

February 2025



### Featured this month:

2025 Landscape Contracts

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### 2025 Lawn Maintenance Proposals

We are updating this season's pricing and will be sending out this year's proposals later this month. Your proposals will include the same services that you received last year!

### REMEMBER our estimates are always FREE!

#### **WE OFFER:**

- Weekly Lawn Maintenance
- Spring & Fall Cleanups
- Weed Control Applications
- Shrub Trimming & Pruning
- Turf Fertilization
- Overseeding
- Ornamental Tree Pruning
- Premium Mulch Installation

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- Lawn Aeration
- Flea/Tick/Mosquito Control
- Lawn Sprinkler Service
- Lawn Dethatching



# EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT Jake Brouillette

Irrigation & Fertilization Supervisor



Jake Brouillette is a "family first person" as are so many of us here at Lawnscapes. But in addition to that he is one of our most outstanding employees. Jake has a very rare quality; in that he possesses many, many skills and he is a "master" in them all. Jake specializes in irrigation and fertilization for us here at Lawnscapes and he takes the utmost care in all that he is asked to do. He has the clients' wants and needs on his mind all the time he is working (and even when he is not working...

But the quality we most appreciate about Jake is his desire and ability to share his knowledge and experience with others. It is said that the best member of any team are the ones "who make others better". Well Jake, you make us all better because you are with us!

-Mark Trosin Lawnscapes President

### Q & A with Jake Brouillette

#### How long have you been working at Lawnscapes?

"I have been an employee at Lawnscapes for 6 years"

#### How did you get started in the industry?

"I was working in building maintenance before working at Lawnscapes, I had met Mark at my previous job and decided I would like to take a different career path!"

#### What do you like most about the work we do?

"I like seeing the improvements of properties, from the beginning stages to their current stages. I also appreciate the positive reactions from clients!"

### What's one thing people don't know about you that they would be surprised to find out?

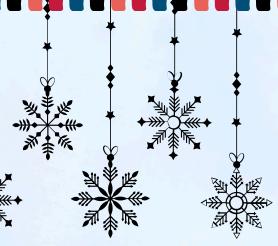
"I am the primary cook in my household."

What's one thing on your bucket list?

"Go to Ireland with my wife"

## Thank you Jake for all of your hard work & dedication!





# Sadly, Winter is not over!

## Top 10 Snow Storms In Rhode Island History

#### Date: Inches of Snow:

February 6th-7th, 1978 28.6"

January 22nd-23rd, 2005 23.4"

January 7th-8th, 1996 22.8"

January 27th-28th, 2015 19.1"

February 14th-16th, 1962 18.9"

February 4th, 1961 18.3"

February 8th-9th, 2013 18.0"

March 31st-April1st, 1997 18.0"

March 3rd-5th, 1960 17.7"

December 5th-7th, 2003 17.0"



If there is a light dusting of snow it's not necessary to remove it from the trees or shrubs.

However, if there is a heavy snowfall (6"+), that poses the risk of branches breaking, follow the recommendations below.

How to remove snow from shrubs if there is heavy snowfall:

Gently brush the snow off by hand or use a broom to carefully remove it.

- DO NOT SHAKE THE BRANCHES, they are brittle at this time of year & may break easily
- Do not disturb any limbs that are frozen to the ground - allow ice to melt instead of attempting to remove it

IF the damage threatens the overall health of the tree OR presents a safety hazard) please call or email Lawnscapes for help if you need assistance.

● 401-385-9685 info@lawnscapesri.com

If the damage is minimal they will have to be removed as soon as possible and/or at the appropriate time of year.

### Winter Tree Pruning

Winter tree pruning is the process of removing branches from trees while they're dormant.



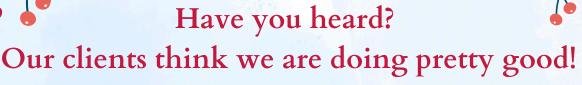
#### What would be pruned?

- Dead or dying branches
- Unwanted branches
- Thicker branches

### Why would you prune in the winter?

- Prevents falling limbs
- Encourages growth
- Reduces risk of disease





### Client Testimonials

Here is what they are saying:

"Thank you one and all to a great first year . . . our yard looks fabulous and you never failed to PLEASE week after week!

Happy Holidays to all and see you in the spring!"

-Bob, Coventry

"I've been very happy with everything this year and look forward to continuing with you guys in 2025" -Donna, Warwick

"I want to thank you and your company employees for all the good lawn services you provided in all of 2024 and look forward to all the same in 2025"

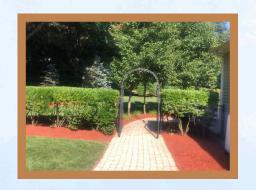
-Klaus, Coventry

"You all work so hard at everything you do! I appreciate you all more than I can express!"

-Deb, Coventry









Please be on the lookout for an upcoming "Customer Survey" which will be sent to your email later this week!

Your Landscape Maintenance Contracts will be send out between 2/17/2025 - 2/24/2025!

At Lawnscapes we truly appreciate your input and feedback. We're looking forward to a wonderful 2025 season!

Please call us @ 401-385-9685 with any questions







