2020 ANNUAL REPORT

From Strength to Strength





2020.

The Wexner Heritage Village community welcomed 2020 from a position of strength. We ended 2019, our strongest fiscal year in recent memory, with solid leadership, financial stability and a clear vision for our future. We did not know we would need that strength to sustain us during the most far-reaching public health crisis our country has seen in a century.

On March 12, 2020, WHV took action to protect our residents, staff and business from the looming COVID-19 pandemic. Doors were closed to visitors. Staff temperature checks and symptom screenings became routine and some departments went home to work remotely. We all started wearing masks.

We asked more of every single staff member, and they delivered. Across the board, they took creativity to new heights to protect our residents. In return, our residents were patient and understanding of the limitations the pandemic brought, their families were incredibly supportive and our community showed us an unprecedented outpouring of care. Jewish community leaders banded together to meet our most urgent needs. We are proud of our team and grateful to all who extended a helping hand.

Yes, 2020 was a uniquely challenging year. But, in some ways, it was also one of the most rewarding and inspiring. The experience strengthened our dedication to the WHV mission and to each other and we continue to see the benefits of the greater degree of collaboration, trust and unity the pandemic engendered within our WHV family.

We enter 2021 inspired to provide the best community for Columbus seniors. Under the leadership of incoming board chair, Ira Kane, and strategic planning committee chair, Gary Rosenstein, we are working to provide the best experience at WHV while strategically planning new ways to provide a more vibrant and independent lifestyle and community. These are exciting times and we are grateful for Ira and Gary's leadership and the community and business leaders who are bringing their wealth of experience to the table. Thank you to the WHV staff, Board of Directors, community partners and friends. And thank you to the valued residents and families. Your strength and support are the wind at our back every single day. We are beyond grateful.

Sincerely,

Mark Yale *WHV Board Chair*Chris Christian *President & COO*











"While the challenges the organization faced from the pandemic were unprecedented, it reminded us all, more than any other event could, of one of the most important aspects of WHV's mission, which is providing exceptional care for some of the community's most vulnerable. Accordingly, I want to thank the WHV leadership team and the entire staff for their dedication and commitment to keeping our residents safe and healthy during these challenging times. Their ability to work under the daily stress since the pandemic started has been inspiring. I am truly grateful and humbled to be part of such an important organization that is making a difference within our community every day."

Mark Yale WHV Board Chair Wexner Heritage Village is founded on and inspired by the timeless wisdom of the Jewish faith. In our practice, and at our core, we believe that all people are created in G-d's image (B'tzelem Elohim), that we are all endowed with infinite value, and that every person with whom we engage should be treated with dignity and respect.

We honor our traditions as well as those of all faiths. We believe that acts of human kindness help repair the world (Tikkun Olam) with every word and deed. We honor our elders and revere them for their strength and wisdom (Hiddur Zaken). We foster creativity, self-expression, and personal choice, and inspire others to live their fullest and most purposeful lives.

Our mission is to create a vibrant, connected community that brings more life to every moment of senior living. Through integrity, humility, innovation, and excellence, we strive to be the most trusted, most loved, most sought-after resource for the senior community.









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"I feel honored to be part of this team and grateful to have had a front row seat to their inspiring response to this pandemic. **Every one** of them served heroically."

Chris Christian, President & Chief Operating Officer









We are grateful for all the WHV family members who put our residents' needs ahead of their own during the most far-reaching health crisis in our history.

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"My time during COVID has had me really step up my game as an entertainer.

I had no idea I would be so comfortable singing and dancing with my skill set.

Anything for my loved ones, I am willing to do!"

Laurie Gang, Cottage Activities Director



We are pleased to join JewishColumbus, the Harold Grinspoon Foundation and our Columbus Jewish community partners in kicking off a four-year Life & Legacy endowment campaign for the future of WHV and our community. We sincerely thank those who made legacy commitments to WHV in 2020, safeguarding our ability to provide superior care and vibrant senior living for years to come.

Todah Rabah, thank you.

WEXNER HERITAGE VILLAGE LEGACY SOCIETY MEMBERS

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Mark E. Yale



When the COVID-19 pandemic hit Columbus in March, 2020, WHV received an overwhelming outpouring of support. Our community brought friendship and comfort to our residents through phone calls, cards, flowers, activity baskets, gifts, food, pen pals, much-needed masks and more. We were humbled and grateful. Surprise sidewalk chalk messages of support made our team members feel loved, appreciated and energized. The challenges of healthcare, safety and social isolation are real. But the love, commitment and community it inspired will forever be in our hearts.

