October 14, 2020

Dear Mariner,

We are excited to let you know that current guidance from Los Angeles County allows us to invite in-season student athletes to live on campus this spring. At this time, we are not allowed to have other student populations back on campus, but we will update you as guidance from the county changes.

If you are not a student athlete, you can still apply for housing. If the county does not lift restrictions, preventing us from offering housing, we will let you know and refund your application fee. If you want to apply to live at the Villas, please go to your MCU student portal and complete the application. You will need to make sure that you have a credit card on file prior to submitting the application; otherwise, it will not go through.

Some important notes about living in the Villas this spring:

• All rooms will be singles at the price of doubles. This means there will be a maximum of three people per house.
• If you deposit and decide to cancel your housing request, as long as you cancel prior to January 4, 2021, you can receive a full refund on your housing deposit.
• Currently, we do not allow any guests, including other students, family or even food delivery drivers. This is a standard operating procedure for colleges and universities in Los Angeles County. Food deliveries/drop-offs are permitted at the security gate.
• Athletes from the same sports will be housed together to help reduce exposure. Students may request to live with a specific teammate(s), although we cannot guarantee we can accommodate all requests.
• All students must quarantine for 14 days after they move in.
• Due to COVID-19, we currently do not have a residency requirement for new students. If you do not wish to live in the Villas, you do not need to apply for an exemption.
• Move-in is scheduled for Thursday, January 7, 2021, but if you cannot make it on that day, please reach out to us to schedule your arrival.

We will be in touch with those who apply for housing as we approach the end of the semester.

Sincerely,

Chad Fehr
Assistant Dean of Students / Dean of Residential Campus