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Rooted in Christian Faith Caring for Each Other Serving the Community

### **OUR CORE VALUES**

Teamwork
Respect
Integrity
Commitment
Love

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# A Message From Our CEO

In December, we hosted our 11th annual Friends of Eagle Crest Communities Holiday Social. Many people turned out for this wonderful event held every year to recognize those who make financial donations, served on our board of directors and help support our mission. Our Chef and his team prepared a wonderful assortment of food and dessert that was enjoyed by all. We thank the many people who have made a contribution to our success over the years. We could not do what we do without you.



It's hard to believe 2019 is gone already, what a busy year it was! Last year at this time they were just starting to put the roof on our Eagle Crest South expansion and this year we are busy preparing to welcome our first new residents.

We plan to have the first independent living residents start moving in the first week in February, so our marketing team is working with everyone that has made a reservation to secure a move-in date. This is an exciting time as many new people will join our Eagle Crest Community in La Crosse. We plan to have a welcoming committee in place to help our new residents adapt to their new home at Eagle Crest.

Later this spring, we will be hosting an open house open to the general public. When we have a date available for the grand opening, we will be sure to let everyone know.

Wishing everyone a wonderful 2020! Sincerely,

Todd D. Wilson Chief Executive Officer Eagle Crest Communities



Eagle Crest is an expert when it comes to senior living. While our communities are beautiful, you'll find the professional staff and caregivers inside are what makes Eagle Crest Communities inviting, inspiring and healing.

608.791.2702

**An Exciting New Way of Life Is Waiting!** 

# Eagle Crest Communities Holiday Celebrations "The Best Times Are Always Found When Friends & Family Gather Round"





**NOW ACCEPTING RESERVATIONS** 

# Live the Engle Crest Life

Join us for weekly informational sessions to learn about our new apartments, take a tour and make your reservation today!

# Mondays at 4PM Eagle Crest South Auditorium

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# NEW YEAR. NEW POSSIBILITIES.



INDEPENDENT LIVING



**ASSISTED LIVING** 



**MEMORY CARE** 



**OUR COMMUNITY...** 

- Auditorium & chapel
- Bank & market
- Beauty/barber salon
- Restaurant & bistro
- Blarney bar & club lounge
- Fitness center & cinema
- Botanical garden
- Courtyard & fishing pier
- Hobby shop & art studio
- Library with computer stations
- Massage therapy
- Health, wellness, & social programs
- Underground, heated parking with car wash bay
- Private storage units
- Housekeeping services available
- No community or amenity fees
- Fabulous views of the Mississippi River & nearby bluffs

# **Employment News**



### **Upcoming Hiring Events**

Join us every Wednesday in February from 12:30pm-4:30pm in the NEW Eagle Crest South expansion for our HIRING OPEN HOUSE! You'll have an opportunity to ask questions about positions in our culinary, nursing, and environmental services departments, fill out applications, and attend on-site interviews!

Eagle Crest Communities offer a variety of benefits that are available to both part-time and full-time employees, such as competitive wages, scholarship programs, recruitment bonuses for nursing staff, 401(k) with company match and more! Whether you're looking to explore other career options or you just want something to supplement your current income, we have a position for you!







### **Tuition Investment Program**

My name is Jenna and like many college students, I struggle to pay college tuition. Scholarships that I have received have allowed me to further my education. One key scholarship that I received this year was the Tuition Incentive Program Fund (TIP) through Eagle Crest Communities.

Last summer when I was looking for employment, I wanted to work for an employer that had a TIP Fund that I could receive to help pay for school. Well, I found one. The TIP Fund was one of the reasons why I first applied to Eagle Crest South. The TIP Fund is an important part of Eagle Crest Communities recruitment and retention program for individuals looking for college tuition assistance.

The TIP Fund is provided through generous donations of individuals and companies. The money I received through the TIP Fund was enough to cover my textbooks and my first down payment deposit for the 2018 Fall semester and 2019 Spring semester of school. I would like to thank the donors of the Tuition Incentive Program because your donations have helped further my education in nursing.



To view our available positions, visit www.eaglecrestlife.org

# **Donations & Support**

It is our honor to express our sincere appreciation to the many wonderful people who help support Eagle Crest Communities.

In Memory of Lavina Campton
Duane & Jean Kidd
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Herman & Juanita Wingfield
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Tuition Incentive Program
In Memory of Miriam D. Lighthizer
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Donations are gratefully received and tax deductible to the extent allowed by law.
Name
Address
☐ This gift is in honor of
☐ Capital Fund - supports major projects such as Eagle Crest developments.
☐ Legacy Fund - supports activities and special events, and enhances amenities & technology for residents. ☐ Tuition Incentive Program Fund - supports our recruitment and retention program.
☐ Employee Appreciation Fund - promotes employee appreciation.
Special request are always welcome!



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Eagle Crest Communities
Mail to:
Eagle Crest Communities
PO Box 2468
La Crosse, WI 54602-2468



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# New To Eagle Crest Communities

**ECC Life Community Education Events** 

Please join us for our new monthly educational series at Eagle Crest South, Tuesdays at 2pm!

- February 18th Medication Safety Presented by Kassandra Kollauf, PharmD
- March 10th Falls Prevention: Bone Health & Strong Seniors Program Presented by Gretchen Lindahl, La Crosse County Health Department
- April 14th Identity Theft: Prevent & Protect
  Presented by Jeff Kersten, Wisconsin Bureau of Consumer Protection
- May 12th Medicare 101: Understanding the ABC's of Medicare Presented by Tina Johnson, Aging & Disability Resource Center of La Crosse County

RSVP to Heather at 608.791.2709 or hedgington@eaglecrestlife.org

