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# Washburne Culinary Institute KENNEDY-KING COLLEGE

#### THE CHANCELOR

#### REPORTS

# March 1st

Washburne Culinary Institute participated in a fund raiser for Common Threads, a non-profit that promotes diversity through culinary arts to over 1000 children in Chicago between the ages of 8-11. This exposed the food of Sikia restaurant to approximately 2500 attendees. 65 Chicago restaurants participated.

#### March 5<sup>th</sup>

Washburne participated with 7 other culinary schools in the Food Marketing Clubs annual "Taste of Chicago Cooking Schools" event at Eli's Cheese Cake Factory. Two Washburne students were awarded scholarships

## March 19<sup>th</sup>

Washburne hosted a healthy eating and etiquette class for sixteen 12-13 year old members of the McCormick Boys and Girls Club.

#### March 20

- Washburne catered the VIP luncheon at Chicago State following the broadcast of the Tavis Smiley Show and received rave reviews
- The Parrot Cage Restaurant welcomed 60 members of the ChicaGourmet Club to celebrate the first day of spring.

# March 23<sup>rd</sup>

Provost Reynolds attended the Illinois Hotel and Lodging Educational Foundation meeting as a board member. The mission of this group is to provide educational resources and award scholarships to foodservice students in hospitality management.

## March 24<sup>th</sup>

Provost Reynolds attended the Illinois Restaurant Association Educational Foundation meeting as an executive board member. The mission of this group is to provide educational resources and scholarships to foodservice programs

# March 29<sup>th</sup>

Washburne catered breakfast and lunch for 500 participants for the Chicago Department of Children and Family Services.

# March 31<sup>st</sup>

Sikia Restaurant catered a fund raiser for Alderman Thompson at the restaurant.

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl L. Hyman Chancellor