

# Newsflash



November 2021

## 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Mugs

Cheers to Our 60th! We hope you are enjoying your new El Camino Health 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary commemorative mugs. May they get your mornings off to a good start while reminding you of our incredible legacy of service to the community.



If you have not yet received your mug, please stop by the Auxiliary office to get one.

## President's Messages

**Judy VanDyck**

The months seemed to have passed by so quickly. Now, it is November and time for Thanksgiving celebration! Other than a time for turkey, stuffing and pie, it is also a time to be with family and loved ones. A time to be thankful for all of you for giving your time, energy and service to the patients, staff, and visitors of ECH. Please know that you are truly appreciated for all you do.

Stay healthy!  
Judy

**Linda Heider**

Thanksgiving is often remembered for the wonderful family get togethers and great dinners, but we sometimes forget the real reason behind the holiday. It is a day of giving thanks for all that we have and all those we care about. And so in the spirit of this holiday, we say thank you to all of our volunteers. We are grateful for your dedication and commitment and sincerely appreciate what you do for our healthcare family.

Have a very Happy Thanksgiving!

## Pinkies Hard at Work

Volunteer Spotlight!

Pictured are our amazing Pinkies. We appreciate your handcraft!

Left to right around the table: Melinda Diamond, Lolita Rolufs, Claris Bozzini, Judy Rowland, Sara Reynard, Maryann Wisniewski and Karen Voshell



## Announcements

- **Holiday Closures**

In observance of **Thanksgiving**, all services are closed for half day on Wednesday November 24<sup>th</sup> and return for business as usual on Monday November 29<sup>th</sup>.

For **Christmas** all services will close for half day on Tuesday December 23<sup>rd</sup> and remain closed until Sunday December 26<sup>th</sup>, reopening on Monday December 27<sup>th</sup>.

To ring in the **New Year** we will close half day Thursday December 30<sup>th</sup> and return Monday January 3<sup>rd</sup> 2022.

- **COVID-19 Testing Information**

**Making an Appointment for COVID testing in MV:**  
If you are asymptomatic and fully vaccinated you may schedule an appointment in one of two ways:

- Using the El Camino Health [myCare app](#), under the Lab tab.
- Using Google Chrome to visit the El Camino Health COVID-19 Community Testing Program page at [elcaminohealth.org/landing/schedule-covid-19-test?s=testingLocations](https://elcaminohealth.org/landing/schedule-covid-19-test?s=testingLocations).

Please bring a photo ID and your insurance card to your appointment (there is no cost to you for testing).

**Making an Appointment for COVID testing in LG:**

We are currently finalizing a process that will allow Los Gatos-based employees to have a comparable, streamlined process as detailed above. Meanwhile, we offer asymptomatic, fully vaccinated Los Gatos-based staff the following options:

- Make an appointment with the COVID-19 Community Testing Program at MV using Google Chrome at [elcaminohealth.org/landing/schedule-covid-19-test?s=testingLocations](https://elcaminohealth.org/landing/schedule-covid-19-test?s=testingLocations).
- Make an appointment using the employee testing program through EWHS at [moonstone.elcaminohospital.org/T/Security/SignIn.aspx](https://moonstone.elcaminohospital.org/T/Security/SignIn.aspx)

## In Memoriam

Barbara Galea

A service mass for Barbara is scheduled for December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 at 10 AM at St. Thomas Aquinas Church (751 Waverley, Palo Alto)

Interment service will be held at noon. at the Alta Mesa Memorial park corner of Arastradero and Foothill  
Brunch will be served at 1 PM at the Elks Club on El Camino, Palo Alto.



## Auxiliary Halloween Shenanigans

