

# WINDSTONE WONDERS

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## WindStone Residential Association Annual Meeting:

Date: Monday, March 26th, 2018  
Time: 7:00 pm  
Place: WindStone Clubhouse Grill

**Important:** Ballots will be mailed to homeowners at the beginning of March to the address of the legal owner of the property, as of February 2018. It is important that the ballot mailed to your address be returned **prior to March 21** so that the WindStone Residential Association can insure a quorum is obtained before the annual meeting.

## Welcome to WindStone!

Jerome & LaTasha Rogan  
9205 WindStone Drive



## Reminders from Your WRA Board

The first five items below are the most frequent complaints that our Board and Business Manager receive from residents of WindStone. The last item is common sense. Please don't be on this list:

- Please do not park on the street. Our C&R's prohibit this practice. Please park in your garage or driveway.
- Place all trash in garbage bags or cans. Do not leave loose cardboard with your trash, bundle it with twine. Items have been blowing around our streets before Stephens Garbage Service can come by to collect.
- Please do not throw trash or debris into our lakes.
- Speeding on your roads continues to be a problem. Slow Down!
- Barking dogs. Our C&R's prohibit nuisance barking. Please make sure that your dog is not part of the problem.
- If you park your car outside at night, **please lock your doors**, and do not leave valuables inside.

### **WindStone Golf Club News**

- All residents are invited to a Buffet at the Grill. It will be held Thursday, March 8<sup>th</sup>, from 5:00 PM to 8:30 PM. The menu will offer Country Fried Steak, Fried Chicken, Chicken & Dressing Casserole, several vegetable dishes, rolls, salad, desert and a drink. It will \$13.95 for adults and \$7.95 for kids 12 and under.
- All residents are also invited to a Buffet at the Grill on Thursday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, from 5:00 PM to 8:30 PM. The menu will be announced as the date approaches.
- Did you know that you don't not have to be a member of the golf course to enjoy the grill? In addition to the current eat-in service, the grill will be launching a new neighborhood take out menu in the very near future.
- The Golf Course is currently holding a membership drive, which runs from March 1<sup>st</sup> to May 31<sup>st</sup>. A new family plan membership level has been added, and several different plans are available to fit anybody's needs. Stop by the Pro Shop for plan information and pricing, or call 423-894-1231.

### **COMMUNITY NOTICES AND REMINDERS**

- **YARD DEBRIS PICKUP** – First Wednesday of each month.
- **RECYCLE PICKUP** – Third Wednesday of each month.
- **STREET LIGHTS** - Please email or call the business office if you notice a street light that is not working properly.

### **Windstone Wonders**

If you would be interested in contributing an article for publication in our newsletter, either one-time or month, please contact WRA Business Manager, Tim Haralson @ [wraoffice@yahoo.com](mailto:wraoffice@yahoo.com).

### **Windstone WRA Email Addresses**

Within the next month we will be switching over to our new private email account that is secured by our website. This will provide the WRA Team with email addresses that clearly reflect that we are WindStone; i.e., "name@WindStone.org." Over time we will be transitioning away from our old "Yahoo" account. Please see our website for more details in the next few weeks.

Spring is coming and we'll be opening our pools. Here are some great tips to help keep our favorite swimmers safe...



Swimming is the number one summer activity, but safety needs to be your first priority. Sadly, drowning is the #1 cause of unintentional fatalities for children ages 1-4, with an average of 390 deaths per year according to the CDC. Protect your little ones this summer with this handy checklist.

## Pool Safety Checklist:

- 1) Teach children how to swim as soon as they are old enough. When your baby is 6 months old, you can join a parent-child swimming class to familiarize them with water and can enroll in actual swimming lessons around age 3 or 4.
- 2) Stay within arms-reach at all times around children who are not pool safe.
- 3) Designate someone to actively watch when children are in the pool. Limit things that may distract you when you're on "duty", such as your cell phone, socializing, and drinking.
- 4) Ensure you have proper fencing around your pool. Use at least 4 foot tall fencing with self-closing gates.
- 5) Place a safety cover on your pool or hot tub when not in use and remove any ladders or steps used for access.
- 6) Use the buddy system. No one should swim alone.
- 7) Establish and enforce rules and safe behaviors around the pool, such as "no diving" and "walk, don't run".
- 8) Make sure everyone wears swim-level appropriate safety items, such as a life jacket or floaties.
- 9) Keep children away from pool drains, pipes and other openings to avoid entrapment.
- 10) Take a CPR class to be prepared in case of emergency.

By [Raquel Riddle](#) on July 16, 2015 / [Home Care](#), [Pool](#), [Seasonal](#), [Summer](#)