

# green West Orange



Curt Roese (left) and Jim Rahman, co-owners of Westmont Green Homes in Winter Garden won 1st place in the Lake County Parade of Homes for their model green house in Montverde.

## Westmont Green Homes wins Lake Parade of Homes

Curt Roese and Jim Rahman, owners of Winter Garden-based Westmont Green Homes, announced they won first place during the recent Lake County Parade of Homes for the \$1.5- to \$2-million price category. Westmont entered the home they built for the Green Builder VISION House Series, which was showcased during the 2008 International Home Builders Show held at the Orange County Convention Center.

Located off the shore of Lake Apopka in Montverde, the high-end, architect-designed custom home was designed to demonstrate that green can be not only glamorous but also sustainable by considering durability and life safety in an active hurricane zone.

The VISION House was certified per the standards and guidelines of the NAHB Model Green Home Building, the Florida Green Building Coalition, the Institute for Business and Home Safety "Fortified for Safer Living" and the Florida Water Star program.

Westmont Green Homes also announced it has begun construction on four certified custom green homes at Lake Burden at the Lakes of Windermere. A two-story home with approximately 3,500 square feet of living space was set to be showcased during the HBA of Metro Orlando Parade of

Homes this month. The other three homes will be available by December. Each home will be certified under the Florida Green Building Coalition standards.

Westmont is also currently building in Blue Springs Reserve, Dora Estates and Magnolia Bay, as well as several "on-your-lot" projects.

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