

Student Voice Meeting Minutes November 17, 2023

Meeting details

Time: 12pm

Location: West Side Dining

12:06PM

- Start of the meeting with the members present:
 - Madhabi Chakravorty
 - Jenna Sweet
 - Rachel Truskinovsky
 - Christian Demushkin
 - John Hesse
 - Tracey Davis
 - Laura Martarano
 - Bill Napolitano
 - Emily Stone
 - Frankie Yang
 - Katrina Lovett
 - Michaelo Herring-Calvo
 - Victoria Mylott
 - Nicole Diaz

New Business

- ❖ Feedback from students:
 - Students aren't aware of all the halal chicken options at the dining halls. Increased signage and promotion of all the options is needed.
 - Students say that the dishes are too small.
 - Some students expressed concern about undercooked chicken at both dine-in locations, however, SBU Eats uses precooked chicken in many recipes. This could be the pinkish look to the thigh and leg meat. Students should always tell a manager if they think their food is not cooked properly.
 - Positive feedback from students about the strawberry ice cream at dine-in.
 - Students would like the menus for the markets to be present in Nutrislice. It is complicated to control the inventory of the store because it isn't consistent. If a student wants a specific product, they can ask the manager in the store if they want to order that product.
 - Students suggested decorating the West Side Dining for the holidays.
 - The pizza at West Side Dining is too hard, maybe because it has been out for too long.

- The vegetable portions are inconsistent at Wicked Wings at East Side Dining,
 - The rice is hard at the bottom at East Side Dining.
 - The ice cream at West Side Dining was melted. It was a small malfunction of the machine. Students should inform the SBU Eats manager wearing a red t-shirt when this occurs.
 - Students liked the wings at East Side Dining this week.
 - Students would like more Halal options at West Side Dining.
 - Students would like an omelet station added to East Side Dining.
 - The plates are smaller in the grill station at East Side Dining.
 - Students enjoyed Prime Night.
 - Students liked the BBQ pork at Roth Cafe.
- ❖ Upcoming activities: ask for more information
- Thanksgiving break. [Dining hours during the break](#) are posted online.
 - Native American Heritage Month, special dinner offerings at both dine-in locations the rest of the month.
 - Tuesday November 21, Global Night from 4pm to 9pm. Korean food will be offered.
 - Tuesday November 28, we will celebrate National French Toast Day from 7:30am to 11am at both dine-in locations.
 - Tuesday November 28, Street Foods Takeover will be offered during lunch at East Side Dining. Thursday November 30, this special will be offered at West Side Dining.
 - Rotheffeller tree lighting will be on November 29 during the evening.
 - After the break, the menu at Savor will offer Peruvian food.
 - Tuesday December 5 at 3pm, [Teaching Kitchen - Avocado Truffles at Roth](#).
 - Wednesday December 6 at 1pm, [Teaching Kitchen - Cookie decorating at Roth](#).
 - Thursday December 7 at 4pm, [Teaching Kitchen - Mini Gingerbread Houses at Roth](#). At 6pm, there will be a cooking competition.
- ❖ If students have questions about student employment, please contact Tracey Davis tracey.davis@stonybrook.edu
- ❖ “Did you know” section of weekly emails: provide information about dining jobs available for students.
- ❖ We will provide Student Voice ambassadors with a QR code with all the Halal, plant-based, and gluten-free options on campus.
- ❖ Remind students there are hand sanitizers at all dining locations.

- ❖ **Our next meeting will be Friday December 1 at the East Side Dining Starbuck at 12pm.**

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- Adjournment