Carleton Dining Board  
Thursday, January 28th, 2016  
LDC Meeting Room

Present:  
Clara Hobbie ’19, Andrew T. Woosnam ’18, Douglas Totten ’16, Eric Walker ’17, Rachel Harris ’18,  
Andrea Robinson, Katie McKenna, Jenny Pope, Chris Rohr, Dan Bergeson

Discussion/Updates:  
• Climate Action Week – What are you planning to do?  
• Chili Cook-Off on January 25th – 3 Teams  
  o Netflix and Chili (A Cincinnati Style Chili)  
    ▪ Winner and will be served Sunday, February 7th in the dining halls and Sayles Café  
  o Red Hot Chili (Peppers): 2nd Place  
  o Vegan Chana-Masala Inspired Chili: 3rd Place

Comment Cards:  
LDC  
• The jasmine rice was perfectly steamed in a timely manner. Usually, it is harder to chew but today’s was great! Also, I liked the Mushu Pork. Please make sure to give enough time for the rice to steam well.  
  o Thanks for your insight. We will keep an eye on the rice.  
• Is the bread labeled “wheat” whole wheat? If not, could we please have a whole wheat bread at all meals? Gotta get in those healthy, slow-release carbs! 😊 Are there whole wheat pastries in Sayles?  
  o Yes, the bread is whole wheat.  
• Please bring back the organic raspberry preserves! The jam isn’t the same. 😊 signed a PB&J connoisseur. (organic peanut butter is also cool – thanks!)  
  o We order the organic preserves and peanut butter on a regular basis. Sometimes our purveyor shorts our order causing outages.  
• “Plain” yogurt is way too sweet! Please get the unsweetened kind! Thank you! Seconding this! You can add sugar to your individual taste but you can’t remove it!!  
  o We will source unsweetened plain yogurt.  
• Sweet potato curry was very delectable! Also, the avocado chicken salad was incredible – I appreciate the non-mayonnaise and interesting, innovative combination!  
  o We are glad you enjoyed the selections! We will continue to be innovative.  
• The food was exceptional today! I particularly enjoyed the Indian egg curry, beef suya sandwich and the pesto spaghetti squash. The food was noticeably more flavorful than usual. Keep up the good work!  
  o Glad you enjoyed the food. The Chef’s thank you.  
• The bread is very poorly marked. We should have legitimate whole wheat bread at every meal. THE PEOPLE WANT WHOLE WHEAT BREAD. Thanks dude! Swiggity Swag  
  o Yes, the bread is whole wheat.  
• Bring back hard boiled eggs please. Also, the pineapple fried rice was delish. 😊
Due to the Avian Flu and the culling of millions of egg laying birds – it is difficult to procure enough eggs to do hard boiled. This will likely last until next fall.

- The PEPPERS (green stuffed) WERE AMAZING!!!!!
  - We are glad you enjoyed the vegan stuffed peppers. We will add them to the rotation more often.

- The rice porridge at Wild Thymes was very good! In general, I love the gluten free millet, polenta, oatmeal, and other hot cereals or sweet potato-based dishes at Wild Thymes. Cooking w/coconut milk and coconut add-ins are also a delicious plus!
  - We are glad you enjoy the selections. We will continue to provide the variety you are looking for.

- Your food is often too spice – it would be nice if you could just have spicy sauces or add-ins on the side for people who want them rather than already in the dish. Thanks!
  - Thanks for your insight. We will work on taming the dishes down a bit.

Burton
- Egg rolls have been on point! Please offer some with meat though please?
  - Thanks. Will do.
- I love jalapenos (the quesadillas tonight were simple and good). Any chance we could have jalapenos as a permanent staple at the sandwich bar?
  - Thanks, we could rotate them in.
- Does the vanilla chai have caffeine? Thanks!
  - Yes, because there is black tea.
- The fruity loops are my favorite. Would it be possible to have them in rotation more often? Thanks
  - Sure, thanks.
- Breakfast calzones were much better than regular breakfast.
  - Thank you. We will keep making them that way.

Sayles
- Please bring Granola Bars back!! They are my favorite thing at Sayles. I second this motion!! Also, just healthier options?
  - I will email the bakery!
- The Salsa Verde that you guys put in the takeout section was awesome. 10/10 would eat again. And 4$ is a great deal!
  - We have a whole list of other options. Tenders are not cheap. They are good quality, not pressed chicken. All breast meat tenderloins.
- PS we really need a better meal option b/c $5.00 for 3 small chicken tenders is pathetic. 😊
  - Thank you! I will look into it!
- I love the granola bars and I’d love to see them back at Sayles.
  - I will talk to the bakers.
- I love Sayles LADIES!
  - They love you too!
- I went to Weitz (what a walk!) and then wearily wandered to Sayles, where there were no whole wheat snacks. What a waste! I will now whither away... (I would love whole wheat snacks at Sayles)! *Also, the Indian food this week was amazing ❤️ & helped me get through the week. Many thanks!
  - Thank you! I will look into it!
Hey there lovely Sayles people! It would be really, really wonderful to get some late night vegan options besides hummus & pita bread? THANK YOU? Vegan wrap was FANTASTIC – Hope it sticks around!
  o  I will talk to Betty.

Upcoming Events:

- February 4
  o  Live at Sayles Café
- February 6
  o  Midwinter Ball – Tea Room closed for dinner
- February 7
  o  Pregame in Sayles from 4-6: Nachos, potato skins and Buffalo Chicken
- February 8
  o  Lunar New Year: Year of the Monkey
- February 9
  o  Mardi Gras
- February 14
  o  Valentine’s Day Celebrations in both Sayles and LDC

Next Dining Board Meeting:  Thursday, February 11th, 12 – 1:00 pm, Sevy Meeting Room