



MARCH 18 COVID19 UPDATES

Dear Aquarina Residents and Golf and Tennis Members,

First and foremost, we are taking Covid-19 very seriously and will continue to closely monitor developments and reports from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention, World Health Organization, and local and federal governmental agencies. While we want to do our part to help prevent the spread of the virus, we also feel the need to keep open as many of our services to our residents and membership for as long as we feel we safely can.

Please be patient with the AGI Board and our staff as they will be working hard to provide you the greatest sense of normalcy as possible in this challenging time. At a minimum, changes will be in place for the next few weeks and will continuously be reviewed, evaluated and adjusted as we learn more about COVID-19 and its impact on our area.

There is a lot of inaccurate information and a continually changing environment in terms of Florida and Federal guidelines. Ron DeSantis, Florida's governor, yesterday ordered all bars and night club be closed for 30 days. He did not specify restaurants. The Federal government recommends no gathering of more than 10 individuals, this effects our events. Our golf course and tennis courts will remain open. For golf, we have taken measures to avoid rake and flag touching and are cleaning carts between uses. Tennis league play has been discontinued, but courts are open for member play. Our bathrooms will stay open and be cleaned more frequently. Our entire staff will continue to work diligently to sanitize as much as possible.

We are very concerned about our core group of employees. We are trying to communicate with them what we know in this changing environment. For certain, our business is down and declining as more residents and members shelter in place. This affects those who have reduced hours and those that are reliant on your generous tips. We will provide as much continuity for them as we can. It is still unclear what employee benefits and small business support the government will provide for them. We are monitoring this closely.

I would like to once again to ask for your generosity. I am beginning an Aquarina Employee Support Fund, which will help a little during this difficult time. I will begin this fund by donating \$1000. Kathleen and I are not spending as much on social activities during this situation and will help our employees bridge this challenge. I would ask all of you to consider a donation as well. These funds will be allocated based on impact to core employees based on the COVID-19 business decisions we have had to make. Please drop off your donations at our pro shops (golf and tennis) and make checks payable to AGI, noting "Employee Support Fund" on the memo line. This is a way to show how much we appreciate them. Thank you.

Finally regarding the Brassie -- it is a restaurant/grille and not a bar or night club. We have decided to keep food service open on the patio with cocktail and beverage service. The chairs will be placed around the tables at a distance respecting personal space, please do not change them. We will be using disposable serving items. We are also providing take out service during normal hours and our order number is (321) 327 3409. Additionally, we are working on a golf cart delivery service to residents for a fee that will be provided to our employees. The Brassie menu will be somewhat limited.

Thank you for your patience in this ever-changing situation and your generosity.

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