## July 22, 2021



Dear Residents, Families and Staff:

It was good to be together, both in person and virtually on 1970, for our Town Meeting yesterday. Thank you to our Leadership and Management Teams, who presented valuable information on their departments, and to the residents for your interest and participation. As we acknowledge our accomplishments thus far this year, we also know there is much work left to be done. Our staff at Dunwoody is energized and optimistic as we move through the second half of 2021! We continue to be nimble and seek creative ways to solve the challenges of COVID and Construction. We are a Community of resilient, intelligent, talented and engaged residents, staff and families. Together, we will continue to make progress through the pandemic and through the end of Construction in 2022. We are Dunwoody Strong! We are One Dunwoody!

If you were unable to attend the meeting yesterday, questions may be submitted to Kayla in the marketing office. Please submit your questions by Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> and we will address them in the Town Meeting Minutes to be distributed next week.

#### **Dunwoody Resident Petty Cash Service:**

Dunwoody has implemented a method for long term residents to obtain cash or to break larger bills into smaller denominations at times when the resident is unable to go out to his or her regular bank. The Dunwoody "Resident Petty Cash" service is now available during the set hours/days of 10:00am to 1:00pm Wednesday, Thursday and Friday by calling Mimma Damasco in the Accounting department at 610-359-4420. Dunwoody will be able to provide you with a maximum amount of \$100 cash and will charge you via your monthly Dunwoody statement. We will NOT be able to accept any type of checks. Once contacted during the set hours, Mimma will either direct you to her office or meet you at the reception desk to sign for and complete the transaction (Main Lobby for Independent Living or the Care Center entrance for Skilled and Personal Care residents). On occasions where Care Center residents are unable to leave their room without assistance, special arrangements can be made through Skilled Social Services or Personal Care Social Services to conduct the transaction. Independent Living residents may also see Jean DeStefano at the main lobby front desk to break larger bills into smaller denominations. Jean will ONLY be able to EXCHANGE currency.

# **Mask Protocol:**

While vaccinated residential residents are not required to wear masks in the common areas of the main building, everyone is required to wear properly fitted masks, at all times, when entering Physical Therapy, Skilled and Personal Care, and any area of Health & Wellness (including traveling to and from the pool area). This is not only a Dunwoody policy, but the regulatory guidance under the Department of Health and the Department of Human Services. Thank you in advance for your compliance!

Visitors to Dunwoody are required to wear masks in all indoor areas of the Dunwoody Campus (except your private residence). Visitors are not permitted to gather with residents in the common areas or share food or drink in those areas.

## The Massage Studio is Back!

To kick things off, on Monday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10:00—12:00, Sue Woods, our licensed Massage Therapist, will provide free 10-minute chair massages for residents in our Club Room. Free massages will be provided on a first-come first-serve basis that day and time. Sue will also be accepting Monday appointments on a regular basis. Massage rates are \$40 for a half-hour massage or a full hour massage for \$70.00! The current massage studio location is C-202. Call Sue at 484-995-1123 to book your appointment.

## **Guest Apartments to Reopen!**

We are now planning the reopening of our guest apartments and are targeting the week of August 2<sup>nd</sup> to begin scheduling. More information will be provided in next week's memo.

### **Correction to Channel 1970 Schedule:**

On the Channel 1970 schedule for Friday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> there are two episodes of Doc Martin listed at 7:00 pm. Channel 1970 will broadcast Doc Martin: Series 5, Disc 3, Episode 3 "Born with a Shotgun." Episode 4 will broadcast next week.

#### **Construction Update:**

Yesterday, our team addressed the progress of some of the spaces to be housed in our new construction including the dining venues, library, salon, fitness center, arts and crafts, woodshop and history studio. We focused on these areas because they are covered in Phase I of the project. This in no way diminishes the importance of areas such as the Resale Shop, the Game Room or the meeting rooms which will be covered in Phase II of the project. The Resale Shop remains a vital part of our campus and will be open on Monday July 26<sup>th</sup> from 9am to 1pm. Stop in and pick up a few items to add to your wardrobe and home! Thank you to Didi Rieger and her team for their work in the Resale Shop!

In the next week exterior site work will continue on the exterior of the new building. Water lines are being installed and tested. Once testing is completed, the water supply to the building will be routed through the newly installed pipes. Underground storm piping is also being installed to collect the water from downspouts and carry it to the new underground basin. Inside the addition, framing continues on both levels, as well as mechanical, electrical, and plumbing rough ins. Fireplaces will be installed in the dining rooms next week. Windows are also being installed, as the building becomes closer to being dry space.

Please be sure to review the Finish Boards hanging on the temporary construction wall outside of the auditorium. These boards feature many of the areas in our new construction and show the beautiful fabrics, paints, carpets, furniture and finishes selected by our Resident Committees. Selecting finishes sounds easy but it can be very stressful as well. Many thanks to all who were involved!

Thank you again for your interest, input, partnership and patience.

Warm regards, Maureen