



Dear Volunteers:

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What a year this has been!

To say our residents wish you were here with your love, your energy, and the smiles you bring to their days goes without saying. Your presence has been missed by staff and families as well.

This year's theme for National Volunteer Week is **The Value of One, The Power of Many**. It is one that aligns with CapitalCare's value **Working Together With Purpose**. It reflects the individual and collective efforts we have seen during the pandemic. While it has not been possible for you to come inside our centres, some of you have been helping out in other ways; you have helped in gardens, prepping recreation materials, helping at CapitalCare Foundation fundraisers, and some in the gift shops when outbreaks allowed.

We know that, with your huge hearts, you have also most likely been busy helping in your communities in some way; helping an isolated neighbour, checking in on a friend, caring for an aging parent, helping your own children with online learning, the list does go on.

Wherever this note finds you today, know that you are thought of and appreciated, as well as missed. Here is hoping that 2021 will be the year we can welcome you all back. Thank you for all that you do, have done, and continue to do for the people in our care.

Kind Regards,

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Chief Operating Officer  
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