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## **Five Chester County Cheese Artisans take part in Philly Cheese Experiment**

*Event takes place Sunday at World Café Live*

**EXTON** \_ Five members of the Chester County Cheese Artisans will take part in Sunday's Philly Cheese Experiment.

The five participating businesses are Birchrun Hills Farm, Conebella Farm, Yellow Springs Farm, Shellbark Hollow Farm and Doe Run Dairy. They will be highlighted as part of a program that includes a cook-off involving some of Philadelphia's finest amateur chefs.

The event will take place Sunday from noon until 4:00 p.m. at the World Café Live as part of Philly Beer Week. The café is located at 3025 Walnut Street, Philadelphia. The cost is \$10 per person.

The winner will go to Brooklyn, New York, to participate in the national cook-off title. Those attending will be able to sample the cheese dishes. A portion of the proceeds will support a Philadelphia charity.

The Chester County Cheese Artisans promote farmstead and artisanal cheese makers practicing their craft in Chester County. For more information, see [www.chestercountycheese.org](http://www.chestercountycheese.org). The Cheese Artisans are affiliated with the Chester County Economic Development Council.

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