



June 8, 2020

UPDATE TO ALL FAMILY AND FRIENDS

Hello, we have no further positive resident cases, however we have received notice that another staff member has tested positive for Covid19. They are recovering at home and we wish them the very best. This new staff case does not affect our outbreak time line. Our 14 day incubation period from June 1 the last date of a positive case, remains the same.

The Ministry of Long Term Care has requested that all staff working in LTC Homes across Ontario be tested twice in the month of June for surveillance. The first round of testing for St. Pat's will start this week. We anticipate that the second round will happen during the week of June 22. We will not have an external team completing this round of testing. The testing for this initiative is being completed internally, with the swabs and lab testing being provided by public health.

The recreation calendars for each resident home area will be posted later today on the website along with the schedule for the garden strolls and the overall home wide event calendar:
<https://stpats.ca/home/currentmenuand-events-calendar-2/>

There seems to be some misunderstanding regarding the garden strolls. These are with the recreation staff to get residents outside for some fresh air and a change of environment. The family visits are through the porch visits that are coordinated with Cheryl Elliott. The other way that residents and families are connecting right now are the skype and facetime visits.

Take care and enjoy our sunny day,

Janet Morris
President & CEO