Boys & Girls Club of the CSRA's Guest CHEF Program Welcomes Jasmine Stewart, Season Five Winner of MASTERCHEF JUNIOR

What: Cooking Demonstration and Discussion with Jasmine Stewart, Winner of MASTERCHEF JUNIOR
Where: E.W. Hagler Boys & Girls Club
When: April 14, 2018, 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
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Boys and Girls Clubs of the CSRA (BGC) provided over 150,000 hot and healthy meals to youth across the CSRA last year. An important component of BGC's youth development program is Healthy Lifestyles. The program's focus is on helping kids eat a more balanced diet, become more physically fit and engage in healthy relationships. BGC's *Guest CHEF Program* serves to deepen the impact of wellness programs within the Augusta community. The *Guest CHEF Program* partners with area restaurants giving youth exposure to new foods and ideas.

BGC has partnered with the Augusta chapter of Jack & Jill of America to bring MASTERCHEF JUNIOR Season Five winner Jasmine Stewart as our first-ever Guest CHEF. At just 12 years old, Stewart competed against thousands of youth across the country to win the top spot on FOX's hit cooking competition series, MASTERCHEF JUNIOR. On April 14th, Stewart, a Milton, GA, native, will be host-cooking demonstrations for select students at the beautifully renovated E. W. Hagler Club. During this event, Stewart will also lead an inspirational discussion, followed by a question-and-answer time.

Season Six of MASTERCHEF JUNIOR airs Fridays (8:00-9:00 PM ET/PT) on FOX.

If you are a chef or restaurant owner and would like to participate in BGC's Guest CHEF Program, at no cost to you, contact Travis Heflin, Food Program Director, theflin@bgcaugusta.org. To find out more about Junior Chef Jasmine Stewart, visit her website www.justchefjasmine.com or follow her on Social Media @justchefjasmine.

From Left: Jasmine Stewart (age 12) receiving the MASTERCHEF JUNIOR trophy; MASTERCHEF JUNIOR cookbook, featuring recipes from Stewart; Jasmine Stewart (age 13)