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**SUFFOLK COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE'S CULINARY ARTS PROGRAM
PRESENTS ITS ANNUAL "EVENING OF STAR CHEFS" FUNDRAISER**

Riverhead, NY - The Culinary Arts Program at Suffolk County Community College will be hosting its annual "Evening of Star Chefs" Fundraiser on Friday, May 7th at 6:30 p.m. in the College's Culinary Arts & Hospitality Center located at 20 East Main Street in Riverhead.

The evening will begin with signature hors d'oeuvres prepared by Long Island's very own star chefs including: Doug Gulija, owner of the Plaza Café in Southampton Village; Tom Schaudel, owner of aMano in Mattituck & Coolfish in Syosset; John Montgomery, owner of Sea Levels Restaurant in Brightwaters; Michael Meehan, Executive Chef for H2O Restaurant in Smithtown, and Jim Carpenter, Executive Chef of the Living Room Restaurant at the Maidstone Arms in East Hampton.

A three-course wine pairing dinner featuring the award winning wines of Pindar and Duck Walk vineyards will follow. This five-star dinner will be prepared and served by SCCC culinary students. A silent auction, special gifts and live entertainment will round out the evening. Proceeds from the fundraiser will assist in providing instructional supplies for the College's culinary labs.

Tickets are \$75.00 per person. Please make your reservations early, as seating is limited. For further information or to make a reservation please call (631) 548-3701 or e-mail rippeg@sunysuffolk.edu.

About Suffolk County Community College

Suffolk County Community College (SCCC) is the largest community college in the State University of New York (SUNY) system, enrolling approximately 25,000 students at its three campuses in Selden, Brentwood and Riverhead. SCCC offers the Associate in Arts (A.A.), Associate in Science (A.S.), and Associate in Applied Science (A.A.S.) degrees, as well as a variety of certificate programs. Offering the lowest college tuition on Long Island, a highly respected Honors program, extensive extracurricular activities, championship athletic teams, and numerous unified transfer programs, SCCC is a first-choice college for Long Island students. Visit us online at sunysuffolk.edu.

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