



# Reflections



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nutcracker Market Resident Trip, *November 10th*
- Riverstone Tree Lighting, *November 16th*
- Holiday Market, *November 17th*

## HAPPY Thanksgiving

### The Club at Riverstone Holiday Hours

The Clubhouse will be closed Thursday, November 23rd and Friday, November 24th in observance of the Thanksgiving Holiday.

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# COMMUNITY INFORMATION

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## SERVICES THE HOA CAN PROVIDE REMOTELY

*We are pleased to say that nearly all of the services the HOA provides are available remotely. Contact us via email or phone with any questions or concerns. We are here to help!*

Residents can always email us for any of the following:

- New Requests or Updates to your Gate Access (operations@riverstone.com)
- New ARC Applications or questions about an existing Application (ARCModification@riverstone.com)
- Payment Plan Requests for delinquent Assessments (finance@riverstone.com)
- New Resident Set Up (customercare@riverstone.com)
- All other General Questions can always be sent to customercare@riverstone.com and we will help to the best of our ability!

## NEW HOMEOWNERS NEEDING AMENITY CARDS

*Welcome to Riverstone!* To have amenity cards made for you, please email us the following:

1. Completed amenity card form (found at [www.riverstone.com](http://www.riverstone.com))
2. Deed or closing disclosure

3. Individual headshot pictures of each resident over the age of 5. Please label each photo with their name and date of birth.

4. Proof of identification (State ID, Driver's License, passport, etc) for all residents over the age of 18.

5. Anyone over the age of 18 whose name is not listed on the deed will need to provide additional proof of residence. Examples of acceptable Proof of Residency may include car insurance, utility bill, cell phone bill, etc. and must include the resident's name and current home address.

Each account will receive up to 3 adult amenity cards and at no charge. Each additional adult amenity card after the first 3 cards is \$15.00.

## REPLACING A LOST AMENITY CARD

*The replacement of lost Amenity Cards is available for \$15 each.*

If you need a replacement Amenity Card, please complete the credit card form found on our website ([www.riverstone.com](http://www.riverstone.com)) and email it to us at customercare@riverstone.com. Please also include your home address and a headshot picture labeled with your name and date of birth.

Printed Amenity Cards are available via no-contact pick up at our office, or can be mailed to your home.

## 2023 Annual Assessments

**2023 Annual Assessment Rate . . . \$1,208**

Some homes have additional Neighborhood and/or Lake Assessments in addition to the general Annual Assessment. Contact us at [finance@riverstone.com](mailto:finance@riverstone.com) for more info on Neighborhood or Lake Assessments.

## HOA Board of Directors



**Trey Reichert**  
*President*



**Ning Kang**  
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**Rob Thompson**  
*Resident*



## Streetlight Out?

Contact Centerpoint Energy for repair of streetlights that are not working:  
**713.207.2222** phone, **713.207.9760** fax or  
[www.centerpointenergy.com/outage](http://www.centerpointenergy.com/outage)

Remember to obtain the 6 digit pole number along with the closest physical address to the street light that is not working. This will allow for faster repair. Please report all 3-digit decorative street light outages to Riverstone HOA 281.778.2222

## Want to Advertise in the Newsletter?

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# HOA CORNER

## Annual Assessments

*With the end of the year fast approaching, we want to send out a reminder to be on the lookout for the 2024 Annual Assessment information that will be arriving in your mailboxes this month.* If you have any changes to your mailing address, please contact us no later than Friday, November 3rd, or log on to your resident portal to update your account. As a reminder, your Annual Assessments are due on January 1, 2024 and late after January 31, 2024. Please be sure to take advantage of your Resident Portal for online payments! Visit the portal at <https://www.riverstone.com/residentsaccountportal> to login and make your payment electronically. E-check payments are FREE! There is a small charge for debit card payments (\$5 flat fee) and credit card payments (3% surcharge). If you've never logged in before, you'll find your account number on your statement (it starts with 1004). If you have not received your statement by Monday, December 11th,



or if you have any questions about your 2024 Annual Assessment, please contact Mariona at [finance@riverstone.com](mailto:finance@riverstone.com) or 281.778.2995. *We're here to help!*

