

The AIWF National Capital Area Chapter and Phillips Seafood present

I LOVE CRAB CAKES!



Competition and Celebration
Monday, August 11, 2008
6:30 – 9:00 p.m.



Phillips Flagship Restaurant, 900 Water St., S.W., Washington, DC

This is an event you definitely won't want to miss!! The AIWF National Capital Area Chapter and Phillips Seafood will host the third annual "I Love Crab Cakes!" competition and fundraiser, overlooking the water.

Six of our chapter's most supportive chefs will compete to win a \$3,000 culinary internship:

Kevin Mesiah, **Seafoodie** John Payne Jr., **StonesThrow Restaurant & Bar, Marriott Wardman Park**
Rich Beckel, **Hooked** Nate Auchter, **Mitsitam Cafe, National Museum of the American Indian**
Robert Gelman, **McCormick & Schmick's** Cedric Maupillier, **Central Michel Richard**



Judging Panel: *Olga Boikess*, editor of the Washington, D.C./Baltimore Zagat Survey; *Ann Cashion*, chef/owner of Johnny's Half Shell; *Dennis Gavagan*, Corporate Executive Chef, Phillips Seafood; *Tom Head*, food and wine writer; *Ari Shapiro* of NPR; and *Betsey Apple*, wife of the late legendary New York Times journalist Johnny Apple, a staunch supporter of our chapter. Last year's winning chef *Andrew Evans*, formerly of The Inn at Easton and now chef of Thai Ki in Easton, MD, will return this year as a judge, and *Ris Lacoste*, former chapter chairman and beloved chef, will again be our Mistress of Ceremonies.

We'll enjoy the region's greatest crab cakes from all six chef competitors, a groaning board from Phillips Seafood, Tabasco and Smirnoff Bloody Marys, fine wines from Oceana (available for discount purchase all night from Pearson's), and water from San Pellegrino and Acqua Panna. **All proceeds will benefit our future internships, scholarships, and educational programs. Your support is crucial and much appreciated!!!**

A drawing for our always fabulous door prizes will also support the Special Projects Fund. **We will have a special drawing for New Members!** Each guest who has newly joined The AIWF since May 1, 2008 will be entered, along with the members who introduced them to The AIWF (must attend to win). Drawing prizes include gift baskets, Tabasco Bloody Mary kits, tickets to upcoming events and more!

To register, please return the form below along with a check made payable to **The AIWF**. Mail to Karen Cathey, P.O. Box 7543, Arlington, VA 22207. Information and updates can be found at www.aiwf.org/dc/. Questions? Email Karen at KDCathey@aol.com or leave a message on our chapter voicemail at 202.333.0421. Reservations and cancellations will be accepted through Thursday, August 7, 2007.



I can't wait for the I LOVE CRAB CAKES! Competition and Celebration.

New member since May 1

_____ Member Tickets @ \$60 _____ Non-member Tickets @ \$75 Referred by: _____

Name _____ Email/Mail _____

Phone _____ Total Amount Enclosed _____ **Thank You for Supporting The AIWF!!!**