

## PHOTO OPPORTUNITY/ CALENDAR INFO

## Tyler Florence and Joey Altman to Host Celebrity Chef Cook-Off at Jack Falstaff

Four Teams of San Francisco Chefs Face Off in Two Intense Chef Challenges to Benefit the Afterschool Alliance

WHAT:

Tyler Florence and **Joey Altman** will be hosting a Celebrity Chef Cook-off at **Jack Falstaff** to benefit the Afterschool Alliance, a nonprofit organization working to ensure that all children have access to quality afterschool programs. The exciting event will pit four teams against one another in two separate thirty-minute challenges. Bay Area Viking stoves will be creating two identical kitchen set ups on the Jack Falstaff patio where all the action will take place. The event will be emceed by host of KQED's "Check Please," **Leslie Sbrocco.** 

The first challenge, 'Men vs. Women' features Elizabeth Faulkner (Citizen Cake & Orson) and Christine Mullen (CAV) up against Joseph Manzare (Tres Agaves & Zuppa) and Hiro Sone (Terra & Ame). The second match-up, 'TV Chefs vs. Restaurant Chefs,' will showcase Tyler Florence (Food Network) and Joey Altman (Bay Café) pairing off against Nate Appleman (A16) and another talented restaurant chef, TBD. Not to miss out on the action, the Chef Challenges will be followed by a Master Mixologist competition.

The judges panel includes Jack Falstaff Executive Chef Jonnatan Levia, a California afterschool student, and several celebrity chefs. Guests at the event will enjoy Chef Levia's international tapas, specialty cocktails and fine wines. All proceeds to benefit the Afterschool Alliance.

WHEN: Sunday, September 2, 2007

3 p.m. - 7 p.m.

WHERE: Jack Falstaff

598 Second Street (at Brannan)

San Francisco, CA 415 836-9239

TICKETS: <a href="http://www.afterschoolalliance.org/CA">http://www.afterschoolalliance.org/CA</a> CookOff/CookOff invite.cfm

\$100 General Admission \$250 Power Couple Admission \$500 Afterschool Friend \$1,000 Afterschool Benefactor \$5,000 Afterschool Super Star Other \$: \_\_\_\_\_ ABOUT THE AFTERSCHOOL ALLIANCE:

The Afterschool Alliance is a nonprofit public awareness and advocacy organization working to ensure that all children have access to quality afterschool programs. More information is available at www.afterschoolalliance.org.

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