

Staying Connected with Campus Services



Campus Services employees are really making a difference! In this week's newsletter there are several Staff Kudos that highlight the positive impact you're making on Dartmouth employees, students, and their families. Your thoughtful interactions go above and beyond just doing your job; they show how much you care. It's wonderful to receive such positive feedback which brings full circle the compassion for others.

Hopkins Center Expansion

Dartmouth has hired the architectural firm Snøhetta to redesign an expanded Hopkins Center for the Arts. According to the Dartmouth News, "The firm's expertise in creating dynamic relationships between interior and exterior spaces and with existing built and natural landscapes was equally important to the [hire] decision." Goals of the project are to:

- create three new recital halls and teaching studios, including a flexible, multi-purpose performance space;
- incorporate state-of-the-art technologies;
- enhance acoustics, flow, and wayfinding;
- enhance community, social, and study spaces, including the beloved Top of the Hop;
- substantively upgrade rehearsal rooms; and
- introduce a new, more welcoming entry for ease of arrival and orientation.

Led by Campus Services Project Manager Chad

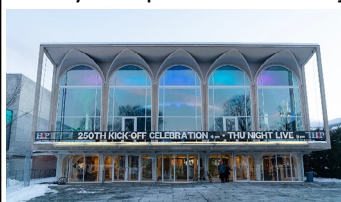


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Morig, this project is currently in the planning phase and will be discussed with Dartmouth Trustees at their late-February meeting.

Staff Kudos

This message is from the mother of a student who left campus this term.

To Residential Operations Manager Cathy Henault, *I am hoping you can pass on a message to Res Ops Custodian Jeremy Wheeler who helped [rowing coach Nancy LaRoque] load up my son's things today. She said he was a huge help and I wanted to thank him for that!*

So many different stresses these days and burdening a good friend with this task was one of them for me so I really appreciate all that Jeremy did to help. I also wanted to thank you for coordinating. Looking forward to bringing [my son] back to campus this spring!

Staff Kudos

To Dining Services' *Beth Rosenberger, Brandon Crosby, Jennifer Nakhla and Robert Lester*



(please share this with Chef Chris Kaschak):

Thank you very much for the chocolate-covered strawberries and marshmallows. Chocolate-covered strawberries are my favorite dessert, and it is very hard to find dairy-free versions of them. They were delicious, and I look forward to enjoying them and the marshmallows over the next few days.

I wanted to express my appreciation for delivering the desserts to my dorm. I was up until 3am last night working on my paper, so having the desserts dropped off was a big help. Thank you all again for going above and beyond to be accommodating. I really appreciate all of your time and energy into making me a special dessert.

*Sincerely,
Allison Wachen '22*

This note relates to an undergraduate student referred to below as 'John Doe'.

I'm really sorry to hear of John Doe's positive test, but how great to hear he was symptom-free throughout... Our staff in Campus Services have been doing incredible work this year, quietly and behind the scenes, to support our students, and they (and I) don't often see it get recognized.

And Brandon [Crosby]— let me add my thanks for the support you provided to John Doe, and to all our students this year. Dining, the opening of additional facilities for evening gatherings, the fire pits and the skating rinks on the Green – it all makes a huge difference.

Joe Helble, Provost

Check out our puppies and kittens on page 2!

Meet the cat and dogs who joined Campus Services families during the pandemic!

This shih tzu named Tripp came to Dartmouth Dining supervisor Sue Davis in June. "He loves the snow, he puts his nose down and snowplows!"



This cute pup, owned by Project Manager Jason Rouillard, is named Teddy.



Say hello to Seymour, a snuggly beagle pup owned by Custodian Joshua Rollins.



Surry is VP Josh Keniston's first dog. She has boundless energy in the snow, and Josh is smitten.



This cute kitten belongs to FO&M's Kaitlyn Christian and is named after her family's favorite Disney Halloween movie, Hocus Pocus.

Meet Lumi, a rescue pup who arrived from Puerto Rico on New Year's Eve to live with Lisa Celone. She's less than thrilled with winter temperatures.

