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Pumpkin Tossing Group Catapults Students Into Higher Education

Rudolph Foods Supports Team's Science and Engineering Scholarship

DAYTON, Ohio. (October 1, 2011) – The American Chucker Trebuchet Team is coming together once again to compete in national and local pumpkin throwing competitions, known as “Punkin Chunkin.” Centered around both math and science disciplines, the execution of Pumpkin Chunkin includes regional competitions on October 14 and October 22, along with the **World Championship Punkin Chunkin** November 4-6, which is covered by the Science Channel globally. The Dayton, Ohio team is also establishing an American Chucker Endowment fund this year, a scholarship for students pursuing a degree in engineering or science. **Southern Recipe**, a pork rind leader produced by Rudolph Foods, in Lima, Ohio, is helping to spearhead the endowment fund with its second annual sponsorship support of The American Chucker team.

The American Chucker Trebuchet Team will hold demonstrations at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base in Dayton on October 14. The team will then host the First Annual Midwest Pumpkin Chuck at Young's Dairy in Springfield, Ohio on October 22. Southern Recipe will use the events to promote VotePorkRinds.com, where pork rind lovers who vote to create National Pork Rind Appreciation Day can win two tickets to football's Big Game in February.



The World Championship Punkin Chunkin, held each year in Nassau, Delaware, holds thirteen category competitions for both adults and children that support the importance of science and engineering in the community. This year's competition was featured on the Discovery Channel as well as Science Channel.

“The American Chucker team revolves around the fun of science and engineering – creating an endowment fund is a natural and exciting step forward,” says Steve Beyer, member of The American Chucker Trebuchet Team. “We're honored to have the support of Green County Community Foundation, Southern Recipe and the community overall.”

“Education is an important cause to Southern Recipe and we're proud to assist American Chucker as their endowment fund takes off, “ says Mark Singleton, VP Marketing and Sales, Southern Recipe. “We're confident that this scholarship program will make significant contributions to the Ohio community for many years to come.”

About Southern Recipe

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