## Holiday Compliance Reminders

*The holidays can be a joyous time of family gatherings and cheer.* Decorations are a fun and beautiful way to celebrate the season, from wreaths, tinsel, and colorful lights to Frosty the Snowman and Santa's reindeer. While the Association enjoys seeing the holiday spirit being displayed as much as anyone else, we would like to send a friendly reminder to all residents to adhere to the deed restrictions when decorating the exterior of your homes. Per the deed restrictions: "Customary seasonal decorations for national holidays are permitted for a maximum of twelve (12) days or thirty (30) days,



in the case of Christmas, subject to the right of the Residential ARC to specify a maximum size and other guidelines for decorations." All holiday décor must be removed on or before January 25th. The Riverstone Compliance Department also encourages all residents to take a few minutes and look over their property for any potential Deed Restriction issue that may result in a violation. Even during the colder months, weeds, mildew, and other problems may arise on your property.

*The Compliance Department would like to wish everyone Happy Holidays!!*



# NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

## New Amenities in the New Year

## Tennis Pro Shop

*We are thrilled to announce that the highly anticipated Tennis Pro Shop adjacent to The Club at Riverstone Tennis Courts is beginning to take shape!*

This month, crews will break ground for this new venue, which, when completed, will feature a retail shop, social event space, and offices for coaches and staff.

The planned opening of the Tennis Pro Shop (Spring 2024) will mark a major milestone for Riverstone, giving residents more options and new benefits that few community associations can match.

The Tennis Pro Shop will be more than a retail destination. In addition to providing curated merchandise and sports necessities, the pro shop will feature member-focused amenities, including ball machine rental and racket stringing services available only to residents and their guests. The pro shop is sure to become a favorite gathering spot for players and non-players alike!

We are excited at the approval of our Tennis Pro Shop! Residents will be able to try the latest tennis rackets and use the ball machines,

said Riverstone Tennis Director Giorgio Botto. We'll also see the benefit of better regulating daily court management, mentioned Riverstone Tennis Pro Wayne Rollock.

Please excuse our mess during the building process and do not enter the gated construction area. Be mindful of heavy-duty commercial vehicles when visiting The Club at Riverstone or adjoining amenities.



We anticipate normal operations at The Club at Riverstone Tennis Courts to be unaffected by the pro shop's development.

We are excited for the Riverstone residents to utilize this facility! Once completed, the new pro shop will present new opportunities to grow participation and enhance the caliber of Riverstone's racquet sports offerings.

## Sheriff's Corner



*The Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office urges both drivers and pedestrians to exercise caution in response to an increase in auto-pedestrian incidents.*

In Fort Bend County, Texas crash records for 2023 indicate the number of accidents involving motor vehicles and pedestrians has more than doubled, increasing from 14 incidents in August to 27 in September.

This is a significant fourfold increase compared to the 6 incidents reported in July.

Similarly, crashes involving motor vehicles and pedal cyclists have seen an uptick. In July, two such incidents were reported, while September saw a surge to 12. In August, three auto-pedal cyclist crashes were reported in Fort Bend County.

In response to the increase, the Fort Bend County Sheriff's Office urges all road users to play their part in reducing these incidents on Texas roadways. Drivers are especially urged to exercise heightened vigilance in areas that witness heavy foot traffic from children. The following guidelines are provided for the safety of both drivers and pedestrians.

### For Drivers

**Exercise Caution:** Reduce your speed, maintain vigilant awareness, and prepare to come to a complete stop when approaching a crosswalk.

**Stay Alert:** Pay close attention to your surroundings, adhere to all traffic signs and signals, and actively avoid distractions while driving.

**Yield to Pedestrians:** Always prioritize the safety of pedestrians in crosswalks by yielding the right-of-way and refrain from passing a vehicle stopped at a crosswalk.

**Know the Law:** Texas drivers should also be aware of the Lisa Torry Smith Act, which amended section 544.007 of the Texas Transportation Code. It requires drivers to stop and yield the right of way to pedestrians or cyclists lawfully in the intersection or an adjacent crosswalk. An offense under the Lisa Torry Smith Act is a Class A misdemeanor, except in the case that the pedestrian or cyclist suffers serious bodily injury. In that event, the offense is a state jail felony.

