

COVID-19 (Week 11) NEWSLETTER

We continue to be COVID-19 free!

#Break the Chain



This week's updates are noted below:

- Mr. Martin donated 6 dozen donuts to our team
- We have received more homemade cloth masks—THANKS TO ALL!!
- NATIONAL NURSE'S WEEK starts this week. We have a week full of things we are doing for our nurses. We have received numerous donations:
 - McDonald's & Pepsi are donating breakfast for 11-7
 - Hardee's & Pepsi are donating chicken tenders for days/evenings
 - Staples has donated note pads and pens
 - McKesson/Seni have donated tubes of lotion for those extremely sanitized hands
 - American HealthTech and Legacy Hospice are donating meals for the nurses
 - Hershey's has provided the nurses with candy bars
 - Krispy Kreme donuts will be provided on Monday
 - And, Corkcicle cups will finish out the week of recognition
- We urge everyone to be very cognizant of social distancing, masking, and washing your hands as we continue to have new cases pop-up all-over Virginia. We are now at 39 cases in Orange with 3 hospitalized. We CAN break this chain.
- In the communications from the Virginia Department of Health, we are able to view the facilities that have COVID-19 cases. Unfortunately, there are quite a few with COVID-19; however, the good news is that there are numerous facilities that are still COVID-19 free, as are we.
- Hope you saw the pictures of our team and Board in their Rosie the Riveter pose on our FaceBook page. We had loads of fun posing and taking pictures! #Break the Chain!!

- The Governor's updated guidelines are that we continue with the same measures that are currently in place. We will go into Phase 1 for reopening on May 15th; therefore, the guidance continues to be "stay at home". Phase 1 includes opening of more retail, restaurants, and hair salons all with specific requirements that must be met in order to open, i.e., physical/social distancing, masking, and more cleaning/disinfecting expectations.
- Nursing facilities will be opening up in the LAST phase to ensure the safety of our residents.
- We will be receiving some PPE from FEMA sometime in the near future. We do, however, continue to have a good stock of PPE.
- Donations of non-perishable food items for our team members are still being accepted.
- Remember, to send our team members a card of thanks. They are truly HEROES and working very hard to keep your loved ones safe.

Thank you all for your continued support and understanding. We appreciate your cooperation with the necessary restrictions. Each day is a new day and we are working toward continued safety for our residents.

All updates are on Facebook and our website.

Yours to count on—

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