Housing office unveils new plan to handle housing shortage

Commons mugs to be replaced by Mason jars and protein supplements

It's every coffee drinkers' worst nightmare. The mugs will no longer come with the sign of comfort — the familiar Durkees Coffee Diner experience.

In an announcement made at the Iron Chef Competition this past Wednesday, Michael Lemmon, Director of Dining, mentioned that the Durkees' iconic mugs would be phased out of Commons this short term. Instead, Mason jars will be provided instead of the usual coffee mugs.

The move is a part of Durkees' commitment to become more environmentally friendly. The mugs, according to the announcement, will be replaced with Mason jars, which are more durable and easier to recycle.

"It's a small step towards sustainability," Lemmon said. "But we believe it's an important step towards a greener future."

The new mugs will be accompanied by protein supplements. The supplements will be added to the mugs to aid with nutrition and energy levels.

"It's a win-win," said Lemmon. "We're providing a healthy option for students, and we're reducing waste at the same time."

Despite the change, students are divided on the new plan. Some are concerned about the taste of the supplements, while others are excited for the new option.

"I'm excited for the new mugs," said junior Sarah Johnson. "I love the idea of having protein in my coffee."

Others are less enthusiastic.

"I don't think it's a good idea," said sophomore Emma Smith. "I don't want anything added to my coffee."

Despite the mixed reactions, Durkees is committed to the change. "We're listening to student feedback and making changes as needed," said Lemmon.

The change will be implemented over the next few weeks, with the first mugs and supplements available next week.

The move is part of Durkees' larger initiative to become more sustainable. The company has already implemented other changes, such as using recycled paper products and reducing plastic waste.

"We're making progress," said Lemmon. "But there's always room for improvement."
Students disguise themselves as varsity athletes

BRIAN JOHNSON
STAFF WRITER

After countless occasions on which they’ve been pushed away from athletic venues by incredu¬lous staff, there are reports that the students for illegal athletic dis¬guises, but he’s encountered sev¬eral suspicious incidents. “Last Saturday I was partaking in the athletic facilities when I saw this little runt working out while the football players were lifting. The kid didn’t even look like he could bench a Commons tray, so I got right in his scenic pose, poses, filled face and said, ‘Son, there’s no way on earth you’re on the team.’ But when he replied, ‘Do you even lift bro’ I knew I was mistaken and sincerely apologized to him for my misconduct.” He also recounted another incident involving suspicious activity on the softball field. “I figured that no sane kid would willingly play softball unless they were on the varsity, but I had my rounds. I saw this girl in the outfield during bat¬ting practice with a stellar arm and amazing instincts, which instantly piqued my curiosity.”

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in a conversation with a member of Bates Security who had recently been alerted to this trend of illicit amateur competi¬tion, The Spudent learned that this issue may be more insidious than originally thought. The security member noted that he’s yet to disciplined any students for illegal athletic dis¬guises, but he’s encountered sev¬eral suspicious incidents. “Last Saturday I was partaking in the athletic facilities when I saw this little runt working out while the football players were lifting. The kid didn’t even look like he could bench a Commons tray, so I got right in his scenic pose, poses, filled face and said, ‘Son, there’s no way on earth you’re on the team.’ But when he replied, ‘Do you even lift bro’ I knew I was mistaken and sincerely apologized to him for my misconduct.”

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Barn JAZZ
BRAD WENZEL

It is not secret the gradual increase in price to attend Bates College has been a bold move for debate over the years. The latest change, part of the board’s take¬over for the 2014-15 aca¬demic year is $50,770. However, after some more analytical and budgeting work, Bates College released a statement explaining they had made a grave mistake in their calculations for the new fee.

In an exclusive report to The Spudent, President Clayton Spencer explained, “I know that

THE SPUDENT
“PEPPER FLIPS”
VARIOUS FACULTY/ STAFF MEMBERS

The Pepper Flip. A common experience for a fre¬quenter of Commons, an individual makes a chal¬lenge or bet to another diner. If the challenged diner accepts, the pepper shaker is flipped. If the shaker sticks a complete rotation, the chal¬lenge must execute said task.

