

Hello Knights!

We are thrilled to be continuing our long-term partnership with Bellarmine University as your Dining Services team with Sodexo and look forward to seeing and serving you this fall! We know you have questions about changes to Dining Services since we last saw you and we wanted to reach out to answer those questions.

RESIDENT DINING (UDH)

Since we last saw you, we adjusted the dining program to ensure the safety of the Bellarmine community and our team members for the fall semester as it relates to the pandemic. We have enhanced sanitary procedures throughout all dining locations while following the Kentucky Healthy at Work guidelines as well as state regulations. The following measures have been taken:

- Requirement of face coverings
- Single use utensils will be utilized
- Increased frequency of surface cleaning
- Reduced occupancy and seating to encourage physical distancing
- Hand sanitizer pumps available at entrances and all dining platforms
- Physical distancing signage including floor markers added and visible to all locations
- All dining stations and beverages will be served by employees

The overall dining experience is still a priority for our team while safety is at the helm of that experience. We are happy to now be serving at all dining platforms while also offering a to go option. Eco-friendly takeout containers will be available in the UDH to provide you the option to enjoy your meal in an additional suitable location. *All-you-care-to-enjoy dining is still available, and we will not be limiting you on that experience.* However, due to safety precautions, we will provide you a new takeout container and disposable utensils with each visit to the UDH. Customers may also utilize the Simply to Go program to choose pre-packaged sandwiches, salads, fruit cups, yogurt parfaits and more as a swipe from their meal plan. We have increased the amount and variety that is being offered with this program located within the UDH.

RETAIL

In addition to our dining hall updates, we are excited to bring enhancements to our current Bite App (menu and nutritional info app) for you to use in our retail locations on campus. We have added additional features to the new Bite+ App that includes mobile ordering and online payment for pickup orders. You may safely place your order right from your phone and pick it up at a designated spot located within each retail dining location using your meal plan, flex dollars, declining balance, or credit card. Catie's Café, located in the Siena Complex, will be transitioning to a convenience store offering groceries, health & beauty items, beverages, snacks, frozen & refrigerated items and general merchandise. This location will also be in the Bite+ App for mobile ordering and pickup.

MEAL PLANS

Meal plans have also been updated to allow for increased safety and added flexibility. An additional meal period was added at Palio that includes a light breakfast, lunch and late Knight swipe. In addition, a late lunch swipe was added at Ogle. Updated meal plan information is:

Monday thru Friday

Breakfast: 7:15 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.
Lite Breakfast: 9:15 a.m. – 10:44 a.m.
Lunch: 10:45 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Lite Lunch: 1:31 p.m. – 4:44 p.m.
Dinner: 4:45 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.
Late Dinner: 7:31 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.
Late Knight: 9:31 p.m. - Close at Palio

Saturday and Sunday

Brunch/Lunch: 10:45 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. at UDH
Late Lunch: 1:31 p.m. – 4:44 p.m. at Einstein's at Ogle
(Saturday Only)
Dinner: 4:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m. at UDH
Late Dinner: 7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. at Palio
Late Knight: 9:30 p.m. – Close at Palio

There are four resident dining meal plans that you may choose from depending on your needs and schedule. Simply visit the housing portal to make your meal plan selection beginning this Thursday, July 30th and ending August 10th. Once you have chosen your meal plan and feel that you might need to make a change to that plan, you may do that during the first 10 days of the semester starting on the first day of class. All on campus students are required to select a traditional resident dining meal plan. All meal plans will begin on August 12th with breakfast and will end on November 24 with lunch. Each student with a traditional resident dining meal plan will receive 10 guest meals. Your guest may use those meals at the UDH, Ogle, and Palio during regular mealtimes. Meal plan options are:

Ultimate Meal Plan (BEST VALUE)

26 meals a week with 200 flex dollars to use at any on campus retail location Cost: \$2610

17 Meal Plan

17 meals per week with 270 flex dollars to use at any on campus retail location Cost:\$2310

13 Meal Plan

13 meals per week with 325 flex dollars to use at any on campus retail location Cost: \$2310

10 Meal Plan

10 meals per week and 375 flex dollars to use at any on campus retail location Cost: \$2310

Again, we are excited to welcome new and returning students back to the campus. If you have any additional questions, you may reach out to our team by phone (502) 272-8305 or by visiting us on our website at bellarmine.sodexomyway.com. We look forward to serving and enhancing your overall campus dining experience.

Sincerely,

Bellarmino Dining Services



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