COVID-19 Advisory #38 for Westbrook Residents

Westbrook Emergency Preparedness Committee
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Latest Guidance Chart: The very good news is that **Washington County** has now vaccinated more than 65% of eligible residents and moved into the **Lower Risk** category. Here are a few points from the <u>latest guidance chart</u> from OHA:

| Activity | Restrictions |
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| Social & at-home gathering INDOORS | Maximum 10 people |
| | Recommended limit 4 households |
| Social & at-home gathering OUTDOORS | Maximum 12 people |
| Faith institutions, funeral homes, | Indoors not to exceed 75% maximum occupancy |
| mortuaries, & cemeteries | Outdoors not to exceed 300 people |

You Could Win the Vaccination Lottery! On May 21st Governor Brown introduced the "Take Your Shot Oregon" campaign, the program designed to encourage Oregonians to get their COVID-19 vaccines. Everyone who has gotten at least one vaccine shot by June 27th is automatically entered, including those who got their shots months ago. Random drawings will be held on June 28th. One lucky individual will win the \$1 million grand prize and one person in each county will win \$10,000. In addition, five \$100,000 scholarships will be awarded to vaccinated students between the ages of 12 and 17. For more details see the press release and this article from OPB.

Your Vaccination Card is Important: As more people are vaccinated and restrictions are lifted, you may find yourself in places where you need to prove that you've been vaccinated. For this reason, you should make a copy or take a picture of your card to carry with you at all times and keep the original in a safe place. If you've lost your vaccination card, you can replace it by

- Contacting the clinic where you got your vaccine
- Asking your health care provider for a record
- Following the instructions on <u>OHA's vaccination resources webpage</u>
- Calling 211 for help in languages other than English

Volunteers Still Needed to Monitor Pool: The Pool Committee still needs volunteers to monitor the number of swimmers and to ensure that COVID-19 safety protocols are followed. If there aren't enough volunteer monitors, the number of days and hours the pool is open will be reduced from the 7 days per week, 6 hours per day schedule we have now. **Please consider helping out** even if you don't use the pools—it's an easy job out in the fresh air! The signup sheet is posted at the Clubhouse near the exterior restroom door. If you have questions, contact Pool Committee chair Mary Jo Brown at 503-949-5287 or at maryjobrown1@gmail.com.

Getting Your Vaccination:

- Check with your health care provider, local health clinic, or local pharmacy for availability and times
- How to Find a Vaccine in Oregon, OHA's comprehensive website for vaccine information
- Find county specific vaccination information, including local vaccination events for Washington County
- Woodburn Ambulance drive-through clinic in Woodburn on Thursdays

If you don't have internet, you can still **call 211 or 1-866-698-6155** to get information and schedule an appointment at most of the clinics listed above.

Sign Up for COVID-19 Updates from Oregon Health Authority: www.oregon.gov/dhs

If You Need Help: If you'd like a hard copy of the articles referenced above, or if you need help getting groceries or medications delivered or finding face masks or other supplies, please call or email Melody Brawley at 530-310-1511 or melbrawley@yahoo.com. The EPC has a list of volunteers waiting to help.

Continue to stay safe—Get your shot and follow guidelines