

April 22, 2021

Dear Residents, Families, and Associates of Byron Park,

Spring is in full swing at Byron Park! This week we focused on celebrating our continued reopening and ability to safely enjoy the sunshine and each other's company in and out of Byron Park!

In alignment with Department of Social Services post-vaccination guidance the dining room table configuration has returned to our previous setting. This means that residents can sit with more friends around their table similar to seating arrangements prior to the pandemic. We have received wonderful feedback from residents and associates alike about this recent change.

We are also excited to share we went on our first long-awaited resident day trip to The Ruth Bancroft Gardens and a picnic lunch was hosted by Byron Park. We also held a spring mixer in the courtyard with Chef Bill's homemade Sangria, signature raspberry lemonade, seafood paella and delicious flan while listening to the tunes of our house favorite and local 3-piece band Medicine Ball.

[Click here to see our fun afternoon!](#)

It has been delightful to see so many visitors and guests visiting the community and enjoying outdoor dining. We thank you for your participation in reservations, testing or showing your vaccination card upon arrival. In May we are rolling out a program to capture vaccination status and screening questions from your smart device which will provide a quicker and more welcoming experience for visitors of Byron Park. With our newly implemented protocols going so well we are ready to continue to expand the dining experience by inviting guests to dine in resident apartments once again. When making a reservation to visit Byron Park, please let our team member know if you plan on dining during your stay. This will allow us to ensure the proper measures are in place prior to your arrival.

We will continue to focus on innovative, safe, and secure ways to provide an engaging lifestyle while actively monitoring the pandemic. Our weekly COVID19 testing cadence will continue and restrictions will ease when supported by federal, local, and state guidelines. If you have questions, comments, kudos or concerns please do not hesitate to reach out.

Sincerely,  
*Jennifer Pastora*  
Executive Director