



Help Keep our Residents Safe from COVID-19

A message from: The Village at Skyline Pines

Dear Residents, Families, Friends,

We are committed to keeping our residents safe and we need your help. We are restricting all visitation. All visitation is being restricted except for certain compassionate care situations, such as end of life situations. These visitors will first be screened for fever and respiratory symptoms. Family and friends, we are taking this aggressive action to keep your loved one safe. To protect our vulnerable residents, many have asked what our protocol is at the facility for the staff who come and go that take care of your loved ones. All employees reporting to work are screened for symptoms. Additionally, we are assessing residents daily for fevers and symptoms of respiratory infection in order to quickly identify ill residents and implement additional infection prevention activities. All residents are safe and healthy and doing well and they are all demonstrating the proper infection control. All team members of The Village at Skyline Pines are trained in Infection control and understand the importance of keeping the residents safe and healthy.

We know that your presence is important for your loved one but, per guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and the South Dakota Health Department this is a necessary action to protect their health. We are introducing alternative methods of visitation (such as Skype and FaceTime, calling the residents phone or writing a letter) so that you can continue to communicate with your loved ones.

We encourage the families who would like to skype or facetime please contact Heather at HeatherB@TheVillageRC.com to set up and arrange a time.

In addition, anyone who is dropping off supplies for residents please drop it off with their name on it at the front. Between the two front entrance doors between the hours of 9-4 Monday- Sunday. Please place it in the box and the staff will then come out and get it. We will not be letting families drop it off at the front desk.

Thank you very much for everything you are doing to keep our residents and facility staff safe and healthy. We continue to monitor the situation in our community; we will keep you informed about any new precautions that are necessary to keep your loved ones safe.

Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any further questions.

Warm Regards,

Rachelle Frasier

Executive Director

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Resident Meeting

Monday, April 6th
1:30 in the Dining Room

In light of the Covid 19 situation our nation is facing, currently scheduled events are subject to change. We want to do our best to keep everyone healthy. Thank you for your understanding.



Happy Birthday



Betty Boyer - April 5

Peg Johnson - April 10

Stan Fisher - April 17

Marie Biegler - April 20

Esther Downen - April 22

Gerald Wolford - April 29

Esther Wolford - April 30

Jean Rowland - April 30

Time for a haircut?

Call Sharon @ 431-7895

Hours: Tuesdays 8:00 to 4:00

Wednesdays 8:00 to 4:00

Salon is subject to closure
due to CDC
recommendations.



Show times and movie listing can be found at the theatre and activities bulletin board. The Saturday movie will also be shown on Sunday to adhere to current social distancing standards. Thank you for your cooperation.

New Resident Welcome

Each month we like to take a moment to welcome residents that have moved in since our last newsletter was printed. We hope that you will make many new friends and enjoy all the social opportunities available to you. We are delighted that you have chosen The Village At Skyline Pines as your home!

Welcome to The Village At Skyline Pines!

Marlys Wenzel

Violet Eisenbraun

Jean Rowland

Mad Hatter's Tea Party

Saturday, May 9th @ 2:30



Don't Be
Late!

This **Mother/Daughter Tea** in honor of **Mother's Day** will feature ballerina's performing an **Alice In Wonderland Dance**.

**The RSVP deadline is
Monday, April 13th.**

Maximum reservation # is 65.

Resident _____

of guests _____

*** This event may become a resident only event but the party will still go on keeping with social distancing practices.**

Easter Lunch Update

In an effort to protect the health of our residents, the Easter Lunch has been changed to a resident only event and will be held on Friday, April 3rd! Our kitchen will be serving you a wonderful plated holiday meal during the usual lunch time of 11:00 to 1:00.



Alzheimer's Community Forum

Saturday, May 2nd

Time: 10:30 to Noon

Rapid City Public Library

Hear a brief overview on Alzheimer's, dementia, and memory loss. Bring a friend who has been affected by the disease. Share your thoughts about how we can help people in your community.

Registration is required.

Call (605)339-4543 or visit alz.org/sd.

Local Contact: Kirk Cordes 605-484-3326