### For Pedestrians

**Stop and Look:** Before entering a crosswalk, pause and carefully scan for approaching vehicles. Make sure it's safe to cross.

**Stay Alert:** When walking, put away electronics that take your eyes and ears off the road.

**Assist Children:** If you have younger children with you, guide them safely through the crosswalks, ensuring they understand the importance of looking out for vehicles.

*"Stay vigilant, stay safe," said Sheriff Eric Fagan. "By following these guidelines, both drivers and pedestrians can contribute to safer crosswalk experiences for everyone."*

# YOUR RIVERSTONE HOA

## Fresh Faces on the Compliance Team

*We've got some fresh faces on our compliance team. Stop by the office and say, "Hi"—they are ready to answer any questions you may have!*



MELISSA  
ZAVALA-ARROCHA-  
*Compliance Coordinator*

Melissa isn't a new face, but she has a new role. Some of you may remember seeing her smiling face at the front desk, helping residents with their amenity cards and EZ tags. Recently, she was promoted to Compliance Coordinator, where she handles pool inspections and Certificates of Compliance. Melissa loves the people she works with because everyone is dedicated to making our community the best it can be. Two fun facts about Melissa are that she loves Eeyore and used to run cross country. She is the mother of four beautiful children and wife to a handsome firefighter/engineer operator. She loves spending time with her family, cooking, and watching Harry Potter movies.



ELISA MALDONADO  
*Compliance Coordinator*

Elisa was promoted to Compliance Coordinator in March. Previously, she was our Compliance Administrative Assistant. She handles property management for our community. She loves helping our residents and getting to know them, and her goal is to be a resource for them. She considers herself hardworking, dependable, helpful, outgoing, honest, and cooperative. We agree. Elisa's favorite color is pink, and she loves crafting because she gets to make things she can be proud of. When Elisa isn't helping our residents, she spends time with her husband and children. Movie nights are among their favorite ways to spend time together.



ERICA AGUIRRE  
*Compliance Administrative Assistant*

Erica has a background as an architectural assistant at First Colony HOA, which has made her an asset to our residents as she helps them navigate the submittal process for any and all residential exterior home improvement applications. She wants residents to know they are not alone. She will provide them with the information they need to make the process easy. One thing people might not know about her is that she is a part-time comedian. Erica also loves to cook. When she isn't helping residents, Erica spends time with her niece. She loves spending time outdoors and doing any activities that keep her moving.

# IN YOUR COMMUNITY

## Riverstone Business Spotlight

*Love deep dish Chicago-style pizza? You're in luck. Rosati's Pizza Sugar Land just opened in Riverstone.*

Riverstone residents Ayodeji and Ome Ayemere opened the restaurant in September. Ayodeji discovered the franchise pizzeria after visiting a Houston franchise show in 2021.

"After tasting the Rosati Pizza, I found out it was different from all other pizza known to me," he said. "Hence my decision to franchise with them. I fell in love with the taste and quality of the pizza."

The couple chose to open the business in their home community because they realized there wasn't a Chicago-style pizza restaurant in the area.

Rosati's Pizza was founded in 1964. The family-owned business prides itself on serving Italian recipes passed down through generations of Rosatis.

"We are different because everything is handmade," Ayemere said. "From the dough we make to our sauces—everything is made fresh daily."

Chicago-style or "deep dish" pizza features a crust that is at least one inch deep, allowing room for extra sauce and topping. Rosati's is known for its chunky tomato sauce derived from a secret family recipe.

In addition to traditional deep dish, customers can choose thin, stuffed, double dough or gluten-free crusts. A variety of toppings are available for those that enjoy building their own or there is a selection of specialty pizzas.

The restaurant also serves up classic Italian dishes such as chicken parmesan, baked lasagna and cheese ravioli as well as ribs, salads, sandwiches and desserts.

"Our customers' favorites are the Chicago-style deep dish pizza, our thin crust veggie pizza and most especially our Italian beef sandwich dipped Chicago-style," Ayemere said.

Ayemere said that business has been good and the community supportive.

