



MARIST CULINARY COUNCIL

March 8, 2017

Resident

- Spring Forward Sweepstakes began March 6th
- Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) Fish on Fridays during Lent
- General Mills Promotions gave away flat screen TV to Marist student

Retail

- Mindful Loaves (Apple Cinnamon Chipotle and Sundried Tomato) every Wednesday in the bakery
- Kashi GoLean Salted Dark Chocolate & Nuts Bars
- Red's Best Seafood "Catch of the Day" Fridays in Donnelly Café for Lent
- Stop Hunger Donations taken through March 15th

Upcoming Events

- March is celebrating National Nutrition Month
- Campus Dietitian—3/9
- Meatball Madness in the Dining Hall—3/9
- Smoothie Night in the Dining Hall—3/20
- Kalamata Mediterranean Lunch in Donnelly—3/29
- Coloring in the Dining Hall—3/31

Other

- Spring Break Hours of Operation
- Bite app for daily menus
- Steve presented new Dining Plans for 2017-2018 academic year
- Members invited to Sodexo Generations Presentation, April 17th at 12pm (SC3014)
- Introducing new Catering Director—Luigi Sinapi



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Open Discussion/Student Feedback

- Group discussed upcoming offerings at new North End dining facility
- Group discussed menu substitution protocol across campus, particularly limited flexibility at The Marketplace
- Feedback from Donnelly Café remains positive—clientele enjoying Boar's Head product
- Student mentioned vegan friend interested in learning more about dining options on campus—directed to Campus Dietitian for consulting
- Students interested in offering Valley Café menu suggestions—encouraged them to send an e-mail to the Chef or share suggestion via MyDtxt
- Dining team to look into alternative holding options for gluten free pizza, chicken tenders and french fries in the MyZone kitchen
- Labeled salad dressing ladles were placed in Dining Hall—customers having a hard time reading them, alternative options need to be considered for remaining ladles
- Student suggestion to offer combo pricing for healthy options in retail (e.g. York Street product + a Naked Juice for discounted rate)