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DRAMATIC TRANSFORMATION

A New Beginning for The Lake House at The Ritz-Carlton Reynolds, Lake Oconee

GREENSBORO, GA (July 2020) – [The Lake House at The Ritz-Carlton Reynolds, Lake Oconee](#) has just revealed a dramatic transformation led by **Shane Meder, Principal Designer of [Black Sheep Interiors](#)**. The three-story, four bedroom, lake-front residence is a modern and elegant home for guests seeking a lake luxe experience filled with southern charm and gracious hospitality. The redesign embraces the natural beauty of the surrounding blue waters and Georgia pines, incorporating over 140 pieces of artwork inspired by the outdoors including local photography. Hues of Iron Ore and Creamy White dictate the majority of the living spaces, while crisp, clean lines within the home mimic the horizon on the water's edge, and original pine floors are found throughout. A private pool, dock and porches on each level of the home offer exclusive outdoor livability unlike any other accommodation on property.

This fresh design is met with unparalleled amenities and services exclusive to The Lake House, including a **Cottage Concierge**, available to curate the guest's stay and arrange experiences including a private in-home chef, preferred reservations at The Reynolds Kingdom of Golf and Sandy Creek Sporting Grounds, as well as private airport transfers.

As a new beginning for the Lake House, here are a few standout design highlights from its transformation:

- **Foyer:** Upon opening the 'cottage blue' door of the Lake House, guests instantly feel relaxed, inspired, and at home in this stunning residence. Sit and catch up with a friend on the plush entryway daybed, or walk through the main floor to find living spaces perfect for relaxing and gathering together. A focal point of the foyer is its dramatic staircase and artwork display depicting florals found near the lakeside home. Climb the stairs to find three enormous vertical mirrors reflecting the natural light and waking the windows to become a living piece of art throughout each point of the day. As the sun sets, a crescendo is felt through the foyer as the many vibrant colors dance around the room.
- **Living Room:** A refined, yet relaxing space to gather can be found through the main floor living room, now featuring crisp and comfortable seating in cream hues complemented by rich greys found in the natural stone fireplace, and polished accent furnishings. Shades of blues and greens dictate the accessories bringing the outdoor wooded lands into the space.

Within the larger living room, you'll find intimate seating arrangements for quiet conversations.

- **Dining Room:** Seamlessly flowing from the living room to create a cohesive space for gathering and entertaining, is the dining room which seats up to twelve. A long White Oak table is surrounded by cream upholstered seating to enjoy a meal together. The focal point is a beautiful iron chandelier inspired by the wooded lands that surround the lakeside home.
- **Kitchen:** A kitchen is the heart of a home, and memories are created over a meal. The transformed kitchen provides a bright and airy space to cook, whether guests are making a meal together, or the Cottage Concierge assists with arranging a private chef. Light wood cabinets are fully stocked with delicate dishes and tableware, marble countertops provide ample space for meal preparation, and modern appliances help tackle any creation.
- **Bedrooms & Bathrooms:** As a traditional home would have varying styles and personalities under one roof, each of the new guest suite designs reflects those individual tastes. The two Master bedrooms provide unique energies, from an opulent vintage black and white abode complete with a peloton for the fit and active guest, to a bedroom reflective of the outdoors with a natural stone fireplace for a cozy evening retreat. Double bedrooms also feature individual designs from an Americana-inspired bedroom appealing to the Lake House's youngest guests, to a stylish escape focusing on the hues of the home's natural surroundings of deep woods, and calming greens and greys. Each individual bathroom is complementary to their respective bedroom, with varying amenities such as marble vanities and sinks, soaking tubs and rainforest showers.
- **The Retreat:** As one of the most dramatic aspects of the transformation, the lower level great room provides a space to engage with friends and family on a rainy day, or a quiet evening indoors. Concrete flooring creates a casual atmosphere, complemented by rich wood paneling and intimate seating areas within the larger space. Play a game of pool, darts and shuffleboard, grab a drink from the built in bar, or sit back and watch a movie together. The Retreat opens up to the pool deck, providing endless possibilities for entertaining both inside and out.
- **Private Pool:** The grand finale of the Lake House's transformation, is its own spacious private patio and pool overlooking the lake. Dark wicker sun loungers provide the perfect spot to catch rays poolside, while plush outdoor sofas and chairs surround fire pits to enjoy the outdoor space day or night.

For more information or to make reservations for The Ritz-Carlton Reynolds, Lake Oconee, please visit www.ritzcarlton.com/reynolds.

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