

Silver Sage Village COVID -19 Pandemic guidelines for use of the Common House

March 18, 2020

In the best interest of keeping the Silver Sage Village (SSV) community safe, and doing our part to help "flatten the curve" by slowing down the spread of the COVID -19, SSV community residents are asked to abide by these common sense guidelines about usage of the Common House (CH) adopted by consensus of the Steering Team until the end of March 2020, when they will be reevaluated:

1. **No outside group meetings, or guests in the CH;** however, SSV residents living together in the same separate dwelling unit may use the CH, such as to watch TV. Upon departure, wipe down the areas habited with Clorox/Lysol wipes. Wipes/paper towels should be disposed in the regular trash.
2. **Maintenance contractors, delivery company drivers, USPS mail carriers** are requested to use hand sanitizer or wash hands when coming into SSV Common House.
3. **Team meetings by Zoom only;** Community Meeting format TBD.
4. **If you are sick, assume you have COVID-19,** self isolate in your home.
5. **Downstairs artists** - enter through basement doors and stay downstairs.
6. **In-person SSV gatherings are prohibited** in the CH, including potlucks and meetings, until the end of March.
7. **Residents doing laundry, should wipe down** handles and counters with Clorox/Lysol wipes before departure and dispose in the regular trash.
8. **Wash your hands** for 20 seconds when you get home from the CH.
9. **SSV residents may enter the CH on an itinerant basis** to retrieve mail, do laundry, fetch items from the storage room, etc. and upon departure, clean any areas with Clorox/Lysol wipes and dispose in the regular trash.

Others in the community have scheduled Virtual Happy Hours. Stay in touch electronically (Zoom, Facetime, Skype, text, phone calls). Also, be aware about how you can assist those who need help with errands, etc. while keeping yourself safe. It is better to look back on this and say we did our part for the best interest of SSV and our greater community.

Let's be proactive, not reactive,
Your Steering Team