



A Little Dose of Sunshine

Summer/Fall 2018

The Sunshine Hospitality Home and Altru Health System

The Sunshine Hospitality Home is completed, and we are so thankful for your generous support! As many as 20,000 individuals will be served every year now that the Home is open.

On July 9, 2018 the doors opened to begin serving our region. As of July 20, 2018, the Home has served 18 guests, 16 within 50 plus miles! The farthest guest was from Ohio and the average stay is 2.65 nights. We are excited to continue to see these numbers grow and to serve our regional communities. If you are traveling to Grand Forks for medical services call 701-732-7900 or email sunshine@altru.org for more information. Remember to please ask your provider for a referral to stay at the Sunshine Hospitality Home.

We would like to remind supporters that the Sunshine Hospitality Home is transitioning into the hands of Altru Health System to run its day-to-day operations. We are both excited about our partnership and look forward to the transition. You will begin to receive communication updates from Altru Health System on the progress of the Home and lives that it will impact each day.

With your help, this Home will be a place of comfort, compassion and convenience. We truly thank you for all your support and dedication to help make this project become a reality.

If you have any questions or concerns about the transition don't hesitate to contact Theresa at 701-738-2462 or theresa@sunshinememorial.org or Jon Green of Altru Health Foundation at 701-780-5600 or jgreen@altru.org.

The Sunshine Hospitality Home will continue to have operational needs and we appreciate your support. Future donations and support for the Sunshine Hospitality Home may be directed to the Altru Health Foundation, 2501 Demers Ave, Grand Forks, ND 58201 or online at <https://www.altru.org/about-us/support-altru/donate/donate/>.



We are truly grateful for all our donors and would like to express our heartfelt appreciation for your generous support. The Sunshine Hospitality Home would not have been able to open its doors on July 9, 2018 without you! The following list of people and organizations represents those who have supported the project at a level of \$500 and above.

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Sunshine Hospitality Home Staff

We are excited to introduce to you the new Interim Manager for the Sunshine Hospitality Home. Katie Edvall has worked for Altru Health System for almost 23 years in various roles. Katie is passionate about customer service and is looking forward to extending Altru's mission of providing world class care to the Sunshine Hospitality Home. Katie and her husband, Bryan, are currently foster parents to four beautiful children. They enjoy spending time at the lake and being a part of the community.





Message from the CEO

WHAT IS NEXT FOR THE SUNSHINE MEMORIAL FOUNDATION?

Where do we go from here? The Sunshine Memorial Foundation does not plan to go away. We are excited for what the future holds and hope that each of you stay in touch as we prepare for the development and implementation of programs and projects locally and throughout the United States that will focus on providing education and resources in areas of health, wellness, hydration, and hiker awareness.

Over the next few months we will continue to work with Altru Health System to complete the transition of the Sunshine Hospitality Home project. We plan to research and develop a plan for hydration awareness and education and develop a partnership with a major hydration supplier. We will also look at local and national projects to support that align with our mission.



Membership Program

Many of our supporters have asked us how they can help us going forward. Thank you for your confidence in us and belief in us. We are pleased to present to you the opportunity to be a part of our membership program and support our up and coming programs and projects.

- » Sunshine Club Membership - (Individual \$50 annually / Business \$250 annually) - With this level of giving you will receive updates through our quarterly newsletter updates and social media. Your support will help provide the Foundation the ability to continue its progress in local and national communities to carry out our mission.
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Please consider supporting the Sunshine Memorial Foundation's future! You may choose to enroll in our membership program online @ www.sunshinememorial.org or mail in the below form to: 4200 James Ray Dr., Grand Forks, ND 58202.

We look forward to and appreciate your continued support. Pledges are also welcomed.

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