Mason Dining is making a concentrated effort to serve certified halal meat at the following locations:

- Southside - Chef’s Table (Entrée station) and Simple Servings station.
- Ike's - Clarendon (Entrée station) and Simple Serving station.
- The Globe - Look for Halal signage

All meats served at these stations will be halal except for turkey (due to a current supply chain shortage) and subsequent non-halal items (pork, shellfish, shrimp, and scallops).

If only non-halal items are served, halal entrées will still be available upon request.

Additionally, please look for these signs on the sneeze guards indicating whether Halal is being served or moved to another station.
On Friday, November 4th, our dietician Brooke Tresch, RD, and Mason Recreation took over a Mason Life Class. The lecture, led by Mason Recreation, focused on inventory, deciding what dish to make, then going to the store to buy any necessary items. Fun games and activities were incorporated into the lecture portion which kept Mason Life students very much engaged.

Our Campus Dietitian led the cooking portion of the class, where students made Simple Chicken Tacos while discussing nutritional topics. Mason Life felt the event was a huge success leaving Mason Life students feeling empowered to make this meal on their own. Mason Life is also happy that students made connections with staff from Mason Dining and Mason Recreation, too.
MASON DINING HOSTED OUR THIRD FARMERS MARKET OF THE FALL 2022 SEMESTER. THIS TIME, ELEVEN VENDORS WERE PRESENT, FURTHER HIGHLIGHTING THE EVENT’S GROWTH OVER THE PAST FEW MONTHS. JUST AJ’S FOODS, A PLANT-BASED SAUSAGE VENDOR FROM WASHINGTON D.C., MADE THEIR FIRST VENTURE TO OUR FARMERS MARKET AND SHARED THEIR INNOVATIVE OPTIONS WITH CURIOUS STUDENTS. OZFeka CATERING, ANOTHER FIRST-TIME VENDOR, OFFERED UP DELICIOUS, SWEET AND SAVORY TURKISH AND MEDITERRANEAN DELIGHTS, MANY OF WHICH ARE DIFFICULT TO FIND ELSEWHERE.
On Monday, November 14, Mason Dining welcomed our university’s President Gregory Washington to Southside Dining Hall for our annual Turkey Carving. The President enjoyed spending time with students and faculty alike, as he helped Mason Nation ring in the Thanksgiving season.
Pop up events at Southside Lobby was a favorite amongst students. Patriots had a chance to enjoy a Candy Bar, S’more Campfire Dessert Bar, Hot Cocoa, Apple Cider, and a Caramel Popcorn Bar.
Celebrate Friendsgiving

On November 16th, Mason Dining hosted a Friendsgiving dinner at Ike's Dining Hall.

Students had a chance to enjoy, not only hot apple cider, but a carved roasted turkey, flank steak, tofurkey, and a variety of traditional sides and desserts. We also offered bracelet-making as a way for students to connect before the break.
During the month of November, the @Mason_Dining account on Instagram collaborated with @shopMason, @BlazePizza, and @PresidentGregoryWashington Instagram accounts.

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