

WELCOME!

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As we move into a new season, we're reflecting on what matters most: community, home, and the people who keep both running. Here's a look at what we've been up to and what's important right now.

## SUPPORTING YOUTH SPORTS IN OUR COMMUNITY

This season, we're proud to sponsor local T-ball, softball, and other youth sports teams throughout our community. If we're being honest, we wish we could support every single team that asks and we truly appreciate the opportunity to be involved where we can.

Youth sports are about much more than wins and losses. They build determination, self-regulation, teamwork, and resilience at a young age. They teach kids how to handle success, navigate disappointment, listen to coaches, and work toward something bigger than themselves. Those lessons matter on the field and far beyond it.

We believe there's no better way to support our community than by investing in joy, growth, and child development. Watching young athletes learn, compete, and smile reminds us why community involvement is so important.

To all the players, coaches, and families we're cheering you on.

## UNDERSTANDING PFAS & YOUR DRINKING WATER

You've likely heard the term PFAS, often called "forever chemicals." These man-made compounds have been used since the 1940s in products like nonstick cookware and stain-resistant materials. Because they break down very slowly, they can remain in soil and water for long periods.

Recent federal updates have lowered recommended limits for certain PFAS compounds in drinking water. As standards change, many homeowners — especially those with private wells, are asking questions.

If you rely on a private well, testing is the first step. Rather than guessing, identify what's actually present in your water. We offer FREE water testing during your annual heating system checkup.

Treatment options, if needed, may include activated carbon filtration, reverse osmosis, or whole-home and point-of-use systems. Not every home requires the same solution, and proper maintenance is essential.

Water standards evolve. Our role is to stay informed and help you determine the right next step with confidence.



### March Special at Hinds Mart

All month long, enjoy 2 slices of pizza for \$4 (plus tax).

Stop in and grab lunch while it's hot.