

# WindStone Wonders

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## APRIL YARD OF THE MONTH

**Richard and Kyle Cutsinger  
9011 Tower Pines Cove**



### Community Yard Sale

Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>: 8 a.m. – 12 noon

It will be held in the parking lot of New Heights Baptist Church. Arrive early to claim your spot and set up your items!

\$5.00 collected from each participant – to be donated to the church. Advertising provided by WRA.



## Lake Use

- We are glad to see so many families using Lake Wisley for recreation. Fishing in the lakes is for residents and their guests only. The resident must be present.
- While in the lake area, please park vehicles across the way in the Cattails entrance in the lined parking spaces rather than on Windstone Drive. It's just a short walk over and would keep the street clear as well as protect sprinkler heads in the grass.
- When fishing at Lake Haven, access the lake by the dam area along Windstone Drive and be considerate of areas adjacent to private property.
- Please limit activities to those that keep you out of the water. Swimming and boating are not allowed and are not safe in the lakes.

## Jack's Corner

May is time for warm, sunny days to go play in the dirt. Plant hot weather-loving annuals, such as marigolds, zinnias, salvia, lantana and verbena, to get you started.

If you are planting tomatoes this season, be sure to keep them on a regular watering and fertilizing schedule for a bountiful harvest throughout the summer. Along with tomatoes, herbs are a great way to save money on your grocery bill. Try planting mint, oregano, rosemary, thyme and basil, just to name a few. Food tastes better when prepared with fresh herbs from your own garden. Plant them in the garden or in containers, but remember herbs do not like a lot of water. Be sure to harvest your herbs early in the morning while the oil is at its peak for the best flavor.

Now is a great time to plant summer vegetables, including okra, pumpkin, sweet potato, eggplant peppers, green beans and watermelon.

Plant long-blooming perennials like daylilies, coneflowers, balloon flowers and shasta daisies. For bright flowers the entire summer, try tropical vines at your mailboxes; climbing clematis, mandevilla or bougainvillea will add a lot of color to your garden.

Fertilize roses and azaleas this month to encourage a second bloom and continue feeding them on schedule throughout the month of June. Eliminate weeds by using weed killer on lawns only if temperature is above 70 degrees.

Shield yourself from the sun. Make sure to wear a wide-brimmed hat and apply sunscreen when playing in the dirt. Skin cancer is very dangerous.

Drive hummingbirds crazy with Miss Huff lantana. Hummingbirds will go crazy for this plant so place it under feeders to give these tiny birds a special treat. In fact, fill feeders with a variety of different seed to attract a variety of birds. Create a nest kit for the birds by filling an empty suet feeder with nesting material, such as yarn, hair and lint from the dryer.

Happy Gardening!

Jack Holloway, Master Gardener

### Welcome to WindStone

Bob and Tina Yarger – 1900 Windstone Drive  
 Donald Whitlow – 9441 Lazy Circles Drive  
 Jerry and Michelle Eades – 132 Woodpecker Pl\*  
 \*Moved from within WindStone



### NOTICES AND REMINDERS

- **PARKING** – Parking on the streets in WindStone is not allowed. All vehicles must be routinely parked either in the garage or on the driveway.
- **HOME IMPROVEMENTS** – All exterior modifications and improvements to your home or property must first be approved by the Architectural Review Committee prior to work commencing. The ARB modification application can be found online at [www.windstonehoa.org](http://www.windstonehoa.org) or by calling the WindStone office at 706-937-8846.