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HAPPY HOLIDAYS....

Hi All,

Just wanted to announce our new Communications Director, Newsletter Chair and new 2013 Member of the Board, Marilyn Schaefer. Marilyn will be preparing the Windermere Newsletter beginning January/2013 and I encourage you to provide her with any information you believe residents might like or give her your input via newsletter@windermerylakes.net on what you would like to see in our newsletter. Marilyn is a very experienced writer and will do a great job on our newsletter.

Marilyn will be providing some more information on herself and husband, Rich in the January 2013 newsletter. Marilyn and Rich have only lived here a short time but immediately wanted to jump in and get involved with our beautiful neighborhood. Thank you Marilyn for making a great contribution to our Yard of the Month photos and articles.

Due to business commitments, I did not run for re-election this year. I want to take this time to say thank you to all those I served on the Board with for mentoring me and helping me understand how our neighborhood runs and especially the expense involved with a beautiful neighborhood like ours.

Please welcome your new 2013 Board Members, Raj Amin, Sreehari Gorantla, Jonathan Fowler, Aaron Duhon and Marilyn Schaefer.

A special 'Thank You' goes out to those Board Members expiring and not running for re-election... Kevin Swicegood, Gerri Rougeau-Eubank, Kevin McClard. Your contributions and involvement with Windermere are greatly appreciated.

Happy Holidays and a very Happy New Year to all our Windermere residents. It has been a pleasure to work on your behalf and we appreciate all the friendships made over the past years.

Your Neighbor,
Gerri Rougeau-Eubank
(and the Outgoing Board Members)

Holiday Decorating Contest



It is quickly becoming that time of year again to decorate our homes for the Christmas holidays and family festivities! We will have the Second Annual Windermere Lakes Holiday Lights Decorating Contest which will judge the homes (front and/or back) in our neighborhood. Final judging will occur on the weekend of December 17th (Saturday).

Winners will receive:

1st Place Prize - \$150.00 Gift Card

2nd Place Prize - \$100.00 Gift Card

3rd Place Prize - \$75.00 Gift Card

Those that are interested in participating, be sure to have all your decorating done by December 15th and your lights on and ready for judges final review on Saturday, December 16th!

Send us any of your nominations to www.windermerylakes.net so we can be sure not to miss anyone that you especially want us to review.

This judging is a fun thing to do (it is also very difficult deciding who wins!) so, if you'd like to join in on the committee, please let us know!

Happy Decorating!!

Judy Maze

Landscape Committee

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Thieves are more likely to run away if you have something that scares them off. Lights and Sirens are the most obvious thing they run from.

There are so many new and easy to use products now to help protect ourselves.

Basic critical and easy to install items that every house should have:

- Motion Sensor Lights outside where windows & doors could be accessed.
- Motion Sensor sirens inside that can be set like an alarm when you leave – or simply plugged in to any outlet.

Not so basic – but very effective items you should consider:

- Home alarm system – monitored or not – to set off a siren. There are some very cheap wireless alarm systems you can install yourself now. They are very easy.
- Garage Door Openers that close by themselves if you leave them open. Sears has them and I use them – they are very cool because I always forget to close my garage.
- Cameras with a Recorder – they may scare them off – but they are not as effective as a loud siren.



Teenage Job Seekers

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The Teenage Job Seekers listing service is offered free of charge to all Windermere Lakes teenagers seeking work. Submit your name and information to newsletter@windmerelakes.net by the 9th of the month!

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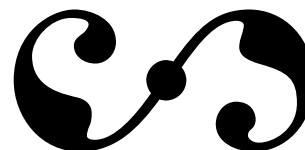


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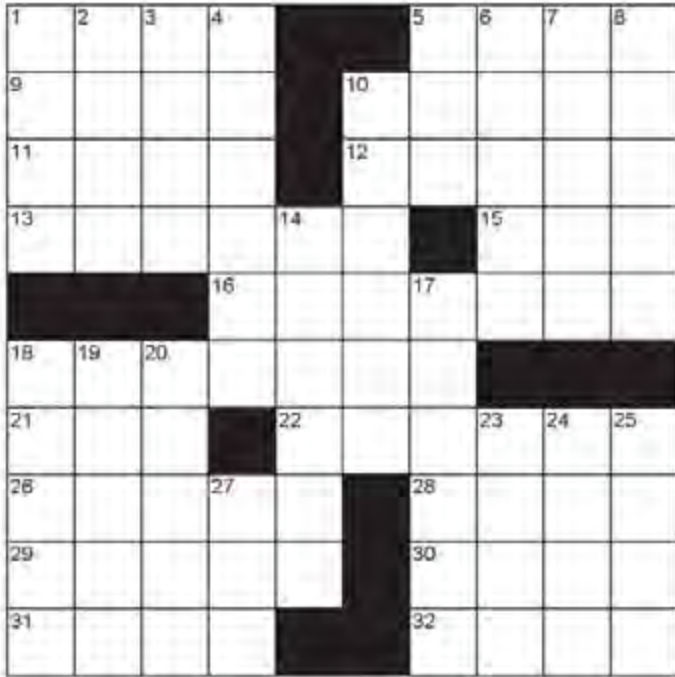


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5. Dress
9. Time periods
10. Satan
11. Tap in lightly
12. Adult insect
13. Prioress
15. Today
16. Chapel
18. 10,000 squared meters
21. Cutting tool
22. Scents
26. Small herring
28. Two
29. Fish tank dweller
30. Volcano
31. Otherwise
32. Hold

DOWN

1. Soft white cheese
2. Arabian
3. Mutton
4. Facet
5. Jewel
6. ___-garde
7. Severity
8. Wispy
10. Render harmless
14. Soft drink brand
17. Lacked
18. Hurry
19. Deport
20. Tic tac's competitor
23. Pear shaped instrument
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25. Close the door hard
27. Be

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