



A TASTE OF SUCCESS



What do we offer?

- ❑ Las Vegas Team Building is the TOP location for Culinary Team Building in the country!
- ❑ Cooking is the HOTTEST new Team Building activity.
- ❑ High-end gourmet meal prepared by YOUR group under the supervision and expertise of our Professional Chef Instructors.
- ❑ Your event is held at the TOP Recreational Cooking School in Las Vegas-- Creative Cooking School, www.creativecookingschool.com.
- ❑ We have a State-of-the-art gourmet kitchen.
- ❑ Fun, unique and educational event for your group.
- ❑ Builds Camaraderie, communication skills and collaboration within your group.



What is Culinary Team Building?

- ❑ Lessons from the Kitchen translate into PROFITS for your company!
- ❑ Cooking is based on a system of organization. You have several people operating in different roles to come up with the product--a meal. It's the same concept as in a corporation.
- ❑ Our events create an environment that promotes creativity, communication and cooperation among participants, allowing them to relate in a relaxed atmosphere, which is not always possible in the stress-filled office.



What is the BENEFIT of Culinary Team Building?

- ❑ “Breaking Bread” and enjoying a meal together are considered universal human experiences.
- ❑ Food ALWAYS brings people together.
- ❑ Your group gets to learn about each other through food preparation, cooking and dining together.
- ❑ Provides a “Safe and Inviting” activity that EVERYONE can enjoy.
- ❑ Stimulates “Creativity” and builds synergy.
- ❑ This kind of activity put everyone on a level playing field. Unless of course, you have an employee that is a former Chef.
- ❑ Removes the athletic or physical challenges so EVERYONE can participate!



The STEPS of your Team Building experience

1) *Before your Event*

- A brief background assessment is conducted so that the team-building experience can be customized for your group.
- Seven days prior to your event, you must finalize on a gourmet menu for your event. We will also discuss your group's dietary needs, i.e. Vegetarian, etc.
- Also, a final list of participants must be confirmed with our staff.

You then decides on a menu from several International themes:



- ❑ **Trattoria Italiana**
- ❑ **French Bistro**
- ❑ **Champagne Wishes Breakfast**
- ❑ **Wine and Chocolate Challenge**
- ❑ **Asian Adventure**
- ❑ **Latin Sizzle**
- ❑ **All American Affair**
- ❑ **California Fusion Experience**

2) *When you arrive for your event*



- To start off the event, your group will enjoy prepared gourmet appetizers and refreshments including beer and wine.
- The program begins with an introduction and orientation by our Team-building Expert, Catherine Margles, MBA, Chef, President and Founder of Creative Cooking Schools and Las Vegas Team Building.

Let the FUN begin!

- The group receives their Menu and Recipe Packets, Aprons and Hats and is randomly divided into TEAMS or you can pick the teams.
- Each TEAM must collaborate on a “new” culinary TEAM name and participate in a team building warm up exercise.



Nike International™ Ready to Cook!



3) *The Cooking Begins !*



- There will be group instruction in basic cooking techniques, knife skills and safety and sanitation in the kitchen, led by classically trained Chef Instructors.
- Then the FUN continues. Each TEAM works with fresh and seasonal raw ingredients and, under the guidance of Creative Cooking School Chef Instructors to create a complete memorable gourmet meal.
- Team-building Lessons from the Kitchen© are interwoven through out the event.

Nevada Power™ makes “Homemade” Ravioli’s from the Trattoria Italiana menu



Goldstar EMS™ makes Tiramisu



Bank of America™ cooking TOGETHER!



4) The group enjoys the complete gourmet meal that they created!

- By breaking bread together, the teams and the entire group revel in the shared experience of achieving their goals, and creating a memorable gourmet meal.



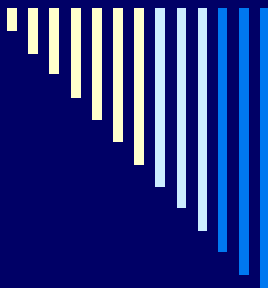
5) *Graduation Ceremony*



- There is a graduation ceremony where everyone receives a personalized *Certificate of Completion in Gourmet Cuisine.*
- Pictures are taken to commemorate the event.

T-Mobile™ “Gourmet” Graduates!





What SKILLS will your group develop?

- ❑ Time Sensitive decisions.
- ❑ Assignment of Tasks.
- ❑ Communication and Coordinate actions.
- ❑ Completing projects under deadlines.
- ❑ Stimulates creativity.
- ❑ Working well with others.

Teamwork = Success!





Examples of Team Building incorporated within your event

- ❑ Assignment of Team leaders for the groups.
- ❑ Collaboration on “new” team names for the groups.
- ❑ Assignment of duties for each course on the menu amongst the group.
- ❑ Time management decisions regarding each course and the preparations.
- ❑ EVERYONE works together to reach a common goal and to complete the assignment, for a “shared” learning experience.
- ❑ EVERYONE graduates at the end with a Certificate of Completion in “Gourmet Cuisine.”

We know what you want, and we have the EXPERTISE!



- Catherine Margles, President and Founder, has over fifteen years of global corporate experience as a Partner in the largest global investment firm in the county.
- Catherine has an MBA from the Number One ranked Executive MBA program, J.L. Kellogg Graduate School of Management at Northwestern University.
- Las Vegas Team Building and Creative Cooking School's staff are ALL professionally trained Chefs and have graduated from the TOP Culinary Schools in the country.
- Las Vegas Teambuilding has done hundreds of teambuilding's with many of the top Fortune 500 companies. (See FULL list of Clients on the website)
- We know how to provide a FUN, UNIQUE and MEMORABLE experience for your group!



Your group is
“READY TO COOK!”

Book Your Event!

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<http://www.lasvegasteambuilding.com>