Hello.

This bi-weekly Spring Dining Update contains some exciting news about our catering program and the many events over the last two weeks. The update also includes community projects during the school year as well as some exciting summer offers. Enjoy and as always, reach out with any questions.

Sincerely,

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THIS UPDATE INCLUDES

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The Summer Arch program made its debut this summer and to celebrate we hosted a kickoff party. As guests entered the event, our friendly staff greeted them with a seasonal Fresca drink for them to enjoy while they networked during the reception. The event featured a handcrafted, seasonally inspired menu as well as four international food stations tended to by our expert culinary team. Food at these stations spanned from Middle Eastern, to Asian, to South American as well as deserts from around the world. Besides the plethora of delicious food provided by our staff, the Summer Arch Kickoff party also was a great way to showcase a lot of innovative presentation ideas and it would be an understatement to report that students enjoyed themselves. Sophomore Dean, Jade Felder, commented on the fact that students were staying and mingling even after the event had ended.

-Sarah Dorrer Catering Manager

Faculty and Staff Breakfast

On Monday, June 5th, Dr. Jackson paid thanks to our incredible Administrative and Facilities Department team, for their help with the 2017 Commencement with a beautiful breakfast buffet. The breakfast buffet was complete with fresh fruit, danishes, scones, home fries, scrambled eggs, maple bacon, sausage, and cinnamon raisin French toast. The 200 esteemed guests in attendance filled their plates to the brim. Everyone in attendance left with a well-deserved smile on his or her face, commemorating a job well done.
The American Heart Association in conjunction with the State University of New York at Albany held the 2017 Capital Region Heart Walk & Run this past Saturday, June 3rd, with a fundraising goal set high at $600,000. We, at Rensselaer Hospitality Services, donated our time along with $5,000 and a sampling of Mindful snacks and prizes. We focused our efforts on helping educate the public about healthy eating for a healthy heart before the race began on Saturday. We hope that our donation to the American Heart Association is used to help stop the epidemic of heart disease in America as well as to educate the public about healthy living.

"We keep seeing more and more people, getting involved. The more people that know about that brings their circle of friends involved and colleagues involved. This is a great bonding event for families, their friends, and for business communities."

Denise Gonick, President and CEO, MVP Health Care.

Did You Know?

Rensselaer Hospitality Service donates leftover food from some events to Joseph’s House and Shelter in Troy. We partner with Joseph’s House to see that their mission is completed to provide non-judgmental services to end homelessness. We concur with their values to recognize an individual’s strengths, capacities and the right to self-determination, as well as affirming each person’s dignity and showing respect through non-judgmental advocacy.
SPRING DINING UPDATE

LOOKING AHEAD

As Summer 2017 comes into full swing, our residential dining program has started to wind down. However, our retail locations remain popular among students and faculty on campus as well as those who work in Troy. In light of this, Rensselaer Hospitality Services team has brainstormed some wonderful and delicious specials to add variety to our retail locations. These highlighted Summer specials are listed below.

Specialty Events

Wicked Wings now served every Wednesday at McNeil Room

An end of summer BBQ at Evelyn’s Café on August 16

National Food Days’

June 22 Celebrate National Eclairs Day and stop by Father’s Marketplace for your favorite French pastry.

June 26 Pop in to Father’s Marketplace to celebrate National Chocolate Pudding Day and grab a cup!

July 14th Celebrate National Mac & Cheese Day at Maxx Deli with a specialty dish.

July 20th Come by Father’s Marketplace, and McNeil in the Student Union or Evelyn’s Café for a free lollipop on National Lollipop Day!

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