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Dear John Clarke Community,

Spring Salutations!

I am delighted to report that COVID is on the wane in our community, and we are eagerly looking forward to loosening restrictions and getting back to normal!

While we continue to follow the RI Department of Health's guidance and do anticipate that we will be wearing masks through the spring, I am hopeful that during the summer months we will be able to live life without them.

We are very happy that our renovations from the flood last June in the retirement center are nearing completion and we are welcoming our displaced residents back HOME! We will

also be welcoming several new residents in April.

Annually, the RI Department of Health conducts a certification survey of all licensed nursing centers. We had ours last month and passed with flying colors. Copies of our surveys can be found in the reception area of the nursing center.

Warm Regards,

Joan M. Woods, CEO



St. Patrick's Day Basket Tickets are \$5 each or 5 for \$20*

Includes something for the whole family!

Bailys Irish Cream Jameson Irish Whisky Four Pack Guinness Hot Chocolate Brumate Hopsulators (2)

lrish Breakfast Tea Coffee Sweet Treats Kerry Gold Butter Irish Soda Bread (not pictured)





Winner will be chosen March 16th *tickets can be purchased at reception





We need families to be informed!

Please forward this newsletter to other friends and family members and ask them to subscribe to our mailing list. We use this newsletter to keep our John Clarke family up to date on important and timely developments in the nursing center.

Chef's Corner

DUTCH OVEN IRISH SODA BREAD

Ingredients:

3 1/2 cups flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1 1/2 teaspoons salt
1 1/2 cups buttermilk
1 tbsp sugar (optional) good for breakfast bread



Directions:

Preheat oven to 450

Line Dutch oven with parchment paper and set aside.

In a large mixing bowl sift and add all the dry ingredients then slowly add the buttermilk mixing with your hands.

Once the dough ball forms and the flour and buttermilk are completely incorporated, fold for an additional 20 seconds.

Place dough ball in the lined Dutch oven then score a cross with a sharp knife, cleaning before each score, also poke a hole in between each score.

Cover and bake until dough have risen, about 45 minutes.

Uncover and continue to cook until golden brown about 10 minutes.

Let cool for about 15 to 20 minutes.

Serve with stew or top with honey or some Kerrygold butter for breakfast.





Enjoy! Chef Scott



Purim March 16th

Purim is a Jewish holiday which commemorates the saving of the Jewish people from Haman, an Achaemenid Persian Empire official who was planning to kill all the Jews in the empire, as recounted in the Book of Esther. Haman was the royal vizier to King Ahasuerus.

MAY YOUR Troubles BE LESS, your blessings be more, NOTHING BUT COME THROUGH YOUR DOOR. an irish blessing



Daylight saving time begins again on Sunday, March 13, 2022, when most Americans will spring forward an hour at 2 a.m. local time. When does the time change again? You won't move your clocks back until Nov. 6, when daylight saving time (sometimes erroneously called daylight savings time) ends for the year.

New Screening Process

We are pleased to announce that we have engaged with Accushield to assist with the COVID-19 screening process when visiting the nursing center.

All visitors are asked to use our Kiosk to complete the screening process. Although you may have already provided a copy of your COVID-19 vaccination card, you will be asked to scan it the next time you visit. You will only need to do this one time.

When visiting a subsequent time, you will just need to answer the screening questions and have your temperature taken.

A very easy way for you to enter the building quickly is to download the mobile application and complete the screening process prior to coming to the center. Instructions are outlined below.

Accushield Mobile App for Family and Guests

• Any family or guest visiting the community using the mobile app and scanner for signing in must have previously manually signed in at the kiosk. Once a visitor has signed in at least once at the kiosk manually, the mobile app will recognize their account and allow a mobile sign in.

download the Accushield Mobile Family or guests may app through the <u>Apple Store</u> or the <u>Google Play Store</u> by searching for "Accushield Mobile"

Click the Family/Guest Mobile App Video linkto watch download and sign in instructions. Also, see the attached printable QR code and instructions sheet to share with family and guests.

Accushield

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions!

Family/Guest Mobile Sign In

Family & guests of residents are invited to download Accushield Mobile for a fast, touchless sign-in and health screening experience. Scan the QR code to view the app.

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Safe. Secure. Healthy.

Touchless sign in and health screening

NOTE: Family and guests must have at least one previous manual sign in at the community kiosk before using the app.



Phillip Amaral, March 1st Kenneth Williams, March 2nd Molly Mullen, March 3rd Lisa da Costa, March 5th Florence Chatowsky, March 8th Randy Whitehead, Mach 13th Mary Ostiguy, March 16th Wilfredo Guinguing, March 17th Scott Hahn, March 18th Casper Roos, March 21st Peyton Lynas, March 25th

If you witness an employee going above and beyond, give them a Shout Out! Our Shout Out Board is located right outside the front office. We want to recognize how fabulous our staff is so please feel free to "Shout Out"!





Support John Clarke

Write Us a Review As a five-star rated facility we are proud of the care we provide. Our nurses truly go above and beyond for our residents, our housekeeping department never stops, dietary never hesitates to honor a special request and our recreation department keeps our residents entertained and engaged. A Google or Facebook review can go a long way.

Volunteer Like all strong non-profits we rely on exceptional volunteers to complete our mission and a volunteer board to lead John Clarke. To learn more about how can volunteer to read, play board games, or visit with residents contact Robin Hannon at **rhannon@johnclarkeseniorliving.org**.

Follow Us Follow us on **Instagram**, **Facebook** and **LinkedIn**. Like, share, comment and save our posts. A few clicks can make a big impact.



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