



To our Guests and Staff,

Today, Dede and I sadly made the decision to close Essen for the time being. This hasn't been an easy decision for us. But we feel it's the right one given the current COVID-19 situation.

After monitoring all the health authority guidance, Dede and I both agree that this is the responsible thing to do for our community, right now.

This situation is very fluid and can change again. We will continue to make responsible decisions that support our community health and spirit.

If you are looking for guidance on how to keep you and your loved ones healthy:

First, WASH YOUR HANDS! Then go to the CDC website at:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>.

Then, navigate to the Town of Manchester, Board of Health website at

www.manchester.ma.us and sign up for their alert system.

And finally, check out the information provided by the MA Department of Public Health here: <https://www.mass.gov/orgs/department-of-public-health>

And a few prayers wouldn't hurt as well.

Thank you for your continued support as we all navigate uncharted territory.

Bruce and Dede Warren