Dear Campus Community,

The academic year has started off well—and I’m proud of the efforts made campus wide to ensure safety both in our facilities and communities.

On Oct. 1, we expect to enter phase five of the reopening plan we launched last spring. We have paced through this plan as expected—and mostly as planned. However, there is an update to the final phase:

* Facility rental and usage by external groups, including campus walkers, will remain unavailable until at least Jan. 4, 2021.
* Facility utilization for external groups will be reevaluated as the end of the year approaches. Dates will be confirmed in accordance with health department metrics and guidelines.
* This does not apply to approved classes, events, and activities offered or hosted by Moraine Park.

As always, the safety and well-being of our employees and students is essential to our continued operations. Thank you for your patience and understanding through the shifts and changes.

Finally, I am pleased to share that as of today, COVID-19-related illnesses and exposures remain low on our campuses, and while we all know this could change quickly, our leadership team is confident the safety measures implemented, your continued accountability for personal health and hygiene and your dedication to the College, will help these efforts.

Sincerely,

Bonnie Baerwald

Moraine Park President