



THE COMMUNITY TABLE

MEALS ON WHEELS DELAWARE NEWSLETTER

UPCOMING EVENTS

* **Celebrity Chefs' Brunch**

Wilmington

Sunday, April 26, 2026

Savor gourmet tastings by top chefs, sip signature cocktails, and enjoy live music in a vibrant, flavorful celebration!

* **Hats and Heels**

Dover

Saturday, September 19, 2026

Get ready to party in style! Enjoy a lively night filled with cocktails, delicious bites, and music that'll keep you grooving. Embrace the theme and show off your flair by rocking your favorite hat and/or high heels—yes, fellas, that includes you too!



THANK YOU GIANT!

During the month, Meals on Wheels Delaware will receive a \$1 donation for every \$2.75 reusable Community Bag sold, helping us continue to provide nutritious meals and supportive services to seniors across Delaware.

Visit 4301 Concord Pike
Wilmington, DE

You can support this program by visiting the participating GIANT Food Store and purchasing a reusable Community Bag during your next trip. Every bag sold makes a difference and helps us serve more seniors in our community.

Thank you for shopping with purpose and supporting our mission!

EXCITED FOR SEASON 23 OF TOP CHEF ?

Here's your chance for four of the cast members to cook for you.

Alongside twenty local, regional and national standout culinary talents we are thrilled to welcome these current top chef contestants to the Brunch 2026.

Join them, and us, on Sunday April 26, at the Chase Center on the Riverfront in Wilmington.

[Click here to review the full list & purchase your tickets](#)



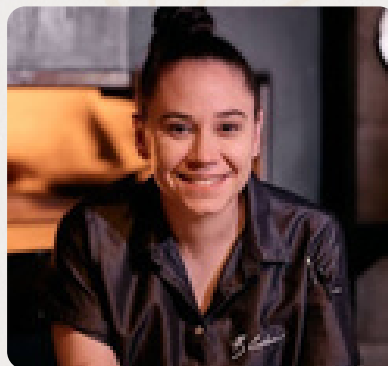
Nana Araba - New York

Rooted in her West African heritage and shaped by her French culinary training, Chef Nana reimagines dining with thoughtful, delicious meals that transform every gathering into a celebration of joy, creativity, and connection.



Seiger Bayer - bar Berria, Chicago

Featuring an ever-changing American menu, the restaurant showcases Seiger's fresh take on seasonal ingredients and techniques he learned from around the globe. bar Berria grows its ingredients onsite with over 30 raised garden beds.



Brittany Cochran - Stagioni, Charlotte, North Carolina

Brittany likes to take flavors that are recognizable and turn it into something a little different. Everybody knows vodka sauce. Everybody knows spicy vodka sauce. But we did a smoked, spicy vodka sauce because it pulls in a little bit of Southern. It's still recognizable. It's not too weird — it's tasty, it's simple, it's well done.



Rhoda Magbitang - CanoeHouse Kona, Hawaii

Her menus aren't flashy, they're confident. Steady. Grounded. You can taste her grandmother's influence in the quiet restraint of a broth, the intuitive balance of acid and fat. There are no gimmicks, just the voice of someone who spent a lifetime learning to trust her instincts.

A TOAST TO IMPACT: THE CELLAR MASTERS WINE AUCTION



Each April, for the last 21 years, Meals on Wheels Delaware hosts an event called the Cellar Master's Wine Auction! This event is held at the Chase Center and features a beautiful 4 course meal, and live auctions of some rare wines along with this year some rare Pappy's Bourbon! The silent auction is just as exciting!

Our feature items this year in our live auction are Two extraordinary Pappy Van Winkle Lots that are available for bidding! The first lot is the Pappy Prelude Trio! It is the 2010, 2012 and 2013 years expressions. Then we have the "Pappy Royalty" which included the 2015, 2020 and 2023 year bourbon! These are some of the most coveted and collectible whiskeys in the world! These are a once-in-a-lifetime bidding moments!

THIS EVENT IS SOLD OUT, however, should you wish to participate with a bid on both lots, or just one, please reach out to our Development Director, Susan Dubb, who will explain the process. We will be accepting remote bids up to Tuesday, April 14, 2026, 5pm! She can be reached at the Meals on Wheels office, 302-658-6281 or on email at sdubb@MealsOnWheelsDE.org.

This evening puts the spotlight on the mission of Meals on Wheels Delaware that Together, with our many sponsors and supporters "We can END senior hunger!"



MARCH FOR MEALS

As the Ides of March comes upon us so does the tradition of delivering with the agencies in Delaware for March for Meals. As each agencies calls out to their elected officials, and other supports to bring attention to the need of volunteers to deliver for Meals on Wheels Delaware!

Last week, Susan Dubb our Development Director, delivered in Sussex County, first at CHEER in Georgetown and then the next day for Lewes Rehoboth Meals on Wheels. She got to talk with seniors along each route, and nothing that she heard surprised her! They told her how much each meal means to them, they wait by the door for their volunteer to bring the meal, and yes these volunteers have become like family. One volunteer driver changes batteries, or helps to hang a photo, and one even makes sure that she is the last on his route so he can come in, and talk with her for a little while. As one said to her "I don't know where I would be if I could not get a meal from Meals on Wheels volunteer!" Thank you!

As our motto states and we truly believe in, it is through volunteering you give back to the community, and Together we can end senior Hunger! See you next year!!!



GET INVOLVED!

Giving back to the community starts with simple acts of care. Volunteering with Meals on Wheels to help deliver meals is a meaningful way to support neighbors, fight food insecurity, and make a positive impact one delivery at a time.



Sign up at MealsOnWheelsDE.org