competition

Equipment check-in will be during orientation. Bring all equipment to orientation. Equipment will be checked, and any equipment not on the list will be removed. We will have secure storage. Toolboxes should have no state or school markings. Mark boxes with your contestant number.

Contestants will take the ACF CFC exam online before you arrive. Details will be sent to each competitor in May. The deadline for the ACF Exams is Friday June 21st.

Submission of your ANSI approved food safety certificate or card will be online this year. Instructions will be provided in May. Since this is the first year for this online submission, we will accept paper copies during orientation. Beginning in 2025, only online submissions will be accepted.

Please read the contest packet carefully, be aware of changes from previous years.

Mandatory Contest Debrief

Friday, June 28, 8:00 AM

The mandatory contest debrief session on Friday morning will give us much more time to talk when competitors are not as tired. We will have some time to answer questions as well. Competitors and advisors are asked to stay to assist with contest tear down.