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Paris House Executive Chef Alan Murchison on the BBC's Great British Menu 2010

Paris House Executive Chef Alan Murchison has successfully earned a place on BBC Two's popular culinary show, Great British Menu.

Celebrating the wealth of delicious produce grown, reared and fished across the UK, the fifth series of Great British Menu will see Alan competing against 23 of Britain's top chefs for the opportunity to cook a glorious banquet. This year the guest list for the banquet will be made up of some of the best British food producers and suppliers from around the country.

The 2010 Great British Menu will retain its distinctive format, with a few twists. This year, three great culinary talents will battle it out in the regional heats. Chef Murchison will be competing in the Scotland region. Great British Menu will be shown on BBC Two, Mon 5 Apr at 18.30.

Alan Murchison is also Chef Patron of restaurant La Becasse in Ludlow, whose Head Chef Will Holland has also earned a place on the series and will be competing in the Midland regional heats. Should both Will and Alan be successful in their respective heats then they would face each other in the final.

Says Alan, "I'm absolutely delighted take part in the Great British Menu again this year. It's an honour to join a line-up of such superb chefs and the whole experience offers a great opportunity to meet inspirational suppliers from my home region and to learn new techniques from the best."

Alan Murchison's menu is: cock-a-leekie terrine with prune puree; lobster cocktail cooked four ways, served with braised lettuce and confit tomatoes; steak and chips with a tomato relish; carrot cake with cream cheese ice-cream and carrot sorbet.

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