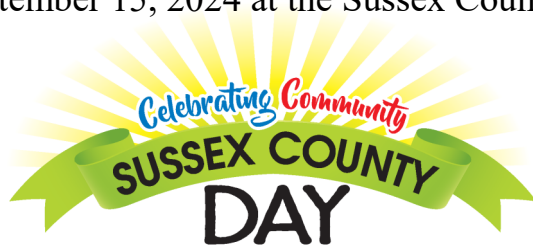


Presented by the Sussex County Chamber of Commerce  
**COOKING CONTEST at SUSSEX COUNTY DAY!**  
Sunday, September 15, 2024 at the Sussex County Fairgrounds



# Chopped Sussex Challenge!

**REGISTER NOW TO PARTICIPATE!**  
Only 4 Contestants Will Be Accepted  
(professional chefs only)

**\$500 Cash Prize & Trophy to Winner!**

## ENTRY FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ CITY, STATE, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ CELL: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

*I have read and agree to the RULES AND REGULATIONS below.*

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry fee is \$250.00 per contestant:** \_\_\_\_\_

Payment is due upon registration.

Mail payment to the Sussex County Chamber of Commerce at 120 Hampton House Road, Newton, NJ 07860.  
Credit card payments are also accepted (a 3.5% convenience fee will be added).

## CONTEST RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. This competition is for professional chefs only.
2. Set-up is from 8:00 – 11:00 a.m. The competition starts at 12:30 pm.
3. Each contestant will have an established time to completely prepare his/her entry.
4. Each contestant will be provided a work station area with 2 tables and a propane grill as the heating and cooking source. Contestants may bring one additional burner, if they wish. No other heating source is allowed.
5. Each contestant is responsible for bringing all cooking supplies such as; utensils, cutting boards, pans, blenders, food processors, towels, thermos, can opener, dishwashing supplies, etc. Water and electric will be provided.
6. A farmers market and pantry will be available with vegetables, produce, spices and fresh herbs to use. Other items will be available in a pantry and refrigerator. No other ingredients may be used.
7. Each round the contestants will receive a “mystery basket” of four ingredients that they must use in the preparation of an appetizer, entree, and dessert.
8. A trio of judges will evaluate each offering, with the loser getting “chopped” and the others moving to the next round until only one contestant is left standing and gaining the title of Chopped Sussex Champion and receiving a prize of \$500 and a trophy.
9. Each contestant must make enough of each dish for THREE JUDGES and the HOST to taste. It is the contestant’s responsibility to keep the dish warm until it is time for the entry to be judged.
10. Each contestant will present and describe the entry to the judges.
11. Each contestant will be judged on the following criteria: overall use of the required ingredients, appearance, consistency and originality.
12. Participants must follow the rules and regulations. There will be no refund of entry fees for any reason whatsoever.

**MORE INFORMATION AT [WWW.SUSSEXCOUNTYCHAMBER.ORG](http://WWW.SUSSEXCOUNTYCHAMBER.ORG)**

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