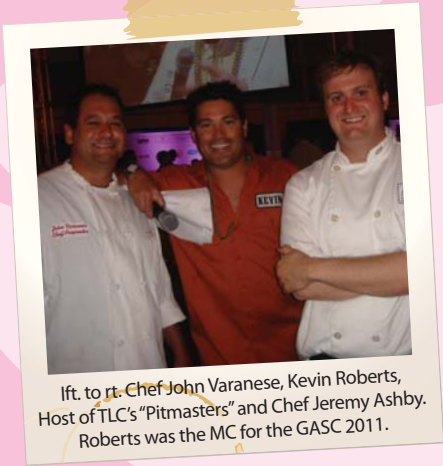


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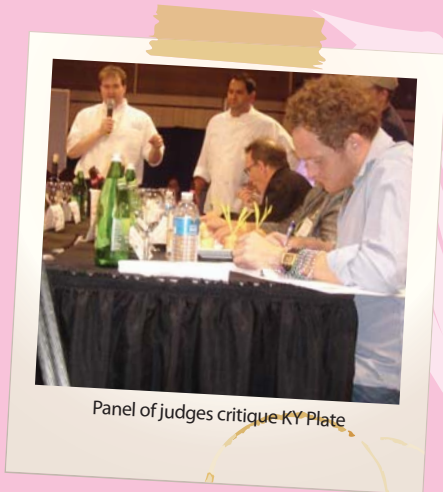
lft. to rt. Chef John Varanese, Kevin Roberts, Host of TLC's "Pitmasters" and Chef Jeremy Ashby. Roberts was the MC for the GASC 2011.



Prestigious panel of food judges listen to chefs' explanation of the nuances of the KY dish and their impassioned promotion of KY aquaculture and importance of sustainability.



KY GASC PLATE (GASC KY recipe online and there's a Courier-Journal article by Ron Mikulak 8-3-2011)



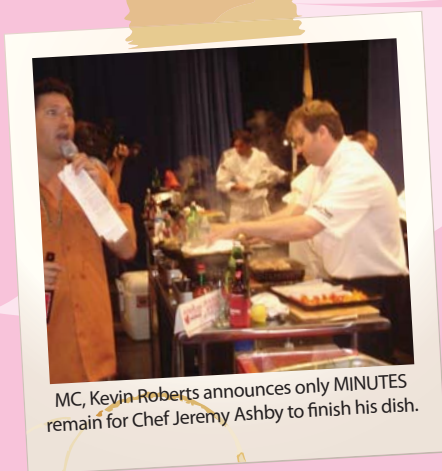
Panel of judges critique KY Plate



Chef Ashby & Chef Varanese, endearingly called the "Bourbon Boys" by the MCs and their peers continue to answer questions about their entry.



Chef John Varanese puts the final touches on the KY plates with professional ease just MINUTES before deadline to take to judges.



MC, Kevin Roberts announces only MINUTES remain for Chef Jeremy Ashby to finish his dish.



Chef Ashby, under pressure of the time clock, yet focused and poised, prepares his KY Proud award winning dish at the GASC.