The gifts of support were too numerous to count. Some of them were:

AK Athletics – Masks
Bexley City Hall & Radnor family – Masks
Susie Blair and JewishFamily Services
Chabad Hebrew School
Joanie Calem – Sukkat Shalom blankets
Jennifer Cammeyer – Bears and art
supplies

Columbus Jewish Day School – Cards IGS Energy – Hand made cards from their children

JCC preschool classes

Connie Lewis – Masks

Matthew 25:35 Ministry in Cincinnati – 3 pallets of supplies

Tom Nakasako, Bexley Eagle Scout People Need Flowers – Flowers for residents

Pearly Vine Clothing – Masks
PJ Library Columbus – Cards
Priority Designs – Masks
Rock City Church – Activity kits

Alyssa Russell and JewishColumbus
volunteers – Cards and phone calls
Anne Skaggs – masks
Rabbi Sharon Barr Skolnik & Wexner
Service Corps – Paintings
Temple Israel
Stitching Sisters – Masks
Synagogue Sunday Schools – Outreach
to seniors
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Families, friends and volunteers of

Wexner Heritage Village*



*We apologize for any gifts not captured on this page – all were greatly appreciated!

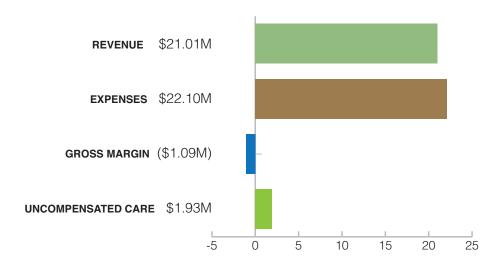








FINANCIAL SNAPSHOT



Goggle frames purchased

1700

Lenses purchased

5,298

Enhanced Check in Process

\$100,000

Gowns purchased

35,819

Procedure masks purchased

36,160

Remote staff setup costs

\$35,000

KN95 masks purchased

15,454

Staff hours worked

349,820

Quarantine pay

\$80,076

N95 masks purchased

25,773

COVID incentive pay

\$23,996

Total PPE expenses

\$750,000









Thank you to WHV Board Chair, Mark Yale:



The WHV staff and board thank Mark Yale for his steadfast leadership and governance. As board chair, Mark steered the organization through three transformational years with his steady support and dedication to the mission. Mark also served on the Life & Legacy and strategic planning committees. His work has made WHV stronger and better prepared for the future.

WHV Honors Geri Ellman:

We are pleased to name board member, donor and volunteer, Geri Ellman, as a Lifetime Director of the Wexner Heritage Village Board. Geri is a tremendous supporter of the organization and has touched nearly every area of operations. We thank her for her guidance, humor and dedication to WHV.





Auxiliary of Heritage House

We offer our most sincere gratitude to the Auxiliary of Heritage House for its many years of support and service to the WHV mission. Thank you for continuing to provide activities and celebrations through your new Jewish Foundation Fund. Your work is a blessing and will bring our residents joy for years to come.

"Our members are our families, and never does a day go by that I don't think about all of them! I'm your family when you couldn't be here!"

Andrea Viney, Charge Nurse, LPN, The Cottage











Tikkun Olam – Acts of human kindness help repair the world

We deeply appreciate the friendship and support of leaders and volunteers from JewishColumbus, Jewish Family Services, the JCC of Greater Columbus and our community's Jewish day schools and synagogues. They gave their resources freely and worked together to solve challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic.







Drive through volunteer appreciation party, June 2020

"I have never seen a greater sense of the word 'community' than I did in the midst of the pandemic. It was incredibly uplifting, incredibly encouraging."

Chris Christian, President & Chief Operating Officer













HIDDUR ZAKEN

We honor our elders and revere them for their strength and wisdom.





"Once the panic of closing our doors wore off, I was on a mission to figure out a 'new' way of enriching the lives of our members. Everything changed. Literally, everything. We went from gathering together in groups for lectures and music, having parties, loading up the bus with 14 members for exciting trips...to quietness, fear and keeping our distance from our friends and colleagues. Activities soon continued, but in a safe, strategic way. We took activities outdoors, delivered activities to apartments and relied on technology for indoor entertainment and learning. So many things have changed in the past year, yet we are stronger, wiser and so much more creative."

Elaine Edelbrock, Creekside Activities Director



Every moment.