

Maple View Lodge Newsletter April 2022

RESIDENT SERVICES:

Program/Support Department

Spring has sprung and with that said the Program and Support Department looks forward to the many Recreation and Rehabilitation programs that will occur outdoors to enhance the overall well-being of our residents. Additionally, we would like to share that Mobility Care will be performing complimentary, routine safety checks on all residents' assistive devices this month such as walkers and wheelchairs.

Recreation

Spring into Maple View Lodge with the Recreation Department! The Department has planned for April to be a month full of colour and fun, including a Mock-tail, Hawaiian Tiki Pop-up Shop, Easter Memory Lane Egg Hunt, Easter Dot Art, Spring Bird Feeders, Blossom Tree art, and Horse races, Garden Club, Volleyball, a Banana Social and so much more. We will also have a virtual performance by Pineview Public School students and Tuck Shop shopping will return with MVL Auxiliary, on April 11, 2022. Let us get this party hopping!

Rehabilitation

The rehabilitation department are looking forward to the spring weather and getting outside with our residents. Group exercise will be facilitated to give residents the opportunity to be active within the home. This month it will be looking a little different as we try to increase cognitive stimulation by introducing more of a circuit class, stations will be set up with different exercises at each one. Our physio and restorative programs will also be running throughout the month, to maximize independence and quality of life for our residents.



SUPPORT SERVICES:

Dietary

The new spring summer menu and snack menus roll out this month. Menu items include fruit daily at breakfast and choice at snack pass, Salmon with cucumber dill sauce; turkey asparagus stir fry, veal cutlet with mushroom paprika sauce, mushroom Swiss quiche, lamb curry with apples, Hawaiian chicken burger, peach cobbler trifle, black forest cobbler, crème caramel, ice cream with real maple syrup and assorted pies.

Housekeeping

We continue with extra high touch cleaning in the evening hours as well to support our infection control efforts as they relate to Covid-19.

NURSING:

Please remember if you are feeling ill, or have been around others who are unwell, do not visit the Home. If you or anyone you have been in contact with develops symptoms and you have visited a resident with the previous 48 hours please contact the RN. Visit our website for more detailed visiting information. [Covid-19 Public Information - Leeds & Grenville \(leedsgrenville.com\)](https://www.leedsgrenville.com/covid-19-public-information)

The RN Cell phone is for **URGENT** matters, and follow up calls. The cell number is: **613-802-0513**. For non-urgent matters, please call **613-924-2696 ext. 6011**. To speak with the RPN: Brookside **ext. 6101** and Meadowview **ext. 6201**.

VISITING/Infection Control Update:

All **workers**, includes essential designated caregivers, entering the home and providing direct care and services to our residents require **three (3) valid Covid-19 vaccine doses**.

Any **contractor/technician/vendor and general visitors** who are not providing direct care must have **two (2) valid COVID-19 vaccine doses**.

Reminder that we still require proof of vaccination when coming to visit the



Home, so please ensure you have a hard copy, QR code or picture saved on your mobile device.

Maple View Lodge during the pandemic has placed a priority on exceeding expectations and requirements and doing the best we can in order to protect our residents, staff, families and friends. When picking up a resident for an external outing we ask that you come into the Home for screening and a rapid test, before your loved one gets into a vehicle.

To schedule a visit or inquire about visitor information, call the door screener at: **613-924-2696 ext. 6006**. Please advise our team in advance on the number of people who will be visiting. Visiting hours are 9:00 am to 11:45 am and 2:15 pm to 8:00 pm.

VOLUNTEERS:

Maple View Lodge Auxiliary

Maple View Lodge Auxiliary ladies are officially opening the tuck shop to give residents an opportunity to shop for desired, everyday items such as candy, chocolate, lip chap, shampoo, conditioner, body wash, unique items, accessories and more. We look forward to the grand opening of our tuck shop on Monday April 11, 2022.

Maple View Lodge Auxiliary wishes the Residents, their Families and the Staff of Maple View Lodge a Happy Easter, may you all enjoy time with your families. The Next Auxiliary meeting will be held Monday April 25, 2022 at the Athens Baptist Church at 1:30 pm. New members welcome.

For Auxiliary information contact: Freda Schaafsma at 613-924-9036 or Susan Blancher at 613-924-9626.

FAMILY SUPPORT/SOCIAL SUPPORT:

MVL Family Council

We are actively seeking family council members. We encourage family members to pickup a Family Council pamphlet at the main entrance from our screeners. The information contained within the pamphlet outlines the



importance of an active Family Council to enhance our Family and Person Centered Care philosophy. Please contact Brittany if you are interested in joining at: 613-924-2696 ext. 6004.

Caregivers Support Group

Alzheimer Society meetings are virtual. For more information, please call 613-345-7392 ext. 104.

Family/Caregiver Information

We would like to share with all family members and care givers the many resources for Long Term Care residents such as private care, transportation, social work support and more available on the South East Health Line website at: www.southeasthealthline.ca