



COMMUNITY CONNECTION

June 29, 2021 • 2:00 p.m.

The COVID Briefing has now transitioned to a weekly **COMMUNITY CONNECTION** and will continue to provide information of interest to the Fowler Family. We hope you will prioritize Tuesday at 2pm and tune in to Channel 6 as a time of connection, community, and communication.

- **Good afternoon Fowler Family!**

- **COVID UPDATE:**

- Yesterday Dallas County reported 133 new cases.
- Health authorities are concerned about the rise in the numbers – we had averaged 100 day for most of June...
- As you continue to venture out be aware of your surroundings and be proactive in confirming that the people you are with, are vaccinated.
 - We continue to recommend that if you are around someone who is not vaccinated, maintain a 6-foot distance and keep a mask with you.
 - Utilize our Love Your Neighbor Basics, which are basic infection control practices to protect yourself if necessary
 - Each of us is charged to protect ourselves as needed, which protects each other
- We remain firm in our belief that the best way to avoid COVID is to be vaccinated. If you wish to be vaccinated, we can assist you securing that for you here through our pharmacy partner

- **FOWLER UPDATES:**

- Last Tuesday was a historic day for Fowler
 - All the paperwork was finalized for us to move forward in building our newest building on East Side
 - The surveyors have already been out and you should begin seeing preparation work
 - We will keep you updated as we move forward
- New COVID Protocols for Assisted Living residents will be implemented next week – we are currently updating all impacted policies and will need time to train staff:
- Salon Update:
 - Our new salon solution has not worked out. Securing new salon personnel is a priority and we continue to pursue every opportunity.
- Irrigation Update:
 - The irrigation company is making progress with their assessment.
 - We will continue to keep you updated
- TEAMMATES:
 - We have again received complaints from our neighbors about speeding cars up and down their streets

- The specific streets impacted are East Side, Columbia and Alton – the streets just south of PNCC of Fulton
 - SLOW DOWN – THE SPEED LIMIT ON THESE RESIDENTIAL STREETS IS 25 MILES PER HOUR.
 - Consider driving a different way to work! Stay off these residential streets if possible to help repair our relationship with our immediate neighbors.
 - This is especially critical as we enter our new construction phase!
 - You are a reflection of JFC on and off our campus and it is critical that we are good neighbors
 - Wherever you go, you should love people, pursue excellence and make a difference.
 - That includes driving
- Celebration of Life Service will be held on Monday July 12, 2:30pm. Please join us as we remember and celebrate the lives of our beloved residents:
 - Bobby S
 - Helen Z
 - Twylia L
 - Tom C
 - John W
- **RESIDENT BIRTHDAYS**
 - 6/30 Lowell (FCA) and Maria (FCA)
 - 7/2 Cindy (FCA)
 - 7/3 Janice (FCA)
 - 7/4 Antonia (FCA)
 - 7/5 Jackie (FCA)
 - No PNCC Birthdays
 - No JLC Birthdays
- **RESIDENT MOVE-IN ANNIVERSARIES:**
 - 1 Year – David (FCA), Deborah (FCA), Clara (FCA), Deborah (FCA), and Barbara (FCA), Robert (PNCC), Sheri (PNCC)
 - 2 years- Dan & Nancy (JLC)
 - 3 years- Betty (JLC), Katy (FCA), Kathleen (FCA), Maria & Silvia (FCA)
 - 4 Years – Bob (FCA)
 - 6 Years – Diane (FCA)
 - 7 Years – Barbara (FCA) and Marilyn (FCA)
- **RESIDENT SHOUTOUT:**
 - Residents on the 3rd floor of the C/D Building in FCA would like to see resident Cheryl recognized as an outstanding resident and volunteer of her services to Fowler. Not only has she made our common area into a very attractive and nicely decorated place for us to all gather, she also hung original art, contributed by Sheila, Jackie and Genie, all extremely talented artists in the CD Building.

- Also, on the cold winter day that the D wing had no electricity, Cheryl prepared a large pot of taco soup for those residents and it was shared in the common room with Chips, cheese, cornbread all contributed by other residents
 - Cheryl also prepared a sit-down easter brunch in the common area for CD, an event attended and very much enjoyed by many of us.
 - Recently, Cheryl singlehandedly created a lovely, welcoming entrance to the CD building with colorful plants and landscaping to greet our guests and ourselves when entering our building. Many residents and guests have commented how much they are enjoying this. You can often catch Cheryl out there tending the plants and also watering plants around the pool. She is such a vibrant addition to our community.
- If you would like to provide a submission to the Community Connection, please email AnnM@fowlercommunities.org or send to Ann McKinley, Fowler Administration Center
- **TEAMMATE TUESDAY!**
 - Happy Birthday to Janet Orta! Yesterday was Janet's birthday.
 - Keith Summerling's birthday is on July 2. Happy birthday, Keith!
 - Laura Deiterman celebrates 35 years at Fowler on June 30. Happy anniversary, Lauara!
 - Happy 2 year anniversary to Raquel Harper! Raquel's anniversary is on July 1.
 - Shout out to Tom Brooks and the Facilities team! In a moment's notice, Tom and his team rushed to clear a model apartment in AI for a very wquick move-in! They put aside other duties to make this work for a family in a time crunch. This team made a big difference in the lives of this family!
 - Shout out to Mr. Dwight for loving people. Dwight took a doy off work to transport a co-worker to the hospital for a scheduled procedure. He never second guest the request, he jumped into a full on fatherly role, as this staff member has no family in Dallas. Way to love people, Dwight!
 - Shout out to Susana Olvera and Eric Sylva for loving people and making a difference. Both of these teammates assisted with resident's discharge on Saturday helping them return to their apartment safe and sound.
 - Welcome to our new teammate, Kelly Westenburg! Kelly is serving as Resident Service Coordinator at FCA. Kelly most recently has served as Receptionist at North Carrollton Vet Hospital. She has also served at Insprica as Senior Case Manager and Family Centers as Program Coordinator.
- **Make it a great day on purpose!**

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COVID-19 Mental Health Support Line 24 hours a day, 7 days a week toll-free at 833-986-1919