To: Dunwoody Village Residents, Families and Staff

From: Kathy Barton, Director of Operations

**Brandon Jolly, Director of Health Services** 

**Re:** CONTINUED UPDATE RE: COVID-19



**August 28, 2020** 

## **General Update:**

### **Covid-19 Testing:**

The one staff member who tested positive for COVID-19 has been released to come back to work as of today.

Wednesday, we sent a message out to all residents about the rules for visiting in your apartments and around campus. This was because it was brought to our attention that we had 3 separate incidents of family being let into the building to apartments/country houses for visitation. We currently **do not** allow visitation in apartments.

There were rumors that we had new COVID cases – this is not true! We have not had a COVID case on campus since June 22<sup>nd</sup>. As I mentioned in the town meeting, I have a meeting with Dr. Lawrence today to see if I can get things opened up further – including some dining options.

## **Care Center Update:**

## **Residential Updates:**

#### Services

If you are having any services being done in your apartment, such as furniture delivery, comcast, computer repairs, or any other service, please contact the front desk in advance and let them know so that we are aware. They must check in at the front desk and have their temperature taken and fill out a questionnaire, as all our contractors are currently doing. Please be sure this is a <u>necessary service</u> – we are still trying to limit the number of people in your apartments and on campus.

#### Club Room /Lounge

The club room and the lounge are available for you to use for a group of up to 10 people. You need to call Marketing to reserve the room as we also use them for visitation. Please Call Kayla McFadden at 610-723-4601 to make a reservation!

#### **Ice Cream Truck**

On August 31, 2020, we have an ice cream truck coming for the employees in the afternoon and I asked if they could stay for the residents to get some sweet treats. The truck will be in the main entrance circle from 5:30-7pm – please stay socially distanced while you wait and enjoy the ice cream (I hear it is really good!).

#### Scam - Social Security

A few residents have received calls from Social Security asking for middle names or other information. This is a scam- Social Security will never call you. Please just hang up and do not give any information.

To: All Residents

From: John Alberici-Dining Services

Subject: Wednesday September 2nd Dinner

When Covid 19 hit hard in Spring our annual June picnic event was cancelled. At that time, I targeted September 2 as a possible make-up date. As we know that's not possible. Leya approached me will the idea to serve a picnic meal and combine entertainment. I liked her idea. Our plan for September 2 is to serve a picnic style meal, a different menu than what we will offer for Labor Day. You will simply select your choices from the weekly menu packets and we will show a Beach Boys concert on Channel 1970 from 6:00 to 7:30 P.M. Hopefully this will be our first and last virtual picnic.

#### Friday, August 28, 2020

To: All Residents

From: Connie Stuckert, President, DVRA

Re: Upcoming Channel 1970 Programs, etc.

At long last we have completed analysis of the results of our Information Technology survey, and I am happy to share them with you here.

We have approximately 313 residents in Independent Living, and of these 195 returned completed surveys for a participation rate of approximately 62%. Some residents were away and did not receive the survey. Many of those who chose not to respond may not use computers.

The bottom line on our findings were these: 1) everyone wants help, especially with trouble shooting, problem solving, and hardware or software issues; 2) most people prefer individual coaching rather than class instruction; 3) only about 5% of the sample has "advanced" technology skills, while about 30% classify themselves as having no skills or beginner level skills; 4) the community is almost equally divided between those who use Apple based products and those who use Microsoft or Android based products; 5) email is used by at least 52% of residents (and possibly more—only 176 responded to this question), but only 119 individuals indicated they knew how to upload or download email attachments; 6) current support available through Dunwoody, although high quality, is insufficient to meet identified needs. If you'd like to see the full report, contact me and I'll send it to you.

When you're not mulling over the mysteries of technology, there is plenty to distract you on Channel 1970. As a special treat this week, Wednesday evening will feature a Beach Boys Concert to keep you surfin' along as you eat your picnic dinner. Movies highlight an invisible 6 ft. tall rabbit ("Harvey"), a whacky relative ("Auntie Mame"), and a more sober biography ("Iron Jawed Angels"). Rick Steves takes us to Amsterdam on Friday, while "The West Wing" continues and "Baseball" winds up in the 10<sup>th</sup> Inning. The afternoons are heavily British, as Father Brown solves another crime, Hyacinth ("It's pronounced *Bouquet*) Bucket continues to create social mayhem, and Downton Abbey takes us to a gentler time of stiff upper lips and restrained angst. For a change of pace, "The Holy Land Revealed" investigates ancient water systems and the Northern Kingdom. And of course exercises continue in the mornings, to keep us fit and bouncing around.

## **CHANNEL 1970**

# August 30– September 5, 2020

8/30-9/5	Morning	Afternoon	Evening
Sunday 8/30		2 pm - Movie: "Harvey" 1950 James Stewart PG/Comedy, Drama, Fantasy	
Monday 8/31	Exercise: Cathy Ford 9:00 Morning Stretch 9:45 Modified Arthritis Foundation 10:30 Strength (Similar to one in Fitness Class before Covid)	Father Brown Mystery Series (Season 1, #3: The Curse of the Golden Cross)	7 pm – Baseball, Ep. 10: "The Tenth Inning-Top of the Tenth"
Tuesday 9/1	Exercise: Julie 9:00 Morning Stretch 9:45 Personal Care 10:30 Strength  11:15 Outdoor Chair Yoga*	Keeping Up Appearances (#15 & 16)	7 pm – Movie: "Auntie Mame" 1958 Rosalind Russell, Forest Tucker PG/Comedy, Drama, Romance
Wednesday 9/2	Exercise: Pat 9:00 Morning Stretch 9:45 Modified Arthritis Foundation 10:30 Pilates * 11:15 Outdoor Chair Yoga*	Father Brown Mystery Series (Season 1, #4: The Eye of Apollo)	6-7:30 pm – Beach Boys Concert (music with your picnic dinner)
Thursday 9/3	Exercise: <b>Bonnie</b> 9:00 Morning Stretch 9:45 Modified Arthritis Foundation 10:30 Strength  11:15 Outdoor Chair Yoga*	Downton Abbey (Season 2, #4)	7 p.m. "The West Wing" Episode 22: "What Kind of Day it has Been "
Friday 9/4	Exercise: <b>Jo</b> 9:00 Morning Stretch 9:45 Balance Class ♥ 10:30 Chair Yoga	The Holy Land Revealed (#5 & 6: Ancient Water Systems & The Northern Kingdom)	7 pm – Rick Steves Travelogue: Amsterdam & The Netherlands: Beyond Amsterdam
Saturday 9/5			7 pm - Movie: "Iron Jawed Angels" 2004 Hilary Swank, Margo Martindale PG/Biography, Drama, History

<sup>\*</sup>Outdoor Chair Yoga – Sign up sheet due to limited seats; call the Fitness Center to sign up 610-359-4514.