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Update from the Directors

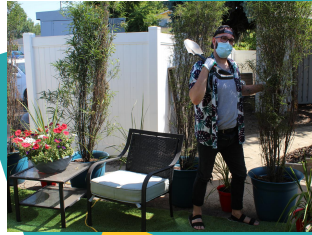
Rene` Knight & Tera Stegner

Greetings from Grace Center! **We are grateful for this opportunity to connect with all of you and let you know how we are doing.** Yes, we are still closed and that is a very difficult reality...for Grace Center as an organization, but especially for our participants and their families, whom we think of every day and miss greatly. If you have been following our COVID-19 page on our website (www.gracecenter-corvallis.org/covid-19/), you will have seen that the Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS) has asked us to remain **closed through the end of August**. We still do not have an approved re-open date but we have a meeting with DHS scheduled for mid-August and hope to know more after that.

In the mean time, we have continued to have our nurse complete twice weekly phone calls to all our clients, provide critical care services, and have made **over 70 exercise and activity videos** for our participants to follow along with at home (see back panel for more info)! We have pushed pause on making new videos for now, though, so we can focus our energy on making **activity kits** we will be able to deliver to our participants in person and have a **social distanced interaction** with them! We hope to launch this by mid-August.

In addition to supporting our clients as best we can, we have been very busy updating our center and getting it set up for re-opening! We have completed many garden upgrades, painted bright colors on the walls throughout the center, and done a significant amount of sorting and cleaning. But we have also been transforming the center so it can be safe to re-open in the future. To learn all about that, tune in to our upcoming Virtual Open House (see inside panel)! Our admin team has also been busy getting lots of administrative projects done including redesigning our website! **Check out our new look at: www.gracecenter-corvallis.org.**

Lastly, both the board and the staff have been working hard to make our annual events still possible this year. **Please read on to learn more and save the dates!**



GRACE CENTER'S 3RD ANNUAL

aging summit

Saturday, September 12th, 2020

****Online Webinar****

9:00am to 12:30pm

Register: www.GraceCenter-Corvallis.org or 541-754-8417



Join us for our 3rd Annual Aging Summit: *Adapting in Changing Times*. This year our summit is offered as a webinar. Our speakers include a geropsychologist and two medical doctors speaking on aging topics such as worry and uncertainty, sleeping in stressful times, and navigating COVID-19. A panel of experts will also be available to answer questions on all things aging. Free admission; donations are accepted.

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Please join us for our 3rd Annual Aging Summit! This year we had to get creative and switch our in-person event to a live webinar but the silver lining is that we can reach so many more people!
All are welcome!

It's
Still
On!

"Join Us" for our annual
Open House Celebration!

If you would like to be a sponsor for this event, call 541-754-8417 or email office@gracecenter-covallis.org for more information!

Sponsorships are due by August 31st

Virtual GRACE CENTER'S OPEN HOUSE CELEBRATION!

Since we cannot open up our center to the public for a traditional open house, we are offering a VIRTUAL one!

Watch the 2020 Grace Center Open House Video debuting on National Grandparents Day!

What:



Open House Celebration Video

When:

National Grandparents Day
Sunday, September 13th
Video available at 1:00pm

Where:

www.GraceCenter-Corvallis.org
Call 541-754-8417 with Questions

How You Can Help!

With the current backdrop of uncertainty, the value of support shines even brighter. We have many of you, the friends of Grace Center, asking how you can support us during these unprecedented times. So here are some practical and safe ways you can show your support and be a big help to us!

Make a Donation through the Enclosed Envelope or Online at www.gracecenter-corvallis.org

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Introducing Our Board President: Marilyn Brasier

Grace Center had the pleasure of working with Board Member, Heidi Igarashi, serving as board president for the last 3 years. With her presidency term coming to a close, Grace Center is happy to welcome Marilyn Braiser as our new board president. Marilyn has served on the Grace Center Board of Directors since 2013.

Marilyn J. Brasier is a partner in the law firm of Smith, Davison & Brasier, PC, in Corvallis. Marilyn's practice includes estate planning both for uncomplicated estates, as well as for estates involving significant assets or complex issues. In addition, she represents clients in estate and trust administration, and on business issues and tax planning, as well as non-profit organizations and charities on matters involving formation, tax-exemption, and governance issues. Marilyn obtained her law degree from Pepperdine University School of Law and a Masters of Laws in Taxation from Georgetown University Law School.



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