2010 has been an exciting year for Wynlakes. At the first of the year, the HOA purchased a new car for Security and dedicated time and money to improving the working conditions for our guards. In the spring, we realized we had a serious problem with our weir dams off Wynlakes Blvd; the flood of 2009 had destroyed the infrastructure and we could no longer patch the problem. We hired an engineer and a construction company to repair both dams for a cost of $90,000.

In July, we implemented Resolution 18 to stop the insidious spread of black bags and piles of debris on our streets. Since that time, there has been a noticeable improvement, particularly, on Wynlakes Blvd and Lakeridge, our two main streets. We hope everyone will take advantage of the free weeks we are offering in the spring and fall. If you have received a letter in error, please give us a call and we can quickly take care of the problem.

The Fall allowed us time to do some small projects such as planting flowers and moving others around. Also, some of our shrubs are overgrown and need replaced. We have plans for the Spring to use more perennials and less annuals. Also, we added a small bridge to one of the islands off Lakeridge, which will allow the area to be mowed and landscaped.

Furthermore, we are planning to complete several other projects this winter. We need to replace some of our stop signs and straighten several of our street lights. We also plan to order some decorations in the Spring for the winter holidays. Our holiday decorations are very old and held together by wishes and electrical tape.

It is a testament to the Board and their wise decisions that we managed to slide through the recession without raising dues and still have kept Wynlakes a beautiful and safe place to live and raise a family.

From the Board of Directors, HOA staff, and Security staff -

HAVE A WONDERFUL AND SAFE NEW YEAR!
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- Linda Morgan ~ 2
- Susan Burchis ~ 3
- Lindsay Ward ~ 3
- Carolyn Brown ~ 6
- Bennie Dukes ~ 7
- Savannah Phillips ~ 7
- Adeline McCullough ~ 13
- Lynne Irwin ~ 22
- Jennifer Van Arken ~ 22
- Shirley Rose ~ 22
- Catherine Cowden ~ 26

February
- Jonathan Capouya ~ 13
- Alexandra Phillips ~ 15
- Jeff Johnston ~ 26
- Rick Neal ~ 28
- Frances Berryman ~ 6
- Linda Harruff ~ 15
- Gracie Hanchrow ~ 22
- Renea Johnston ~ 23
- Larry Schoudel ~ 31

March
- Sally Allen ~ 1
- Kelly Capouya ~ 2
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2011 Resolutions:
- Eat well
- Exercise more
- Get all medical test required and a flu shot
- Decide what is really important
- Enjoy life
- Laugh more
- And remember chocolate is good for you!

Play Equipment
Please remember at this time of year to call the office before you install large play equipment even in the backyard. No one wants to look out from their patio to see the top of some large jungle gym or painted fort rising over the back fence. Resolution #16 states: All play equipment shall be located where it will have minimum visual impact to adjacent properties. So please be a consid- erate neighbor and think about the placement of such equipment before it is installed.
ARE YOU GUILTY?

Do you...

- Leave wallets, purses, cell phones, laptop tops, packages or guns in full view in your vehicle?
- Leave garage doors open during the day and at night?
- Leave exterior doors unlocked?
- Fail to cancel newspaper delivery when away for a few days or weeks?
- Fail to notify Security staff when away on vacation?

If you are guilty, you are putting yourself, your family, your home and your vehicle at risk as these carelessness mistakes are an open invitation to criminals. Please protect your property, your home and your vehicles by *not* doing the things listed above.

PETS

As pet owners, we need to always remember our responsibilities to the pet and our neighbors. A well-trained pet is a welcome addition to the neighborhood. Some responsibilities of pet ownership include *not* allowing them to bark excessively, walking them on a leash, and picking up after them when out for a walk. If you have an invisible fence, please be aware if your pet is charging the fence. Since we have many residents who walk or jog in the neighborhood, it can be frightening when a dog charges the fence or runs toward them. If these rules are followed, there should be a decrease in the number of complaints received by the HOA office and Wynlakes will be a pleasant place to live.

DUES

Invoices for dues are mailed twice a year *ONLY*: in December for January and in June for July. The first delinquent letter will be mailed February 1 as a reminder. The second letter, mailed February 15, states the bill must be paid *in full within 10 days* or be forwarded to our attorney for collection on March 1. The home owner is responsible for all attorney and court fees. Currently, we have 21 people living in Wynlakes that owe the HOA approximately $34,000.00. Some are in bankruptcy and others in denial. Be aware that we aggressively pursue all avenues to receive the money owed the Association.

REMINDER

All exterior work on a house must be approved *before* work begins. You may obtain a Modification Request form from our website: www.wynlakeshoa.com or pick up one at the HOA office.

NEW HOURS FOR THE HOA OFFICE

Effective the 1st of October 2010, the HOA office will be open from 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM Monday–Thursday. On Fridays, we will close at 12:00. We are closed on all federal holidays; however, Security is manned 24 hours a day and can reach us in case of an emergency.

Mailboxes

If you have a problem with your mailbox, or if it is damaged and needs to be replaced, please call Walter Vest at 334-657-5215. Mr. Vest of Quality Mailboxes will handle all of your mailbox problems. The HOA will no longer provide or replace mailboxes.

***RESOLUTION #18 MORATORIUM***

In July 2010 when Resolution #18 became effective, we promised that there would be a fall and spring moratorium on bags and debris at the curbside. Residents may place bags, tree trimmings, etc. at the curbside during the period of April 1 through April 18, 2011 without penalty.

A Neighborhood Rep. Meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 8, 2011 at 6:00 PM at the Wynlakes Golf and Country Club.
Neighborhood Representatives:
Are the persons you elect to vote for you on issues that pertain to your home and your neighborhood. They meet four times a year, usually, at the Club in the evening. The Board of Directors and the HOA staff briefed them on the happenings in Wynlakes and future projects. These people are your voice. If you are not sure who your Rep is, please call the office at 215-4452 and we will be happy to tell you. We are missing a Primary Rep in District 9C that includes Winfield Court and Winfield Place. If you live in this area and would like to volunteer, please call the HOA.

Runners
With the increased amount of traffic in Wynlakes, running in the street is virtually taking your life in your hands. We continue to get complaints about almost hitting a runner in the street. Drivers cannot see you. The sun is in their eyes or they come around a corner and you are there, etc...... Please keep this in mind when you run/walk/jog in the street. Remember it is against the state ordinances to run or jog in the street.

Holiday Decorations
We have noticed in the past year an alarming trend of leaving holiday decorations up past the time for them to be displayed. We have received numerous complaints about this practice. While we encourage holiday decorations, please remember to remove them after the season is over. Wynlakes is a diverse community and as such, we have many different religions and cultures. We need to respect that and remove seasonal decorations after the season has past. If you wish any decoration to become a permanent part of your landscape, then a modification request must be submitted for approval.

Tired of painting?
Try maintenance free vinyl wrapping on the eaves and overhang of your home! Even on close inspection, it is difficult to tell this is not wood. Many homes in Wynlakes are now sporting this new look.

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Vista vinyl replacement windows improve U & R values which lowers your heating bills. They also reduce transmission of UV light which is responsible for fading drapes and furniture. Plus they now come in twelve colors and four wood grains.
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