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Dear Dom Lipa Families, Friends, Employees and Supporters,

In this communication, we provide advance notice of the Annual General Meeting, a Covid-19 update, and we thank our Family Council for their artistic contributions and gifts for Valentine's Day.

### **2022 Annual General Meeting**

The Annual General Meeting for the Slovenian Linden Foundation – Dom Lipa will take place by Zoom on *Sunday April 24<sup>th</sup> at 2 pm*. We will provide further details in the coming weeks.

### **Covid-19 Update**

Visiting restrictions are lifting slowly. Please see the Dom Lipa website for the most up-to-date guidance for visitors on the home page (*scroll down* to Current Visitation Protocols) at [www.domlipa.ca](http://www.domlipa.ca).

We are so pleased that there are no Covid-19 cases at Dom Lipa. Thank you to all staff for your hard work and dedication to the care of our residents. There have been no Covid-19 related deaths at Dom Lipa.

Last week, Ontario announced its plan to lift vaccine passports in early March. We remain unified with Long-Term Care Homes and hospitals in our commitment to having all healthcare workers vaccinated and do not have plans to remove our mandatory vaccination policy. Data shows unvaccinated individuals are more susceptible to developing severe symptoms due to COVID-19 and we would have concerns for the safety of unvaccinated workers. Our priority is to keep our patients and staff safe, and our current vaccination policy helps us to do so.

### **Thank you, Family Council for your Love!**



On Valentine's Day, the Dom Lipa Family Council showed its appreciation to all Dom Lipa Staff for the wonderful care the staff has provided to all residents at Dom Lipa. Family Council members dropped off individually wrapped "Staff Appreciation Treats" on Valentine's Day.

The Board of Directors thanks the Family Council for their thoughtful contributions and their cheerful decorations around the entrance to the home.

### **Planned Giving**

Planned Giving is a meaningful way to acknowledge a charitable cause that is important to you and leaves a lasting impact on future generations. By making a gift in your will, you can receive future tax savings and feel good by providing crucial financial support that will advance charitable work long into the future. Talk to your financial advisor about the benefits of including a gift in your will to Dom Lipa.

Stay strong everyone!

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