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For virtually all of the past two months I have been training at Ames for SMD III, and haven't been able to give other items the attention they deserve. First, the proposed SMD III menus dated September 3, 1976; I couldn't tell what physical state many of these are in and this makes a difference. Speaking of physical states, where are these coming from? Not Skylab leftovers I trust!

Eggs -- simply don't eat them.

If by "drink" you mean those chemical and sugar concoctions, I don't drink them.

Beef hash is pretty strong stuff for breakfast especially if it is related to the previous hash.

Can't drink my breakfast; e. g., instant breakfast - day 1.

Dried beef is fine for lunch and dinner but breakfast? This assumes it is edible and not the corned 50 percent salt variety.

Why can't we have granola or a good muesli rather than the nothing cereals.

I'll eat two-year old bacon (if thats what you mean by ASTP) if you will first.

Anything from a chicken I dislike; e.g., lunch - days 1, 2, 3.

How many calories a day are we going to have and what are the spare pantry items? Would you also please send me anything you have on the latest thinking for

Shuttle.

### SMD3 MENUS

Meal_	Day 1&7**	Day 2&8***	Day 3
A	Pineapple(T) Bacon Squares P5. *Raisin & Spice Cereal Orange Drink Cocoa	Dried Apricots Beef Jerky x Granola Grapefruit Drink	Pineapple *Beef Hash * Granola Bar Orange Drink Cocoa
В	*Romaine Soup *Beef Patty *Chicken & Rice* Peach Ambrosia Brownie Grapefruit Drink	*Spaghetti & Meat Tuna Salad Spread Rye Bread Cheese Crackers Applesauce Vanilla Wafers Orange-Pineapple Drink	*Chicken a la King ~ Peanut Butter Peach Jam Rye Bread Pears(T) Chocolate Covered Cookies Strawberry Drink
С	Shrimp Cocktail *Beef Steak *Potato Patty Strawberries Vanilla Pudding Strawberry Drink	*Mashed Potatoes X	+Corned Beef *Macaroni & Cheese +Stewed Tomatoes X Chocolate Pudding Orange-Pineapple Drink

<sup>\*</sup> Hot items

<sup>!</sup> Hot or cold items

Mea1	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
A	Dried Peaches *Scrambled Eggs X Bacon *Raisin & Spice Cereal Grapefruit Drink	Strawberries *Sausage Piz Natural Cereal Grapefruit Drink Cocoa	Dried Apricots Beef Jerky X Granola Bar Orange Drink
В	*Beef Stew Salmon(T) Cheese Spread Rye Bread Lemon Pudding Pecan Cookies Tea w/Lemon & Sugar	*Veal & BBQ X *Potato Patty *Peas Applesauce Peanuts Orange Drink	Tuna(T) Cheese Slice Rye Bread Peaches(T) Chocolate Nut Cake Lemonade
c ×	the court open tous.	*Seafood Mushroom Soup +Ham(I) *Corn Peach Ambrosia Vanilla Pudding Strawberry Drink	+Sliced Turkey ms Cranberry Sauce *German Potato Salad +Stewed Tomatoes ShortbreadCookies Tea w/Lemon & Sugar

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# Beverages

- Instant Breakfast
- 9 Cocoa
- 10 Grapefruit Drink
- 10 Grape Drink
- 10 Orange Drink
- Orange/Pineapple Drink 10
- Strawberry Drink
- 10 Tea w/Lemon and Sugar
- 30 Tea
- 40 Coffee, Black
- 40 Coffee w/Sugar

## Snacks

- 3 Peanuts
- 1 4 Almonds
- 110 Dried Peaches
- ↑10 Dried Apricots
- 7 6 Beef Jerky
- x 6 Bacon Squares (4)
  - Cherry Nut Cake
  - Fruitcake
  - Chocolate Covered Cookies
  - Pecan Cookies
  - Shortbread Cookies
  - 3 Vanilla Wafers
  - 6 Biscuits
- √10 Graham Crackers
- 1 6 Granola Bars
- 16 Flake Bars
- 19 Rye Bread
- 16 Cheese Slice

### Rehydratables

- Granola
- ↑3 Natural Cereal
  - Beef Stew \*
  - 3 Turkey Rice Soup
  - Shrimp Cocktail
  - Beef Hash X
  - Veal and BBQX
  - Potato Pattie
  - Sausage X
- Beef Pattie
- Chicken and Rice X
- Peach Ambrosia
- German Potato Salad
- Spaghetti and Meat
- 3 Pork and Potatoes X
- ↑3 Salmon Salad

# Thermostabilized

- Cheese Spread
- Beef and BBQ
- 13 Beef and Gravy
- 3 Beef w/Pickle Sauce
- 173 Beef Steak(I)
- 7 3 Corned Beef(I) 7 3 Ham(I)

  - ↑2 Frankfurters
  - ≻3 Meatballs and BBQ
  - X3 Turkey and Gravy

  - 3 Turkey, Sliced(I)
  - ↑3 Tuna Salad Spread
  - ↑4 Peanut Butter
  - 4 Peach Jam
  - 42 Applesauce
  - 12 Peaches
  - ↑2 Pears

  - 73 Pineapple Vanilla Pi Vanilla Pudding
  - Chocolate Pudding

Fresh Fruit + Vegs