UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EAU CLAIRE
STUDENT SENATE RESOLUTION

In Support of Maintaining Updated and Accurate Dining Menus

WHEREAS, the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire (UW-Eau Claire) Student Senate is the official voice of the student body; and

WHEREAS, the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire is committed to providing all students with ample nutritious food options, including those with dietary restrictions; and

WHEREAS, providing students and faculty with an updated online and physical menu consistently labelling potential allergens, cross contamination risks, and allergen-friendly alternatives can give a sense of comfort knowing what has interacted with their food and beverage before they encounter it; and

WHEREAS, updated menus would prevent the need of clarification through a third-party source such as Blugold Dining Staff who may not be as familiar with the diet or may not have the time to fulfill such requests; and

WHEREAS, providing a physical menu and labels within buffet-style dining can prevent confusion surrounding whether the food equates to the online menu provisions; and

WHEREAS, prospective students with dietary restrictions may have questions surrounding dietary concerns and having online material can help make the process easier in determining that UW Eau-Claire is the proper school for them; and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, that the University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire Student Senate supports the alteration of the current online and physical menus presented within Blugold Dining; and

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, all menus are consistent in providing the same breadth of information reflecting allergens and dietary restrictions alike; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, menus include which items can be altered to fit the needs of the diet either by substitution or elimination, outlining when cross contamination can occur; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED, that upon passage of this resolution, President Farmer will transmit a copy of this resolution to Dr. James Schmidt, Chancellor; Greggory Heinselman, Interim Dean of Students;
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1 If you have citations, you can provide the links/titles here and demarcate them with superscript