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ALERT: CHEESE TOUCH OUTBREAK

This is an urgent message from the Granville Department of Health and Human Services (GDHHS). The U.S. Centers for Cheese-Disease Control and Prevention (CCDC) has confirmed that 5 individuals, including students and staff, at Denison have been diagnosed with the cheese touch. The cheese-touch (casein virus) is a serious, life-threatening disease that spreads from one person to another through physical contact. The rotten cheese juice inside an affected person's pores and lactose particles in exposed crevices (nose, mouth, ears, etc.) spreads the virus that causes the disease.

Fortunately, the site of exposure has been located and contained. We do not know the extent of nor the perpetrator of the outbreak; however, local, state, and federal officials, including public health and law enforcement, are working together to find these answers. While there is no known cause or cure for the cheese-touch, officials believe the best way to stop the spread of disease is by quarantining the people who have had close contact with the patients.



Image of casein virus source, a slice of swiss. Found behind Shaw/Beaver Hall.

At this time, it is unknown how many people have actually been exposed to the casein virus. The first symptoms of the disease are congestion, a cough, headaches, and body aches. Some people may also experience vomiting. These symptoms last for two to four days before the skin beg appears.

If you have symptoms, call 911 or Licking Memorial Hospital immediately. They will give you information on how and where to get help. Do not go to Whisler. Until you can get medical help, stay away from others to prevent them from getting the cheese touch if you have it.

Authorities will give updates on the situation and assess the best course of action as they learn more. For more information on how you can protect yourself and your community, visit www.ccdc.gov/cheese-touch.

UPDATE: Patient 0 has potentially been located. Based off of an anonymous tip submitted approximately around 5pm EST, over eight witnesses corroborated seeing the earliest known onset of symptoms on Monday, September 27th. Proper quarantine measures have been taken and contact tracing has begun. The patient is in critical condition but relatively stable. To respect the privacy of the patient and their family, Patient 0's name has been partially censored.

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- Ellie Schrader, '23 Local Public Health Expert and Journalis

DO YOU LIKE CHANT MUSIC?

Of course you do. What is there not to love about chant melodies written and sung in Latin, established by Pope Gregory, and promoted by an institution as free from error as the Catholic Church? Monastic music performed by a bunch of dudes who wear some dope looking robes is something that everyone who spends their days in the Eisner Center desires to be once they graduate with their music degree. Even if you aren't a music major but you want to sing some chant music literally every day in a language you can't understand, then join the new *DENISON UNIVERSITY GREGORIAN CHANT ENSEMBLE*.

Meeting every day at 5:30am and 7:00pm (including weekends), you'll learn to perform the mass as well as daily chant prayers that will surely make you the life of the party. Everyone knows that every weekend every single party is severely lacking in the variety of music they play, but once you join the Denison University Gregorian Chant Ensemble, you and your other classmates will be able to sing your praises to God while your fellow compatriots of the church play Blood of Christ Pong (or Blood of Christ Die, though the problem with that is the 6 sided die, which is the number of the Devil!) Nobody wants to suffer eternal damnation, and the *DENISON UNIVERSITY GREGORIAN CHANT ENSEMBLE* wants to *save* your soul!

So if you like outdated music by an outdated institution, the DUGCE is the place for you. You will earn no credit hours in the course, but you will receive credit hours with the big man up the hill (if you know what I mean.) The DUGCE will also be traveling to the Vatican every semester! The school will not sponsor the trip though and you will have to pay for everything out of pocket. And if you're not a singer, don't worry at all! Most people who perform Gregorian Chants can't sing either! Everyone knows God doesn't care about talent, cause if he did then Kanye would've become the official Papal Composer by now.

So register for the *DENISON UNIVERSITY GREGORIAN CHANT ENSEMBLE* under MUSP-666 (we're in conversation with the registrar about changing that CRN, but it does take a few hundred years to get these things changed around.) Are Gregorian Chants not your thing? Well stay tuned for information to be released soon about the Denison University Mormon Tabernacle Choir featuring special guest instructor Mitt Romney!

-Blythe Dahlem, Newly Initiated Cult Member

"A Public Service Announcement"
-Tatum Thomas, '25

Things to DU on Campus This Week: I
-Mick Smith, Sophomore Writer

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Sorority Clothes Resale

Were you persuaded into buying a \$30 dollar shirt from a group of white jeep owners? Do you just have too many colors that are "comforted"? When you open up your closet, are you attacked by a number of stupid puns and terriblely titled events? Did you pay for a shirt that you don't fully know if the money went towards a good cause or to a sorority girl's white claw? Come to the sorority clothes resale and try to pawn these shirts off to freshmen who want to look like they are cool. Even if you can't get rid of these terribly designed shirts, we will break them down for parts and give you 50 cents. Stop by and save your wardrobe.

Stress Relief Seminar

The semester is picking up and stress is already building for a lot of students. CLIC has an answer. If you need to destress, stop by the mailroom after classes, during primetime. You might be stressed, but you will feel less stressed when you see 2-3 mailroom workers on the verge of a mental breakdown and a panic attack as 40 students wait impatiently in line for their packages. Come by and get free food from bon appetit, and watch these student workers destroy themselves mentally for \$10 an hour.

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