Rubric for Iron Chef Challenge Competition

Judges: Teams will present their dish with the secret ingredient. They may explain the steps taken, the difficulty of the recipe, how the secret ingredient, citrus_ was used, and how they plated for presentation, and designed the placemat.

- Appearance (Look of Dish, Table Decoration, Plating & Placemat)
- Knowledge (How well did you answer the questions; Do you know about the ingredients)
- Degree of difficulty (of recipe chosen and was there teamwork?)
- Use of secret ingredient (incorporated)

Recipe(s):

CRITERIA	WEIGHT	PROFESSIONAL	PRACTITIONER	NOVICE	BEGINNER
		25	20	10	5
Appearance	25%	○ Food Item(s) arranged	○ Food item(s) arranged	○ Food item(s) placed	◯ Little or no
(Plating and		neatly and with flair,	neatly	on plate no placemat or	planning for plating
placemat)		placemat professional	 Little creativity used 	poorly done placemat	food no placemat or
			Placemat is included		poorly done placemat
		creativity were visible			
Knowledge	25%	○ Knowledgeable about	○ Knowledgeable about	◯ Little knowledge	O Unable to answer
		the ingredient and recipe	product but not process		questions
			or vice versa		
Degree of	25%	Recipe(s) involved many	○ Recipe(s) involved	Recipe(s) involved a	Recipe was simple
Difficulty		steps, difficulty level was	many steps but difficulty	few steps and difficulty	to cook/bake, some
		high, teamwork apparent	level was medium, some	level was low, some	teamwork
			teamwork	teamwork	
Use of	25%	Used secret ingredient	○ Used secret	○ Used secret	ODid not use secret
Secret		and enhances flavor of	ingredient but not very	ingredient but flavor is	ingredient or is not
Ingredient		food item	noticeable.	off completely	noticeable

FINAL		
SCORE		