

HOMEOWNERS CHECKLIST

Owning a home can be a lot of work. There are many things you need to remember to do to keep your home safe and comfortable for your family all year 'round. To help you, Xcalibur Services has created this convenient checklist. Just print it off, put it on your fridge, and use this list to remind you to complete these tasks each season.

SPRING	SUMMER	FAII	WINTER
Clean gutters and downspouts. Inspect roof for damaged shingles. Touch up peeling paint. Wash all windows, inside and out. Install screens on windows and doors. Service your lawn mower. Fertilize your lawn. Test smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. Test your sump pump. Dust blinds and vacuum curtains. Inspect attic fan. Have air conditioner inspected by an expert. Test whole home generator. Test panel circuit breakers.	Prune trees and shrubs. ☐ Remove lint from dryer exhaust vent. ☐ Uncover central air conditioner. ☐ Install window air conditioners. ☐ Change or clean heating, ventilating and air conditioning filters. ☐ Clean kitchen appliances inside and out, including refrigerator coils. ☐ Clear your drains with a drain-clearing solution. ☐ Drain or flush water heater. ☐ Test all homes GFCI receptacles. ☐ Change all water filters.	Clean gutters and downspouts. ☐ Inspect your roof for wear and tear. If the shingles are curling, buckling or crackling, replace them. ☐ Check the flashing around skylights, pipes and chimneys. ☐ Rake leaves and shred to use as mulch or dispose of them based on local guidelines. ☐ Close or install storm windows. ☐ Store outdoor furniture and cushions. ☐ Turn off the valves to exterior hoses/faucets. (Run the water until the pipes are empty.) ☐ Check windows and doors for weathertightness. ☐ Have furnace professionally inspected. ☐ Check indicator lights on all homes surge protectors. ☐ Test all homes GFCI receptacles ☐ Change all water filters. ☐ Test whole home generator.	WINTER ☐ Protect your central air conditioning unit with a cover, and remove and store window air conditioners. ☐ Clean and store garden tools. ☐ Move snow shovels and snow blowers to a convenient spot. Stock your ice melting compound to melt ice on walkways. ☐ Change or clean furnace filters. ☐ Clean kitchen appliances inside and out, including refrigerator coils. ☐ Maintain clean drains by adding BioClean product. ☐ Foundation - Check for moisture and cracks that are expanding inside and outside. ☐ Clean out the chimney to remove buildup of flammable substances. ☐ Water Heater - Drain the water heater until it is clear of sediment and refill with clean water.

☐ Test circuit breakers	
☐ Test smoke alarms	and fan blades.
	and fair blades.
and carbon monoxide	
detectors.	

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