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Restaurant review: Steak 'n Shake

by Kara Bakowski ~ Secretariat

Over thanksgiving break, I was given the opportunity to lose my Steak 'n Shake virginity. My friend and I had some time to kill before Black Friday shopping, he was craving food, and as someone who grew up in a well-to-do Metro Detroit neighborhood with few sketchy fast food joints, I had never been to a Steak 'n Shake.

I happen to be a vegetarian, so I ordered fries and a milkshake. Because what else is a vegetarian going to get at a burger joint?

French fries: Fries are a fast food staple for me. You could say I'm a French fry aficionado. These fries were a little smaller than I would have liked, but they still tasted good. They were perfectly greasy, which really hit the spot—I love being able to see just a little grease glistening on my fries, and unfortunately McDonald's hasn't been hitting the spot on that desire lately. So these were great. The seasoning was also fantastic! Much better than I had expected, though not as good as the seasoning they have in the dining halls up here. I'd rate my fries experience at a solid 8 out of 10.

Milkshake: HOLY BALLS, that milkshake was creamy and delicious! There's a sexual joke somewhere in that statement, but I'll let you discover it for yourself. That's not the point, for once. There were so many flavor choices, it was overwhelming. I chose the special one that was peppermint-themed, and while it was a little weak-sauce on the mint, the consistency and temperature was perfect. Not melted, and not so frozen I couldn't suck anything up through the straw. 8/10.

Service: Okay, so apparently Steak 'n Shake isn't known for their great service. Not surprising, because a) it's fast food, and b) it's still fucking fast food. We were seated

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Michigan Tech IT plans service outage to get homework extension

by Alex Dinsmoor ~ Fearless Leader

Michigan Tech IT announced late Monday the cause of the internet outage that plagued the campus late Sunday and through Monday. The outage, which came without warning to many students and professors, caused many individuals to not be able to use the campus computers prior to classes Monday.

"A lot of our student workers were complaining that they had homework due that they had not started and if there was anything that could possibly be done. Our student workers were our first priority so we did what any reasonable organization would do, we purposely broke a few hard drives to crash the entire network!"

News of this announcement have hit the campus hard, with many professors up in arms over the actions of IT, especially the professors who gave extensions. "I thought that I was being nice to the students giving them an extension, but it was all their plan! That's the last time I ever be nice!" Teachers who did not give extensions were relatively unaffected by the change, with one calling it "unnecessary and childish."

Not only the are the teachers upset over the outage, many student with uncool professors are upset over the outage. Many students who have procrastinated and were hoping to have an all night lab session were surprised to find the computers out of commission. "I can't believe they would do this!" One student told The Bull. "How can IT just crash the network like that! How can I be expected to use my OWN laptop and actually do homework at home?! This is ridiculous!"

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"Sham-pagen?"
--Zapp Brannigan

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right away and ordered fairly quickly, and somehow got our food rather quickly as well. Maybe a 10 minute wait at most. However, it took longer to get our check than it did to get (or even eat) our food. Ten minutes after we were done...15 minutes...20 minutes...still no check. Goddamn it Steak 'n Shake. The good service from before was just too good to be true. We eventually got it, after asking specifically for it when our plates were being cleared. But at least the cashier was nice, so 4/10.

Prices: Cheap as all hell and worth it. 9/10, prices are entirely reasonable for what you get. I think that my fries and a shake cost me about \$6. Well-spent.

Keep in mind that I had just finished a fairly filling Thanksgiving dinner a few hours prior, consisting of way too much pasta, jell-o, green beans, and some hella good pie. I was already kinda full, and I unfortunately was not able to finish all of my food. But what I had at Steak 'n Shake was absolutely delicious. Overall I'd rate it at a 7/10, just because it felt a little grimy and seriously it shouldn't take that long to get a check. 🙄

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Although many are upset, there are also those (who may or may not work for IT) who are ecstatic over the outage. "I can't believe that it was all that easy! All we had to do was smash a few hard drives" One IT staffer stated. "Now I finally have time for that project I put off all break. I knew procrastinating would never go wrong!" The student then proceeded to go back to playing his Xbox and drinking Mountain Dew.

IT has also set up a website, <http://status.it.mtu.edu>, to further trick the campus to actually think something is still wrong with the network. "It's hilarious that people actually think something's wrong when really all we have to do is plug in a few hard drives we got from Walmart" one IT staffer noted.

IT claims it is working on a fix at the time of press, but here at The Bull, we guess that it's because they don't plan on doing their assignment anytime soon. 🙄

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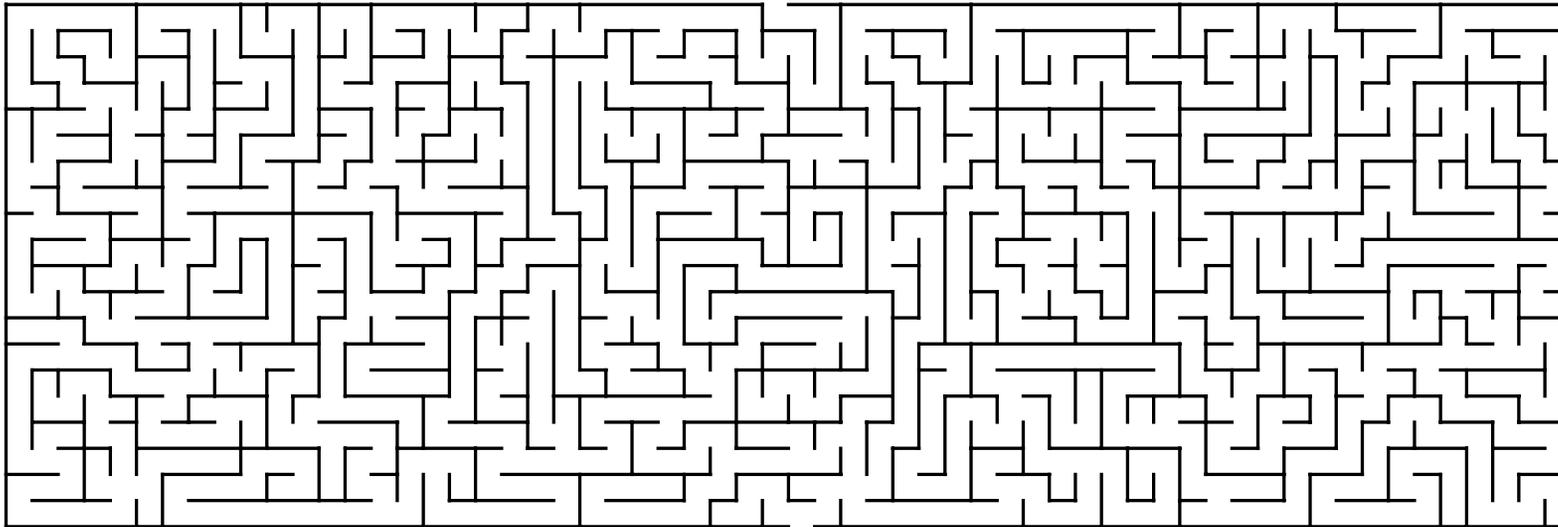
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