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## **CTV ADDS MASTERCHEF CELEBRITY SHOWDOWN, TWO-HOUR CULINARY CHARITY SPECIAL**

**CHARITY SPECIAL AIRING JANUARY 18**

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In this ultimate snack-down, award-winning judge Gordon Ramsay and renowned pastry chef Christina Tosi invite celebrities into the MASTERCHEF kitchen to battle it out against each other in this first-ever Masterchef Celebrity Showdown.

The special also pits previous Masterchef winners against some of Masterchef Junior's Season 4 competitors, as they battle in a variety of showdowns to win a cash prize for the charities of their choice.

CraveTV also confirmed today it will add the special to its Reality TV collection on January 19, 2016.

Masterchef Celebrity Showdown features four battles in a test of their culinary skills :

- Gigi Hadid vs. Devon Windsor :

International supermodels Gigi Hadid and Devon Windsor walk from the runway to the kitchen while competing for charities close to their hearts, Global Lyme Alliance and St. Louis Children's Hospital, respectively.

- Terry Crews and Rebecca Crews vs. Boris Kodjoe and Nicole Ari Parker :

Two cooks are better than one in the couples' battle. Brooklyn Nline-Nine star and World's Funniest host Terry Crews and his wife, Rebecca Crews, represent Polaris Project, while The Last Man On Earth's Boris Kodjoe and wife, Nicole Ari Parker's charity of choice is Sophie's Voice Foundation.

- Kaitlin Doubleday vs. Ta'Rhonda Jones :

Find out who reigns in the kitchen when Empire actresses Kaitlin Doubleday and Ta'Rhonda Jones compete for their charities, Best Friends Animal Society and the Brady Campaign to Prevent Gun Violence, respectively.

- Masterchef Winners vs. Masterchef Junior Season Four Contestants :

Masterchef winners Luca Manfe, Christine Ha, and Claudia Sandoval battle it out for Los Angeles Regional Food Bank, while Season Four Masterchef Junior contestants Addison, Amaya, and Zac compete for Food on Foot.

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