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Dear Residents and Families,

We remain committed to providing updates to our residents, families, and staff at AgeCare. We are providing weekly updates to keep you all informed on what is happening at our communities and organization-wide.

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We hope these weekly updates are helpful. Thank you all for your continued support.





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## Harmony Court Duck Adventures

AgeCare Harmony Court in Burnaby is hatching a very special treat for residents ... Pekin ducklings!

The Recreation Manager at Harmony Court reached out to a family farm in Langley that offers 'Eggucation' – a hatching program for schools and care centres. They provide three fertile eggs and an incubator so people can share in the joy and wonder of hatching ducks, chicks, or quail.

The staff and residents at Harmony Court are having fun taking watchful care of the eggs – awaiting the arrival with great anticipation! Everyone is excited that they get to keep and nurture the ducklings until they are two weeks old! The Recreation Department is planning lots of fun programs for the residents, including swim time, duckling races, gender reveals, and on-on-one visits!

Keep watching in the weeks to come, and we will introduce the Harmony Ducks!

## Cheers to Our New Graduate

Hats off to Emily Bazell, who has been employed as a support worker at Monashee Mews through the Health Career Access Program (HCAP), which was provincially funded in BC.

Emily previously worked at AgeCare in our Hospitality sector but left to start a family. Now she is back and is both a mom and a registered HCA after successfully completing the HCAP program!

Congratulations and welcome back to the AgeCare family!



## Updated Visitor Guide

**Continuous masking for staff and visitors remains in effect.** In addition, there are changes to our requirements relating to vaccination status. **Please see updated to our updated [Visitor Guidelines](#).**

**Remember! Help us limit potential exposure to COVID by staying away if you are unwell.**

### Coming for a visit?

Please familiarize yourself with these guidelines.

[Download the Visitor Guide \(PDF\) -->](#)





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## Outings and Overnight Stay Guide

Residents are welcome to go on community walks, outings, and overnight stays as long as they follow all of the [current provincial guidelines](#).

**For the safety of residents and staff**, please download and follow our [Outings & Overnight Stays Guidelines \(PDF\) -->](#)



## Get Boosted!

Statistics reporting the severity of COVID illness and hospital trends continue to inform the best practice of getting a booster shot for added protection against COVID-19.

### Who can book?

- Anyone over the age of 12, five months after your second dose.

### How to book:

- [Book online or by phone here](#) or call 811.



Visit [bookvaccine.alberta.ca](http://bookvaccine.alberta.ca) or call 811 to book your 3rd dose.

## Recreation Calendars

Our recreation team works hard to create engaging activities that enrich the mind, body and spirit. We are continuously looking for ways to reduce the risk of transmission while having the least impact on our residents' well-being.

**For our NEW AgeCare communities from Revera**, your Family Portal is still available to you to access your loved one's activitypro page. You can log in with your usual username and password at [online.activitypro.net/users/login/agecare](http://online.activitypro.net/users/login/agecare).

All photos, calendars, and reports are available to you at this new link. We look forward to supporting residents' recreational needs by delivering the best quality of life experience for residents with the support of families.

### View the Recreation Calendars for your AgeCare Community:

<a href="#">AgeCare Columbia</a>	<a href="#">AgeCare Seton</a>
<a href="#">AgeCare Glenmore</a>	<a href="#">AgeCare Skypointe</a>
<a href="#">AgeCare Midnapore</a>	<a href="#">AgeCare Sunrise Gardens</a>
<a href="#">AgeCare Orchard Manor</a>	<a href="#">AgeCare Valleyview</a>
<a href="#">AgeCare Sagewood</a>	<a href="#">AgeCare Walden Heights</a>



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## We're Hiring

Did you know AgeCare is hiring? Great opportunities for caring people. From health care aides to food services to recreation to administration and more, we are looking for dedicated and caring individuals.

If you or someone you know is looking for an exciting new opportunity, check out our careers page at [www.agecare.ca/careers](http://www.agecare.ca/careers)



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