

September 23, 2022

Dear Residents, Families and Staff:

We are pleased to share that on September 21st, 199 Residential residents, 40 Skilled residents, and 62 Personal Care residents received the bivalent COVID-19 booster vaccination. Many thanks to Kim LaFountain and the amazing Health & Wellness team along with Susan Bankert and the wonderful team in Skilled Nursing and Personal Care! All of our nursing staff and staff volunteers are caring and efficient in supporting residents through the vaccination process. Thank you!

COVID-19

No Residential residents are positive for COVID at this time. One Care Center resident tested positive and is on quarantine. Three employees and two contracted staff members tested positive and are at home on isolation.

Dining

Dining Services is glad to welcome 3 additions to our leadership team: Dining Manager, Marquis Branson; Sous Chef, Daniel Haugh; and Kitchen Supervisor, Kyle Glassman.

In celebration of Rosh Hashanah, Dining will have round challah to represent the CYCLE of the year and sweets to represent wishes for a SWEET new year. We welcome all residents to share these treats during dinner in Hearthside on Monday evening 9/26 and Tuesday evening 9/27.

Resident Check-In

We will be launching a new Resident Check-In system on October 4, 2022. A memo with full explanation is attached, and the topic will also be addressed at the Town Meeting on Thursday, September 29th.

Construction

Drywall finishing is complete in many areas, but still ongoing in parts of the Bar/Lounge and the Main Lobby. First coat paint and ceiling grid is installed in many areas, and lights, diffusers, and sprinkler heads are being installed. The epoxy flooring in the kitchen and back of bar is underway and will continue into next week. Ceramic tile flooring is underway and nearly complete in the Grab and Go and the hallway outside of it, as well as the 4 bathrooms in Phase 2. Next week we will be removing old ceiling tile from the hallway outside the board room and in the temporary main lobby. The hallway will remain open during this work.

The feel of fall is in the air! Enjoy the beautiful weather this weekend!

Best regards,
Maureen