"Rosati's Pizza Sugar Land is a place they can come to any time as a family to have a decent lunch or dinner," he said. "On weekends, they can catch live football games while enjoying the best of Chicago-style pizza, as well as Italian dishes and Chicago-style sandwiches."

Rosati's Pizza Sugar Land is located at 18802 University Boulevard. For more information, visit [www.myrosatis.com/sugarland](http://www.myrosatis.com/sugarland) or phone them at 832.944.5030.



# IN YOUR COMMUNITY

## Fort Bend County Nonprofit Spotlight

*Adoption can be a difficult process—more so if your family doesn't fit the narrow set of criteria most agencies have in place. Family to Family Adoptions is different. They work hard to broaden access to adoption for those who wish to expand their family.*

Family to Family Adoptions is a nationwide non-profit adoption agency committed to providing safe and successful semi-open adoptions. It was founded by Debbie and Maxine Seiler; starting the agency was Maxine's idea.

"She was conducting home study reports for people trying to adopt and she saw firsthand how they were being discriminated against," said Debbie Seiler. "Discrimination included religion, race, income, religion, sexual orientation, marital status, etc. Maxine decided there needed to be an agency that did not discriminate against people just because they didn't fit a certain mold."

The organization received their child-placing agency license in 2001. Prospective parents are allowed to adopt if they do not have a criminal record, and they are able to meet the emotional, financial, physical and spiritual needs of a child.

In addition to working with prospective parents, Family to Family works with the birth mothers.

"We help them with adequate housing, proper nutrition, transportation to and from medical appointments and grocery shopping," Debbie said. "We also purchase maternity clothing and provide them with counseling prior to the birth and after the birth of the baby."

They also have a state-approved fund that is used to help birth mothers earn an education so they can afford to keep their next baby and support them adequately.

Birth mothers prepare an adoption plan detailing the birth family's medical history, their budget during the pregnancy, their future plans



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after the birth of the baby and the amount of contact they would like after the birth of the baby.

Prospective parents must fill out an application, complete a home study with a social worker and pass background checks. Once that is completed, they pay an initial adoption fee and prepare a profile book that is a mini scrapbook of their lives. That information is used to match

prospective parents with birth mothers.

"We show those profiles to prospective birth mothers who match the birth mother's criteria of what she is looking for in an adoptive family," Debbie said. "Sometimes that is geography, religion, if the family has other children, etc. We like the adoptive family to attend doctor's appointments if they can and to be present for the birth of their child, if possible."

The organization also provides services for families seeking licensure

for traditional foster care, foster to adopt, kinship placements, fictive kin placements, respite providers and legally free placements.

While prospective parents are charged an adoption fee, Family to Family accepts donations that are used for the educational fund, to help birth parents and foster care parents purchase school clothes and school supplies for their children and to help birth parents and foster care parents purchase Christmas presents for their children.

Debbie would like people to know that they are there to help families.

"We help the children, birth parents and foster care parents in our county and surrounding counties," she said. "We strive to enable them to be able to earn a decent living so they can afford to keep their next baby. We are here to answer any questions they may have. We will help in any way we can."

To learn more about Family to Family Adoptions please visit [www.fam2fam.org](http://www.fam2fam.org).

# HEALTH AND FITNESS



**Lindsay Marsh**  
281.778.2006

## The CLUB at RIVERSTONE Fitness Center

### Gym Hours

**Mon-Thurs: 5am-9pm**

**Fri: 5am-8pm**

**Sat: 8am-5pm**

**Sun: 10am-5pm**



## FRESH CRANBERRY SAUCE RECIPE

What's deliciously sweet, eye-catching, and the ultimate Thanksgiving dinner condiment? Cranberry sauce, of course! Check out this quick and easy recipe from the kitchen of NASM Certified Nutrition Specialist and Riverstone Personal Trainer Kaja Zdilar.

### Ingredients

- 1 bag fresh cranberries
- 2.5 cups frozen dark cherries
- 1-2 oranges (based on preference)
- 2 tbs orange zest
- One half cup OJ (or water)
- 1 tbs vanilla
- 2-3 tbs sugar or 1 tbs Stevia

1. Zest, then peel and chop oranges into small pieces.
2. Combine all ingredients into a pot.
3. Cover & bring to a simmer, then keep it at medium heat.
4. Stir occasionally until sauce reaches the desired consistency (approx. 15 mins).



