

Subject: Passover
To: Smith Students
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Passover begins at sundown on Friday, April 15th and concludes on sundown Saturday, April 23rd.

Kosher for Passover meals will be available from our Kosher dining line located in Cutter/Ziskind. There will be meat meals and parve alternatives offered. Meals will be served on disposable dishes. Meal hours are posted on the Passover page. You will find the Passover page by using the link in the highlighted *News and Updates* paragraph on the Dining Services website, or by using the link below.

IMPORTANT: *These meals will be provided only to those who register in advance.* It is not possible to increase food orders once the holiday begins. Please be mindful when you reserve meals. Meals that are made and unclaimed cause food waste and unnecessary added work for the staff. If you are unable to attend a meal you reserve, you must contact Pat Mahar at pmahar@smith.edu Monday through Friday or Kosher Dining at ext. 2099 on weekends.

Registration for meals can only be done online on the Dining website Please use this link <https://www.smith.edu/about-smith/offices/dining-services/special-diets/passover-meal-registration-form> to reserve meals. Reservations must be made by Tuesday, April 12th.

Please note other details:

The Kosher line in Cutter/Ziskind will provide breakfast, lunch and dinner for the eight days of Passover to all students who reserve meals. Note the following:

- Lunch on Friday, April 15th needs to be reserved, but dinner will not be served.*
- Reservations are not needed for Monday through Saturday breakfasts. The kosher chef will prepare made to order items.
- On Sunday, breakfast will not be served but there will be brunch. **Brunch does require a reservation.**

***On Friday, April 15th at 5:30pm, a First Night Seder will be sponsored and served by the Smith College Jewish Community at Helen Hills Hills Chapel. Please reserve a meal, prepared by Smith College Dining Services, on the online reservation form. Please inform Dining Services if you have any food allergies. Gluten-free matzah will be provided. Guests of Smith students are welcome to attend, but must register using the online reservation form.**

All college dining halls will have matzah and hard boiled eggs available during all meals, and gluten-free matzah will be available at Chase/Duckett and Cutter/Ziskind. Kosher macaroons will be available for all teas.

Please call or email if you have any questions regarding Passover:

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