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### **HOA INFORMATION**

#### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

- President Raj Amin
- Vice President Aaron Duhon
- Treasurer Jose Villegas
- Secretary Hema Verma
- Director Kenneth Meyers

#### FIRSTSERVICE RESIDENTIAL TEAM

- Community Manager Jennifer Meador
- Service Specialist Andjela Tomic
- Contact us at 713-932-1122 or email Jennifer.Meador@fsresidential.com or Andjela.Tomic@fsresidential.com

#### **COMMITTEES**

- Security Ken Meyers\James Peiffer
- Lakes Aaron Duhon
- Landscape Aaron Duhon
- Pool Jose Vellagas\Lu Harrison
- Clubhouse Lu Harrison\Trung Nguyen
- Social Events Hema Verma
- Architectural Nick Nguyen
- Gym Pushpa\Arun Prakash

### **IMPORTANT NUMBERS**

#### **EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

Emergency/Ambulance	911
Fire Dept	
Sheriff's Dept.	713-221-6000

#### **NON-EMERGENCY NUMBERS**

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Center Point (Street Lights)	713-207-2222
EDP Water - Mud #29	832-467-1599
Library	281-890-2665
Post Office	
Waste Management/Trash	713-686-666

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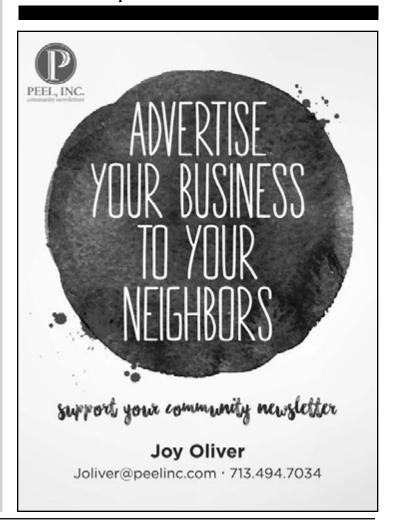
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# **Community Permits and Tags**

#### **Fishing Tags**

Each residence shall be given two orange Fishing Tags that must be carried at all times when fishing off public docks in our community. Police do not know who lives here and are instructed to stop and check at random for Orange Fishing permits that show you are a resident of Windermere Lakes. NO TAG=NO FISHING. If caught without a fishing tag, you will be asked to stop fishing immediately and return home to retrieve your fishing tag.

#### **Fishing License Permits**

Windermere Lakes is considered a private lake operating under the guidance and jurisdiction of the Wildlife and Fisheries Department and because of this your "Fishing License" must be current. You can be fined if caught fishing off public or personal docks without a current license.

#### **Parking Tags**

Each car that is parked in the Windermere Lakes Community must have a Round Parking Permit on: Back windshield- middle top position of the car. This allows patrolling officers to know if a strange car is in our community. If checked the cars must be registered at your address as the owner and operator.

#### **Boat Tags**

Boat Tags are very important as many times boats become untied and float off to other areas of the lake. Lake rules imply that if a boat is found, it is kept for 30 days. If not claimed by its owner, the boat will be considered free property. Same rules apply to boats that are left to sink, damaged or deserted.

Missing your Boat? Post it on NextDoor!



Windermere Verus

# TEXAS A&M AGRILIFE EXTENSION MOSQUITO REPELLENTS

As mosquito season is ramping up, everyone is (hopefully) aware of possible disease transmission by mosquitoes. It is important that you protect yourself when spending time outside.

Activity times for mosquitoes can vary. Most people are familiar with the four D's- DRAIN (standing water), DEET (wear some repellent), DUSK & DAWN (stay indoors during dusk and dawn to avoid peak populations) and DRESS (wear long sleeves and long pants). While this is still good advice, it may be a good idea to spread the dress and repellent advice for anytime you spend time outdoors.

When outside, wear long pants and a long sleeved shirt in light colors to reduce the number of mosquitoes that can reach your skin. Repellent should only be applied to clothing and exposed skin. Do not apply repellent underneath clothing! If you want to apply repellent to your face, spray your hands with repellent and rub it onto your face. Do not spray repellent directly into your face or near eyes or mouth. Make sure to apply repellent outdoors. Do not allow children to handle repellents. Wash hands before eating, smoking or using the restroom.

The Center for Disease Control (CDC) recommends using a product registered with the EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) containing one of the following active ingredients: DEET, picaridin, IR3535 and some of the products containing oil of lemon eucalyptus.

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DEET, also known N,N-diethyl-m-toluamide or N,N-diemethylbenzamide, was developed by the U.S. Army in 1946 to protect soldiers in insect-infested areas. Pesticides containing DEET have been used by the general public since 1957. Products containing DEET should not be used on children younger than 2 months of age (read the label and check with your pediatrician if you have questions). DEET has a slight odor and may have a greasy feel to some people. It may damage plastic, rubber, vinyl or synthetic fabrics. DEET may be irritating to the eyes and skin for some people. DEET comes in a wide variety of concentrations, so choose the one that will work best for your situation.

Picaridin was first made in the 1980's and resembles a natural compound called piperine (which is found in plants used to produce black pepper). Picardin has been used in Europe and Australia for many years, but has only been in the U.S. since 2005. Picaridin is non-greasy and is odorless.

IR-3535, or 3-[N-Butyl-N- acetyl]-aminopropionic acid, ethyl ester, was developed in the mid- 1970's and became registered for use in the U.S. in 1999. It is registered as a biopesticide by the EPA because it is functionally identical to a naturally occurring substance (an amino-acid). It may dissolve or damage plastics and may be irritating to the eyes.

Oil of lemon eucalyptus (OLE) or PMD (para-menthane-3,8-diol) are essentially the same thing; PMD is the synthesized (lab created) version of oil of lemon eucalyptus. "Pure" or "essential" oil of lemon eucalyptus is not labeled as a repellent and has not undergone testing and should not be used as a repellent product. OLE/PMD has been on the market in the U.S. since 2002. OLE/PMD should not be used on children younger than 3 years of age. The natural product (OLE) has known allergens within it while the synthetic version (PMD) has less of a risk to allergens. This product is classified as a biopesticide. OLE/PMD has a varying range of residual, some offering about 20 minutes of protection while other products may last up to two hours.

Many factors play into how long a repellent will last for a person.

#### Some of these are:

- The concentration (or percent of active ingredient) of the product. You can find the percentage on the product label.
- Person's attractiveness. Some people are more attractive to mosquitoes than others (and no scientific research has proven that it is because of eating garlic, taking vitamin B, using tobacco products, etc.). A person's genetic code plays a large part on what makes a person so attractive to mosquitoes.
- Frequency and uniformity of application. In other words, how often is the repellent applied and how good of coverage did you get?
- Activity level of the person. The more active the person is, the more sweat they produce which can cause the repellent to wash off the surface of the skin.

As a word of caution, there are products that combine sunscreen and insect repellent. The CDC recommends that if you need sunscreen and repellent, that you choose two separate products. Sunscreen should be applied more often than repellents.

For more information or help with identification, contact Wizzie Brown, Texas AgriLife Extension Service Program Specialist at 512.854.9600. Check out my blog at www.urban-ipm.blogspot.com

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# DON'T FORGET TO USE THE **NEW PET WASTE STATIONS** LOCATED IN WINDERMERE LAKES!

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Thank you and happy dog walking!



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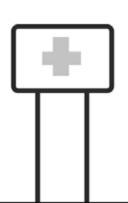
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