## NOVEMBER FITNESS SCHEDULE

**Zumba**—Zumba combines Latin and international music to create a fun and effective workout system. Come join the party!

**Tuesdays 6–6:45pm—The Ballroom at the Club at Riverstone**

**SCULPT & Tone**—This low-impact workout works to strengthen and tone muscles. This format is perfect for all fitness levels!

**Wednesdays 8:30–9:30am—The Ballroom at the Club at Riverstone**

**Yoga**—This flow yoga will focus on strengthening, lengthening, and stretching through a creative series of poses.

**Thursdays 6:00–7:00pm—The Ballroom at the Club at Riverstone**

**Reserve your spot in the Riverstone App under Fitness Classes. No guests are allowed to attend the complimentary fitness classes.**



## NOVEMBER POP-UP EVENTS

**Bollywood Dance Workshop**—Riverstone's own RB's Bollywood Dance owner, Richa, will join us at The Club at Riverstone for a high-energy evening of Bollywood dance! We learn the choreography together as we enjoy dancing with fellow neighbors.

**Sunday, November 5th • 5:30–7:00pm—The Ballroom at the Club at Riverstone**



## SPECIALIZED SMALL GROUP TRAINING

**Stay fit through the holidays with small group specialized training!**

**Pilates & Barre Specialized Training—Holiday Edition**

Riverstone Trainer Kaja invites you to join this small group training in November & December on Monday and Friday mornings for a fun and interactive full-body workout series, where we'll push your fitness goals beyond the barre! These workouts focus on low-impact, specialized movements that strengthen and tone your entire body. This class will help you discover how these



simple techniques work and feel the benefits of a full-body workout.

**The holiday schedule will be published on the Riverstone app.**

Contact Lindsay at [FitnessDirector@Riverstone.com](mailto:FitnessDirector@Riverstone.com) for more information and to sign up!

**Mondays & Fridays**

**November & December Session price: \$135.00 Per Participant (\$25 discount!)**

**November & December Half Session price: \$70.00 per participant**



# TENNIS

## Riverstone's Tennis Professionals



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## Junior Tennis

- Fall Junior Tennis runs from August 14th through December 16th.
- Fall Session 4 runs from November 6th through December 16th (5 weeks), resident cost \$95.
- All registrations are done through the Riverstone app.
- There will be no tennis classes scheduled from November 20th through November 25th due to the Thanksgiving holiday.

## Adult Tennis Classes

- Beginner/Advanced Beginner Tuesdays, 8:00pm–9:00pm.
- Intermediate/Advanced Intermediate Mondays, 8:00pm–9:00pm.
- Cost is \$76 per person for the session (4 weeks) or \$20 for drop-in.
- Registration required.

## Racket Stringing Services

Riverstone now offers racket stringing through our Tennis Professional Giorgio. Giorgio has strung rackets for world class players including Roger Federer. Cost is \$20 for labor plus strings. Contact TennisPro@riverstone.com for more information.

### Did You Know

If a tennis ball hits a player's body or any part of their clothing before it hits the ground, it is their opponent's point, even if the ball would have landed out.

## Tennis Calendar

All events require registration.  
All programs are 8:1 ratio per court.

### Monday

November 6th, 13th, 27th

- 4:30–5:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 5–7
- 5:30–6:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 14+
- 8–9pm—Adult Intermediate/Advance Intermediate Group Lesson

### Tuesday

November 7th, 14th, 28th

- 4:30–5:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 8–10
- 6:30–7:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 5–7
- 8–9pm—Adult Beginner/Advance Beginner Group Lesson

### Wednesday

November 1st, 8th, 15th, 29th

- 4:30–5:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 8–10
- 5:30–6:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 5–7
- 6:30–7:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 11–13

*There will be no tennis classes scheduled from November 20th through November 25th due to the Thanksgiving holiday.*

### Thursday

November 2nd, 9th, 16th, 30th

- 4:30–5:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 14+
- 5:30–6:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 11–13
- 6:30–7:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 8–10

