Here are some questions about the above subject that came up yesterday in the UFC meeting.

1. Can we take food down from the fourth floor to the third floor with no buffet operating on third floor, i.e. just use the space? We would prefer not to allow that for a couple of reasons including repeated trips to and from the dining room (we don’t have trays) and spillage.

2. If we open a buffet on the third floor, can faculty eat in either location understanding that fourth floor food cannot be taken to third floor. I think I know the answer to this but thought I would check. Yes, faculty and staff would be able to pick one or the other each day. However, if the use of the third floor buffet tails off, we would close it so it would behoove folks to use the buffet if they want to keep it assuming we actually put a buffet in place. (final decision will be made in mid-October).

3. One faculty member expressed a delight about the “To-go” option for $7.50 (I think this is what she said the cost was) and thinks we should advertise its availability to faculty more than we have. The $7.50 covers the cost of the reusable container. They pay $6 each time they go in at lunch to fill it up. We will find a couple of ways to advertise this.

An unrelated question that came up was can we create more “hang-out” space like game play areas, e.g. more pool tables, ping pong, etc. It was pointed out that most university centers have these spaces. We are addressing that.

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