

## ***Home Sweet Home, Johns Creek***

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“Home, sweet home.” What does that mean to you? Does it mean being able to go to a place where you can plop onto a sofa and ‘call it a day?’ Or a place where you can ‘binge watch’ TV. For me, it means to have a place where I know that I’m safe and cared for, and that defiantly carries a LOT of memories. Some of my favorite memories are made when I walk through the lush greenways with my dad in Johns Creek. I remember laughing with my mom as we went to Lifetime together. I love competing with my sister in a ‘who can eat their donut the quickest’ contest at a community Dunkin Donuts (don’t tell her I told you this, but I win most of the time). I also have SO many memories from elementary school! Johns Creek has given me so many memories. I had an awesome time being the team captain of Wilson Creek’s winning battle of the books team. I would have NEVER been able to get amazing medals in debate if I wasn’t in River Trail Middle School. My friends and I had such a great time in Wilson Creek Elementary School. Every summer, I go to India, and I feel bad for my cousin who lives there. They don’t get to see lush green trees surrounding them like we do here in Johns Creek. My favorite place to hang out is at the park. The nature surrounding me is an amazing sight to see. I can play with my family and friends while the barbeque fills the air with an amazing aroma. I love playing tennis with my team. When I say my team, they’re more like buddies now. I also love practicing tennis with my dad. We would book a court and play tennis till it becomes dark. It’s tiring, but absolutely enjoyable! I have lived in four different places, but believe me, Johns Creek is my most favorite place to live of all. If you asked me to move somewhere in the world of my choice, I would choose to stay here, in Johns Creek. So really, in the end, what makes Johns Creek such an exceptional community is that it’s a place that I can definitely call, ‘Home, sweet home!’