### Friday

November 3rd, 10th, 17th

- 4:30–5:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 5–7
- 5:30–6:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 8–10
- 6:30–7:30pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 11–13

### Saturday

November 4th, 11th, 18th

- 9–10am—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 11–13
- 10–11am—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 8–10
- 11am–12pm—Junior Tennis Academy, ages 5–7

## Tennis Wars: The Galactic Grand Slams

*A long time ago, on a court far far away... we played tennis with Jedi Seth and Rey!?*



Join us on Saturday, November 4th, for a fun-filled afternoon with an intergalactic twist! This event is open to all junior and youth tennis players (age 5+). It is intended for children interested in becoming involved in the Riverstone tennis program or just looking for an exciting afternoon of friendly play with Star Wars heroes.

Berry Ices will be on site to cool attendees off, and the first 125 participants will receive a free \$4 serving of Berry's special ices. Tickets will be available at the check-in table while supplies last. Additional ices will be available for purchase.

Please visit the Riverstone App to RSVP, and May the Force be with you!

**Saturday, November 4th • 3pm–5pm**

*The Club at Riverstone Tennis Courts*

## Congratulations

Riverstone would like to congratulate our very own junior resident, "Pony" Tao for winning the Little Mo Nationals 9-year-old group that was held in Austin, TX. Pony has been taking coaching lessons from our resident Pro, Wayne for the past year.



## Unauthorized Tennis Lessons

There has been tennis lessons at Riverstone by unauthorized tennis pros. Please keep in mind that HOA rules prohibits the teaching of tennis lessons by unauthorized persons.

# RIVERSTONE EVENTS



## CLUB 55! NEIGHBORGIVING

*The holiday season is rapidly approaching, and with it comes the opportunity to gather with friends and neighbors to celebrate.* In this spirit, Club 55 is having its first NeighborGiving Potluck on Friday, November 3, from 6:30pm to 8:30pm in the ballroom.

We'll provide the main dish while Club 55 members round out the NeighborGiving feast by bringing their favorite side dish or dessert.

Please send your side dish or dessert option to Barbara Mendoza at [barbaram@riverstone.com](mailto:barbaram@riverstone.com).

Please reserve your spot(s) on the Riverstone App. Seating is limited to 65 guests. Let's celebrate the season together!

**Friday, November 3rd • 6:30pm–8:30pm**

*The Club at Riverstone*

## NUTCRACKER MARKET RESIDENT TRIP

*Mark your calendar for our annual Nutcracker Market Trip!* Join your fellow neighbors for a fun-filled day of shopping at this well-known extravaganza! This year's Nutcracker Market features hundreds of national and international merchants carefully selected for their unique offerings, selling gifts for the entire family. **Resident Cost: \$22**—The ticket price includes entrance to the Nutcracker Market and bus transportation from Riverstone (that means no driving in traffic and parking hassles for you)! All tickets must be purchased in advance.

Please visit the Riverstone App to register. Tickets will be sold on a first-come basis. This popular resident trip sells out every year!

**Friday, November 10th • 8am–5pm**

*The Club at Riverstone/NRG Center • Bus departs The Club at Riverstone at 8:00am and returns at approximately 5:00pm.*



## WREATH MAKING WORKSHOP

*Looking for a fun night out?* Join us for a festive evening of social crafting and personalized wreath creation! Just in time for the fall holidays, a special guest from Twisted Ribbon Wreaths will be at The Club at Riverstone to guide students through the exciting process of creating their own custom home décor!

**Resident cost: \$35.00**

To register, please visit the Riverstone App. Registration password: wreath

**Wednesday, November 15th • 6pm**

*The Club at Riverstone*

## RIVERSTONE TREE LIGHTING

*The Club at Riverstone will light up with holiday cheer and entertainment as we welcome the season with Riverstone's third annual Tree Lighting!* This family-friendly event will include live music, letters to Santa, a hot cocoa and apple cider bar, carolers, and a special gift for each household (while supplies last). And, of course, this celebration would not be complete without a visit from Santa and his crew!