Clayton Spencer, President: must dive from fossil fuel companies

Keith Tannenbaum, Assistant Dean of Stu¬dents: must go an entire school year without taking a picture at a dance (this means 80’s AND 90’s, Keith!)

Holly Gurney, Associate Dean of Students: must shotgun a beer on a table in Commons at Friday dinner

Kevin McHugh, Director of Athletics: must practice and condition with each varsity sports team for one week, including intramu¬ral and club teams

Loring Danforth, Charles A. Dana Professor of Anthropology: must shave his epic must¬ache

Ron, Assistant Director of Security: must challenge Smith Middle girls to a game of pong

All student programming, in fact, is being supported by President Spencer’s hefty growth in the endowment. “If this school don’t have enough mon¬ey to buy softballs and football equipment, I’m transferring... snapping,” explained a clearly dis¬gruntled football player.

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President Spencer gets onboard with Michelle Obama’s anti-obesity campaign

Barbie Guede  Community News Editor

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Additionally, Schwartz claimed that the reduced cost of the station will allow for the addition of more nutrient supplements in the spice rack. They will be strategically placed near front of the dining hall to allow for easy access to the athletes. Rumors have it extra large drinking glasses will be provided as well, so there will no longer be a need to take two cups for their Powerade.

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Viewership on the rise

The Student FINALLY becomes #1 news source at Bates!

Warm weather has arrived!

Despite being close to Maine’s beautiful coastline, student’s flock to a local “destination to the rugged” Range-Fund.

Shocking fitness injury

Student passes out in well-ventilated Merrill Gym

Commencement looms for seniors

But that means no longer being harrassed by the Senior queue)

We approach a group of Bates football fans.

"I need to eat. A lot. Like I already used to on six times a day with fried food at every meal," one of them said. "How am I supposed to get up to 270? Like Coach wanted, eating kale?"

Another one sighed. "So much for putting an effort into losing our football program." 

By far the most vehement reaction came from an anonymous letter to The Spudent. Due to the drama and vitriol expressed later in the letter, we have only occupied this portion:

"I am so fed up with kale. I mean live. It's so cold. It's so unappetizing. It's not even chocolate. I mean live."

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Bates Dining Services just received a shipment of the new Mason jar mason this morning! Stop by the far side of Commons to check them out!

Are you hungry?

How about...NOW?

We would say call the Den Delivery guys but...

There is none during Short Term!

SHAME!

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Starting 2014-15 academic year: "Shorter Term" because who doesn’t love academic exploration?

Citing the lack of academic rigor associated with Short Term, President Clayton Spencer announced on Monday the creation of a fourth academic semester to be known as "Shorter Term."

"Shorter Term will be a mandatory, rigorous two weeks of academic focus during which students complete a final GEC course," explained President Spencer during Monday's press conference. "The universal support for the GEC program prompted us to expand the requirements to this mandatory two-weeks of academic immersion."

Specific details of Shorter Term are still unknown, but this is what we know so far. Shorter Term will be two weeks long, starting the Monday after senior graduation. Classes will be held seven days a week for 10 hours per day. The semester will be a mandatory requirement to complete each GEC; therefore, students must complete one Shorter Term class for each of their GECs. Due to the large number of hours required for each Shorter Term class, tuition will be the same as that of a regular academic semester.

"We figured that 70 hours of classes per week would provide the opportunity for a comprehensive learning experience, while still allowing for at least several minutes per week for students to sleep, eat and enjoy themselves," explained President Spencer.

Student organizations have already begun planning events for the two weeks of Shorter Term. The Chase Hall Committee is planning on hosting an annual "Actually the Last Chance Dance," the Men's club rugby team will host a full contact student versus faculty charity game, and WRBC will bring in some of the biggest names in classical music for a "Bach Party" in the Library Arcade. Since Shorter Term will take place during the weeks after graduation, underclassmen will be allowed to move into rooms in the Village and other senior housing on a first-come-first-serve basis. Additionally, Range Pond will be offering a student 1% discount.

"Since I believe Shorter Term will be a monumental success, I have already been in talks with faculty about creating a fifth semester to be called 'Shortest Term,'" President Spencer said at the end of her press conference.