

## **Souper Bowl 2012**

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I go every year. This is a really worthwhile event for a great cause. Food is very good, too. See you there.

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#### **From the Roadrunner Food Bank:**

"Thank you for joining us for Souper Bowl 2012 in January. We hope you enjoyed your time with us at the Food Bank and will invite your friends to join us for the event in 2013! This year's event raised nearly \$70,000 allowing us to distribute approximately 350,000 meals. Your support of the event made it possible and we thank you!"

#### **And here are the results of the voting.**

This past weekend, more than 1,200 guests came to Roadrunner Food Bank to enjoy soup and dessert from more than 45 restaurants.

In addition to sampling soups and desserts, attendees had the opportunity to vote for their favorite soup, vegetarian soup, dessert and best booth. Here are the restaurant winners:

#### **People's Choice Soup Winners**

##### **First Place and Souper Bowl Champion**

Artichoke Cafe for their Butternut Squash Crawfish Bisque

##### **Second Place**

Kelly's Brew Pub for their Cream of Green Chile Chicken

##### **Third Place**

Standard Diner for their Bourbon Lobster Bisque

#### **People's Choice Vegetarian Soup Winners**

##### **First Place**

Johndhi's BBQ for their Gazpacho

**Second Place (tie)**

AKayTahRing Company for their Green Chile Chicken Chowder

AND

Savory Fare for their Tomato Artichoke Bisque

**Third Place**

Gecko's Bar and Tapas for their Fire Roasted Chipotle Carrot Chowder

**People Choice – Dessert Winners**

**First Place**

Nothing Bundt Cakes

**Second Place**

Artichoke Cafe

**Third Place**

Farina Pizzeria and Wine Bar

**People's Choice Best Booth Winner**

Embassy Suites & Spa's: Cypress Grille

**During the event, a panel of eight judges also selected the top three Critics' Choice soups.**

**Critics' Choice Soup Winners**

**First Place**

Sheraton Albuquerque Uptown for their Green Chile Chicken and Mushroom

**Second Place**

Marriot Uptown for their Cream of Calabacita with Green Chile and Smoked Chicken

**Third Place**

Street Food Asia for their Curry Laska

**Soup Critics**

- Kristina Carlyle, KRST FM
- Carlos Duran, KOB FM

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- Gil Garduno, Host of "Gill's Thrilling and Filling" Blog
- Tom Joles, KOB TV
- Andrea Lin, Albuquerque Journal and Duke City Food
- Larry McGoldrick, The ABQ Bite and Larry's Albuquerque Food Musings
- Melissa Stock, MVD Express
- Danny Vigil, KOB FM

Thank you to all the restaurants, chef, guests, sponsors, in-kind donors, volunteers that help make this event a success. The 2011 event was recognized by the Weekly Alibi as a "Best of Burque Winner." Thank you to everyone who nominated and selected us for this wonderful honor.

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January 6, 2012

### [2012 Souper Bowl](#)



Every January, the popular Souper Bowl is held the Saturday prior to the NFL's Super Bowl. Rather than a football event, this is a soup and dessert sampling event featuring more than 40 restaurants and chefs. In addition to featuring great food, event guests can enjoy live music, exciting prize drawing packages, and the knowledge they are helping us provide food for the hungry in our state. Attendees also participate in our People's Choice voting and vote for their favorite soup, vegetarian soup, dessert and booth.

Tickets usually go on sale in early September. The 2012 event will be held Saturday, January 28th at the Food Bank. The Souper Bowl hours are from 11 am to 2 pm. Tickets are \$40 for adults and \$10 for children. If you purchase your ticket the day of the event ticket prices are \$45 for adults.

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[Download our Souper Bowl poster](#) (PDF) for participating restaurants and sponsors.  
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## Participating 2012 Restaurants:

- A KayTahRing Company
- Blades' Bistro
- Bocado's Café and Catering
- Brenda's Perfect Brittle
- Choco Canyon Artisan Chocolate
- CoolWater Fusion Restaurant
- Embassy Suites Hotel & Spa's:  
Cyprius Grille
- Farina Pizzeria and Wine Bar
- Forque Kitchen and Bar
- Gecko's Bar & Tapas
- Gourmet to Go
- Hotel Albuquerque at Old Town
- Johndhi's BBQ
- Just Ones Cakes & Catering
- Kelly's Brew Pub
- Kola Tree Cafe & Bakery
- La Provence Brasserie Restaurant
- Le Paris French Bakery
- Lovelace Westside Hospital
- Lovelace Women's Hospital
- Ned's on the Rio Grande
- Nothing Bundt Cakes
- One Up Elevated Lounge
- Peppers of Albuquerque
- Pueblo Harvest Bakery and Café
- Romano's Macaroni Grill
- Santa Ana Café at the Hyatt  
Regency Tamaya Resort & Spa
- Savory Fare Restaurant
- Say It With Cake
- Seasons Rotisserie & Grill
- Shamrock
- Sheraton Albuquerque Uptown
- Standard Diner
- StreetFood Asia
- Sysco New Mexico
- The Chocolate Cartel & Van Rixel  
Bros. Gelato
- The Oasis of Corrales
- The Ranchers Club of New Mexico
- Theobroma Chocolatier
- Trattoria Trombino's Bistro Italiano
- US Food Service



Adults – \$40 Children (12 & under) – \$10

Adult tickets at-the-door – \$45

Call 505-349-8921 or purchase tickets online at [www.rifb.org/souperbowl](http://www.rifb.org/souperbowl)

Saturday, January 28, 2012

11am - 2pm

at

Roadrunner Food Bank  
5840 Office Blvd NE

Join us for savory soups,  
delicious desserts,  
live entertainment and great  
prize drawing packages!

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