

November 10, 2022

Dear Residents, Families & Staff:

Happy Veterans Day! Today, we offer our gratitude to veterans living and working at Dunwoody Village and across the United States of America. We were pleased to honor our resident and staff veterans at our flag raising ceremony and luncheon this morning. On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month, the guns fell silent and an armistice was reached between the U.S. led Allies and Germany, declaring a cessation to hostilities on the western front. Veterans Day originated as "Armistice Day" to honor the anniversary of the end of World War I on November 11, 1918. Congress passed a resolution in 1926 for an annual observance, and November 11 became a national holiday beginning in 1938. Unlike Memorial Day, Veterans Day pays tribute to all American veterans—living or dead—but especially gives thanks to living veterans who served their country honorably during war or peacetime. In 1954, President Dwight D. Eisenhower officially changed the name of the holiday from Armistice Day to Veterans Day. In 1968, the Uniform Holidays Bill was passed by Congress, which moved the celebration of Veterans Day to the fourth Monday in October. The law went into effect in 1971, but in 1975 President Gerald Ford returned Veterans Day to November 11, due to the important historical significance of the date. The military men and women who serve and protect the United States come from all walks of life; they are parents, grandparents, children, friends, neighbors and coworkers, and are an important part of our community.

We are eternally grateful to all Veterans who have served, or are currently serving, in any branch of the military. You bravely represent our country so that we can remain the home of the free. The United States of American is built on your courage. You are an example to all of us and demonstrate the importance of sacrifice. You willingly offered your service, for the benefit of your fellow Americans. We thank you for your dedication, your strength, and your commitment to our country. We are so proud of our Dunwoody Veterans!

Dining

Starting Dec 7th 1712 will be open 3 days a week, Every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. You can make your dinner reservation through your FullCount account.

Morning Resident Coffee Service on Nov 16th will be relocated to the front of 1712. It will be relocated back to Fox Den on Nov 17th it's normal location.

Thanksgiving Day Dining: On Thursday, November 23rd our Thanksgiving brunch will be held in the Auditorium with seating times of 11:30am and 12:30pm, ending at 1:30pm. Dinner will be 22 points per resident. The cost for guests will be \$25.00 and guests may use their credit cards or residents can have this cost charged to their account. Pick-up for take-out is 11:15am to 12:15pm. No reservations are necessary for take-out. Reservations are required for dining in and are available through FullCount. Reservations will be accepted as follows:

- Reservations are needed to attend the Thanksgiving meal.
- One reservation per unit/residence.
- Multiple reservations will not be accepted.
- Residents are permitted up to 4 guests per unit/residence.
- Maximum party size per reservation is 6 persons, including the resident(s).
- Resident must be present during the seating time of the reservation.
- Hearthside Dining room will be closed for Thanksgiving and no Dinner Service

COVID-19: No Residential nor Care Center residents are positive at this time. Four staff members tested positive and are at home on isolation.

POOL: The swimming pool will be closed Thursday, 11/16/2023. We apologize for the inconvenience.

Best regards,
Maureen Casey