

MEDIA ADVISORY

James Beard Award Winner Chef Barbara Lynch to Visit Schools in Jeffco

When: Thursday, October 27, 9:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Where: Warren Tech
13300 W. 2nd Place
Lakewood, CO 80228

Patterson International Elementary
1263 S. Dudley St.
Lakewood, CO 80232

What: James Beard Award Winner Chef Barbara Lynch will visit Warren Tech to talk with culinary students. She also will visit Patterson International Elementary to have lunch with students and observe meal service.

Additional special guests include Chef Michele Carter, Jeanne Mockard, Abby Gregory, and Frank Massabni.

Agenda:

- 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. at Warren Tech
Chef Barbara will talk with a group of culinary students offering insight for those seeking careers in culinary arts. Will leave around 10:30 a.m. to head to Patterson International Elementary.
- 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. at Patterson International Elementary
Chef Barbara and team will have lunch with students and observe meal service.
- 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at Warren Tech
Chef Barbara and her team will work with staff from Jeffco's Food & Nutrition Department. If time permits, she also will visit the Acres at Warren Tech, the school farm.

Background:

James Beard Award Winner Barbara Lynch is regarded as one of Boston's – and the country's leading chefs and restaurateurs. In 2003, The James Beard Foundation named her "Best Chef Northeast" and *Travel & Leisure* proclaimed her restaurant No. 9 Park one of the "Top 50 Restaurants in America." In 2007, *Boston Magazine* named Barbara "Best Chef." Barbara and

her recipes have been featured in many publications including *Saveur*, *Boston Common*, *Bon Appetit*, *The New York Times*, and *Inc.* magazine.

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