

October 14, 2022

Dear Residents, Families & Staff:

We are headed into a great Philly Sports weekend. Let's hope we are as happy on Monday morning as we are today! Go Phillies and Go Eagles!

COVID-19

There are no Care Center residents who have tested positive for COVID. One Residential resident tested positive and is on quarantine; several others were exposed and are testing. One employee tested positive and is at home on isolation.

Annual Memorial Service

Just a reminder that the Annual Memorial Service commemorating our residents who have passed will be held in the Auditorium this Sunday, October 16th at 2:00 p.m.

Resident Photographers

Calling all Dunwoody Resident photographers! We are having a photo contest for Dunwoody Village photographs to appear on our holiday gift. Please submit photos digitally or in person to the Marketing Department at ekaiser@dunwoody.org by October 31st. We can also be reached by phone at 610-359-4425 if you have any questions. Thanks to all who choose to participate!

Dining Services

The daily coffee and beverage station will be relocated to in front of the 1712 venue starting Monday, October 17, 2022. Remember to join us for our Resident Halloween Party to be held in the Auditorium and part of the *Hearthside* dining venue on Thursday, October 27th from 4:30pm – 7:00pm. Don't forget your costume! Halloween events will be held in the Care Center on Monday October 31st. There will be an employee parade in the Care Center at 12 noon. Come join the fun!

Health & Wellness

We are working to begin taped educational sessions presented by our providers. Our first presentation will be provided by Dr. Tara Cuda, DO. The topic will be Hypertension. Our goal is to answer questions residential living residents may have about hypertension. Please submit any questions related to hypertension to Kim LaFountain at klafountain@dunwoody.org by October 20,2022. We will answer your questions in the presentation. Our hope is to have these taped presentations shared on Channel 1970 and on Touchtown. We will advertise the first date on Touchtown. We are pleased to announce that we will be having a new dermatology provider begin in November. More details to follow.

- Flu Vaccine: Health & Wellness will offer walk-in seasonal flu shots this coming Tuesday, October 18th from 9:00am – 11:00am. You can also call H & W to schedule an appointment.

New Signage for Dining

We hope you have had a chance to see the new signs for *Hearthside*, 1712 and *The Reserve* dining venues. They look spectacular! The 1712 sign is a gold finish and the *Hearthside* sign is copper. Although they are beautiful, we ask that residents and staff refrain from touching the signs. Finger oils can interfere with the natural patina finish that will develop over time. Special products are used on the signs, and our EVS staff has been trained in the cleaning process.

Pump Station Installation

Construction for installation of the pump station designed to prevent sewage backup is scheduled to begin next week. Digging on Dunwoody property will occur in the lawn area behind the bus stop, and the project is expected to take approximately 30 days to complete. Pedestrian access on the path near the site will continue throughout the project with only brief interruptions; timely notifications will be provided.

Furniture Hall

Furniture Hall is now accepting donations to rebuild its inventory as we prepare to reopen. At this time, all priced items are available for purchase. For more information, please call Ann Vaughan at 484-420-4926.

Resident Check-In

Please remember to check-in by calling 610-345-7170 each day between 5:00 am and 12:00 noon, including Saturday and Sunday. Please let the front desk know if you will be away for vacation or other reasons and please check in with the front desk when you return.

Mandatory Employee Flu Shots

A reminder that flu vaccines are mandatory for all employees aged 18 and above. Employees under 18 must have parent's or guardian's consent to receive the shot. Free flu shots will be offered to employees on:

- October 21, 2022 from 9:00am – 3:00pm in the Boardroom – no appointment necessary
- October 24, 2022 from 11:00am—12:00pm and 3:00pm – 4:00pm in the Fairlee Education Center
- October 27, 2022 11:00am – 12:00 noon in the Fairlee Education Center

The deadline to receive the flu shot is December 31, 2022. Any request for medical or religious exemption must be received by Human Resources no later than October 28, 2022.

Touchtown Training Sessions

Kayla and Monica are holding another Touchtown Training Session for residents on October 21, 2022 in the Auditorium at 2:00 pm. If you are new to the system, need a review, or you have questions – you can sign up in the binder outside of the Marketing office. Kayla and Monica will also introduce some new upcoming features of Touchtown!

Parking Stickers

All residents are required to register their vehicles with Maintenance/Security and obtain parking stickers. To receive a parking sticker or update your automobile information, please contact Kim Green in Maintenance at 610-359-4442 or email: kgreen@dunwoody.org.

Construction

Most of the downstairs Phase 2 area is in the process of being cleaned out, so that flooring can begin to be installed next week. The temporary walls around the elevator lobby will come down and be replaced by a rope barrier and stands. **Please do not enter the area! Although it is getting closer to completion, there are still tools, sharp edges, and other dangers in many areas!** Ceilings continue to be the focus on the upper level. The Main Lobby and the Lounge both have detailed ceilings that are in progress. Kitchen equipment is being installed in the Phase 2 kitchen area as well as the future Grab and Go and the Fox Den. The remaining areas outside of the building are also being cleaned out, with the remainder of the sidewalks, the paving near the pond, and the landscaping coming in the next several weeks.

Best regards,
Maureen Casey