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30 + LOCAL CHEFS, BREWERIES AND WINERIES TEAM UP TO SUPPORT FEEDING SAN DIEGO FOR 3RD ANNUAL CULINARY COMPETITION: PAIRINGS WITH A PURPOSE

San Diego, CA – March 12, 2018 — [Feeding San Diego](#) (FSD) announces Pairings with a Purpose, an afternoon of culinary competition with San Diego's finest chefs, breweries and wineries, uniting against hunger in San Diego. Each chef and beverage duo will collaborate to create a special pairing of food and drink including Chef Jason McCleod from Born & Raised, Trey Foshee, David Waite, and Top Chef, Angelo Sosa. Guests can vote on their favorite pairing while enjoying music, games and contests. The fundraiser will be hosted on Saturday, April 14, at Bobby Riggs Tennis Club & Museum in scenic Encinitas.

Currently, nearly half a million San Diego residents, including 1 in 5 children, are struggling with hunger. Feeding San Diego is working to meet their immediate needs, while creating a long-term impact in the community through a comprehensive approach to hunger-relief.

General admission tickets are \$75. Sponsorship packages and tickets are available online or by contacting Isabel Benincasa Reade at 858.768.7432 or ibenincasareade@feedingsandiego.org. 100 percent of the proceeds from the event will benefit Feeding San Diego and its critical hunger-relief and nutrition program.

EVENT DETAILS

Pairings with a Purpose – Feeding San Diego Fundraiser

Saturday, April 14

*12 – 4:00 p.m.

Bobby Riggs Tennis Club & Museum

*VIP ticket holders receive exclusive early entrance at 11 AM

875 Santa Fe Drive

Encinitas, CA 92024

Culinary competition with San Diego's finest chefs, breweries, and wineries, uniting against hunger in San Diego.

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SPONSORSHIP & TICKET OPPORTUNITIES

General admission | \$75

VIP experience | \$150

Event sponsorship opportunities are available

CHEFS

Angelo Sosa | Top Chef
Anthony Sinsay | J-Six
Barry Layne | Coast Catering by Barry Layne
Davin Waite | Wrench & Rodent
Gunnar Plantar | Viewpoint Brewing
Jason Gethin | Farmer and the Seahorse
Jason McCleod | Born & Raised
Jason Knibb | Nine-Ten of La Jolla
Julie Darling | Just Call Us Volunteers
Olivier Bioteau | Kitchen Management Solutions
Sharon Wilson | Panama 66
Shihomi Borillo | Azuki Sushi
Simon Carr | Flower Child
Steve Floyd | Brigantine
Tim Kolanko | Stake Chophouse & Bar
Tommy Morstad | Blind Lady Ale House
Trey Foshee | Galaxy Taco
Tyler Mars | Moonage Food Co.
Wade Hageman | Open House, Blue Ribbon Artisan Pizzeria & The Craftsman Tavern
...and more!

BREWERIES/BEVERAGES

Authentic Wine Selections
Automatic Brewing Co.
Bay City Brewing Co.
Bagby Beer Company
Bitter Brothers Brewing Co.
Benchmark Brewing
Chateau Aloe Liqueur
Green Flash Brewing Co.
Julian Hard Cider
Latitude 33 Brewing Co.
Mike Hess Brewing
Modern Times Beer
Northern Pine Brewing
Nosotros Tequila
Secco Wine Club
Viewpoint Brewing
...and more!

Judges

Dave Binn | Former San Diego Charger
Guenter Seidel | Three-Time Equestrian Olympian
Kyptyn Locke | ABC Bachelorette
Little Tommy Sablan | Radio Personality

Marie Tahan Daniels | Podcast Host, Specialty Produce
Sam the Cooking Guy
Shelley Dunn | Radio Host 93.7 KCLB

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ABOUT FEEDING SAN DIEGO

Established in 2007, [Feeding San Diego](https://www.feedingsandiego.org) (FSD) is the leading hunger-relief organization in the county, providing 25.2 million meals within the last year. It is the only Feeding America affiliate in the region. FSD provides food and resources to a network of more than 245 distribution partners serving 63,000 children, families and seniors each week. Focused on healthy food, education and advocacy, FSD is building a hunger-free and healthy San Diego through innovative programs and collaborative partnerships. To learn more about Feeding San Diego and its hunger-relief initiatives, visit [feedingsandiego.org](https://www.feedingsandiego.org).

