

March 15, 2020

Dear Member,

Pasadena Yacht and Country Club is committed to providing a safe environment for you and your family. The Coronavirus concern is real we are taking it very seriously.

We are taking the following steps to keep the club a safe haven for our membership:

- We have seriously stepped up our cleaning activities. We are using disinfectants certified to kill all viruses. Our cleaning staff are continually cleaning all high touch, high use areas such as doorknobs, handrails, bathrooms, counters, golf carts, fitness equipment, etc.
- We are providing hand sanitizers throughout club as we can get them.
- We are changing the Sunday Brunch to a plated menu until further notice. We will be providing no buffets unless food is served by a staff member.
- Appetizer stations such as Cruising Fleet "3rd Fridays" will be presented in single use plastic cups.
- We are suspending the Thursday "Free Money Drawing" until further notice. This should decrease the packing of people into dining room right at 7pm. We do encourage you to come out on Thursdays but do suspect the flow will be more spread out without the 7pm drawing.
- Our staff is instructed to have a "no touch" policy and thus are not to touch any member.
- We are relocating activities outdoors as much as possible. This will include fitness classes. Viral transmission outdoors is much less likely.
- We use HEPA filters for all air conditioning and are leaving all AC fans on high to clean air continuously. Also, we will be opening doors in the evenings to keep the air fresh.

We are requesting our members do the following to keep themselves and our community safe as well:

- Please WASH YOUR HANDS. This should be done frequently and aggressively. It is absolutely the single most important thing you can do to keep yourself and your family safe. Use plenty of soap and rub your hands for at least 20 seconds.
- Do not touch others. Minimize touching anything in public places.

- Please stay home if you are feeling ill in any way. Also, stay home if you have recently travelled to any areas that are designated high risk.
- Please allow people “personal space” and stay a comfortable distance from others.
- For those with compromised immune systems due to age or health conditions, I would recommend dining on the Palmer deck or down by the pool. Risk of viral transmission is significantly less outdoors.

I believe these steps will keep our club a safe haven for you and your family during this stressful time. The good news is that your chance of contracting this virus remains very low. Further, our warming weather should cause this virus like all other viruses to fade. Florida is likely to be one of the lowest risk states for that reason.

Thank you for your consideration and continued support of the club. We are all in this together and I’m certain we will get through this as a family.

Sincerely,

Jeff Paonessa, MD
owner