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**Quail Summit is a St. Ann's Community Partner**

## **St. Ann's Community Welcomes Vanessa Brookes as Executive Director of Quail Summit**



**Canandaigua, NY – July 2025** – St. Ann's Community is proud to announce the appointment of Vanessa Brookes as the new Executive Director of Quail Summit, a trusted St. Ann's Community partner located in the heart of the Finger Lakes. Quail Summit is a senior living community offering independent living, enriched living, and memory care in a warm, resident-focused environment.

Vanessa brings more than 15 years of leadership experience in senior living and aging services. She is widely recognized for her dedication to resident-centered care, continuous quality improvement, and fostering positive organizational culture. She holds degrees in gerontology and public administration and was honored with the "Woman of Distinction: Rising Star" award by *McKnight's Senior Living* for her impactful leadership in the field.

In addition to her professional accomplishments, Vanessa is a certified Culture Consultant, a Dementia Care Specialist Instructor, and a graduate of the Yale Women's Leadership Program. Her career has been defined by a commitment to building inclusive, high-performing teams and enhancing the lives of older adults through meaningful engagement and operational excellence.

"We are thrilled to welcome Vanessa to Quail Summit," said Rene Barnes, Vice President of Housing at St. Ann's Community. "Her passion and expertise align perfectly with our mission to provide exceptional care in a compassionate, community-focused setting."

As Executive Director, Vanessa now leads the day-to-day operations at Quail Summit, working closely with residents, families, and team members to ensure a supportive and enriching living experience for all. For more information about Quail Summit and St. Ann's Community, please visit [www.stannscommunity.com](http://www.stannscommunity.com).

### **About St. Ann's Community**

St. Ann's Community is Rochester's leading senior housing and health services provider. With campuses across the Finger Lake's Region, St. Ann's offers a continuum of care that includes independent living, assisted living, memory care, skilled nursing, transitional care/rehab, hospice/palliative care, and adult day programs. One of Greater Rochester's largest private employers, St. Ann's has more than 1,200 employees who are *Caring for the Most Important People on Earth*. For more information, call 585-697-6000 or visit [www.stannscommunity.com](http://www.stannscommunity.com).

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