



REEF’s 2018 Lionfish Derby Series Presented by
Whole Foods Market
Culinary Competition General Info



This year, five of REEF’s six lionfish derbies, presented by Whole Foods Market, will be held in conjunction with a people’s choice culinary competition. The event will give participating chefs the opportunity to showcase their lionfish creations and win more than \$1,500 in cash and prizes. First, second and third place winners will receive \$750, \$500 and \$250 respectively. Voting for the event will consist of VIP ticket holders who will taste the chef’s creations and vote for their favorite dish. Tasting and voting will take place starting at 12:00 pm on derby day and end around 2:00pm.

Participating chefs will be provided approximately 10lbs of lionfish filet. It is recommended that participating chefs plan their tasting portions in order to serve approximately 150 ticket holders. Food preparation can take place at the competition site or at an alternate location. It is the responsibility of the chef to provide all necessary ingredients (other than lionfish), cooking utensils, and appliances. Registration for this competition is free. Space is limited.

Culinary Competition Registration Form

Name: _____

Business name: _____
(must be ServSafe certified)

Email Address: _____ Phone number: _____

_____ Key Largo (September 16) Outdoors at John Pennekamp Coral Reef State Park
Access to freshwater, a table and a covered area will be provided;

**Electricity is limited on site
Please let us know if you will require electricity and for what purpose.

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- 10:00 – 12:00: Set up and food prep
 - 12:00 – 2:00: voting
 - ~2:30: awards

Fax or Email registration to event to:
REEF (305) 852-0301 or reefhq@REEF.org For more information please call (305) 852-0030

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