**Thursday, November 16th • 5:30pm–8pm**

*The Club at Riverstone*



# FOCUS ON FUN

## HOLIDAY MARKET

*Holiday shoppers in search of unique gift items will discover plenty at the annual Riverstone Holiday Market!* This annual market is a mecca for those searching for artisanal jewelry, clothing, specialty food items and more, with dozens of vendors participating. You're sure to check off your holiday shopping list as well as find something for yourself. Admission is one canned good (although you're welcome to bring more) that will go to Second Mile Mission Center. Your donation also entitles you to sample light d'oeuvres, three signature cocktails and a custom shopping bag (while supplies last). This popular event is open to the public, so please bring your family and friends!

**Friday, November 17th • 5pm–9pm**

*The Club at Riverstone*



## IT'S A 'WONDER-FUR' LIFE PHOTO CONTEST

*The holidays are our favorite time of the year for many reasons—we decorate our homes, listen to our favorite festive tunes, and watch cheesy movies.* For some, it might be dressing your pet(s)!

Fur babies look adorable in any clothing, and the holidays are the purr-fect occasion to adorn them in festive gear.

Get your cameras ready and join us for a little friendly competition as we host our It's a Wonder-Fur Life Photo Contest! Dress your pet in their holiday best for a chance to win a special prize! The contest will begin Friday, December 1st through Sunday, December 15th. The winner will be announced on Wednesday, December 20th.

Entering is easy—submit your pet's photo to Barbara Mendoza at [barbaram@riverstone.com](mailto:barbaram@riverstone.com).

We can't wait to see all the festive fur friends!!

**Friday, December 1st–Sunday, December 15th**

*The Club at Riverstone*

## HOLIDAY LIGHTS DECORATING CONTEST

*Is your house decorated like a winter wonderland for the holidays?* Are you the keeper of the lights? The neighborhood garland expert? We want to see it! Riverstone is excited to announce a holiday home light contest just in time for the festive season. Participating homes in the community will be divided into six sections for scoring, with a special first and second-place winner for each.

The last day to register is Saturday, December 3rd; winners will be announced Wednesday, December 11th. On your mark, get set, and start thinking BIG! Let's do our part to make Riverstone the best and brightest this holiday season.

Please visit the Riverstone App for contest guidelines, additional details, and registration information.



## Mark Your Calendars

**December 1st • Bite Nite Friday**

**December 6th • DIY Charcutier Board**

**December 8th • Club 55! Mistletoe & Margaritas**

**December 13th • Club 55! Bingo**

**December 14th • Toddler Zumbini**

**December 16th • Winter Wonderland**

**December 20th • Storytime with Mrs. Claus**

*\*Please be advised that all events are tentative and dates may change. Updates will be provided through email and the Riverstone App and Riverstone website.*



## Email Blast Reminder

### Do you receive community emails regarding events?

If you do not, **SUBSCRIBE TO THE LIST TODAY** on [www.rshoa.org](http://www.rshoa.org)

Once you are on the website, simply complete the information on the "Subscribe" section found at both the top right and bottom left of the page. When you submit, you will automatically be signed up to receive the eBlasts.

*Note: If you unsubscribe to one eBlast, you will no longer receive any of them in the future.*

## CHECK US OUT!

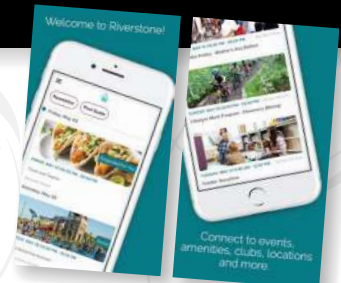


**LUKE APP:** With the LUKE App you can report common area work order requests directly to the Association. Download the App for Apple or Android by visiting [www.getluke311.com](http://www.getluke311.com).

**RESIDENT PORTAL:** Visit [www.riverstone.com/residents-accountportal](http://www.riverstone.com/residents-accountportal) to view your HOA payment history, or to make a payment via credit/debit card or echeck.



**WEBSITE:** Visit our website at [www.rshoa.org](http://www.rshoa.org) to view the most up-to-date information about events, changes to office hours, access HOA governing documents and guidelines, and more.



**RIVERSTONE APP:** From the Riverstone App (available for Android and Apple) you can view updates about events, make tennis court reservations, view public park locations, and more.

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