

Notice of Board Meetings

Monday, August 11, 2025 CRD Meeting: 6:30 p.m. CCA Meeting: 7 p.m.

Carrollwood Rec Center • 3515 McFarland Road

Residents welcome to attend.

Next print edition coming in September!

See last page for info.

BACK TO SCHOOL

August 11, 2025

Hillsborough County Public Schools





John Schinka





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Kristin Nail





By John Schinka, CCA President

appy August. The CCA Board did not have a meeting in July but we did have an exciting 4th of July celebration! Check out photos throughout this issue of The Caroler.



Luke Haydel



Neill Boyd



Need something to celebrate (other than going back to school)? **August 13 - International Left Handers Day**

August 18 - National Ice Cream Pie Day

August 20 - National Bacon Lovers Day

We are looking to add some new and exciting content to The Caroler in the upcoming months. We have a few ideas for articles.

We would love your help to contribute to some of these!

1. YOUNG NEIGHBOR AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

We would love to highlight some kids in the neighborhood who have earned awards or proud of something they have achieved. For example: Winning a soccer tournament, making a travel baseball team, district speech competition winner, learning how to ride a bike for the first time, etc. No achievement is too small! Send in a photo and blurb about your child and we will put it in a future issue.

2. REMARKABLE RENOVATIONS -

Many homes in our neighborhood have gone through amazing transformations and facelifts. If you would like to share the work you've done on your home (exterior curb appeal or backyard renovations), send before/after photos and a small blurb about the work you've done to improve the appearance of your home.

Please e-mail all submissions to Kristin Nail kristinnail@originalcarrollwood.com

3. NEWCOMER SPOTLIGHT — If you have recently moved into the neighborhood (within the last year or so), we would love to get to know you! Email Kristin Nail at kristinnail@ originalcarrollwood.com and she will send you some short/easy interview questions for a spotlight article.

Thank you! Look forward to seeing more of you in The Caroler.

Stay up-to-date with the Crime Watch/Events

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Mark Snellgrove Dr. Anna Brown



Mark Georgiades













ATTENTION!

STARTING AUG. 18

Electronic Access Gate at White Sands Beach will only open with fob before the guard arrives at noon.

RESIDENTS WITH FOB WILL HAVE DAILY ACCESS DAWN TO DUSK

Come by the Rec Center to purchase your Electronic Access Fob today!



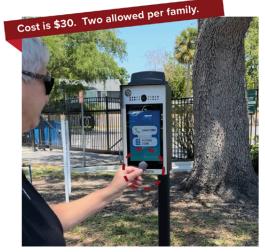
SALES CONTINUE:

As the CRD works to ensure that as many residents as possible have them, sales of the electronic access fobs for White Sands Beach are ongoing. Rec Center hours for purchases are M-F, 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Fobs are \$30 each with a limit of 2 per family.

Cash, check or credit card (with additional processing fees) are accepted.

Access control fobs are activated within 24 hours of purchase.



The Electronic Access Fob provides controlled entrance and exit for White Sands Beach.

The boat ramp and bathroom keys remain unchanged.

WHITE SANDS BEACH IS OPEN DAWN TO DUSK, with gates programmed accordingly. During the summer season, a guard will be present from noon to dusk, and gates will be open.

Per usual procedure, please show your ID for entrance to the beach through the open main gate. This allows for

Keep your keys to other neighborhood areas too, like Scotty Cooper Park, Tennis Courts, Dog Park, etc. More info will come as future plans develop to include these areas with electronic access using the Fob for entry.

QUESTIONS? ATTEND THE NEXT SCHEDULED CRD MEETING.

REMINDER: White Sands Beach is open from DAWN TO DUSK.

The new electronic access fob will open and access gates during specific hours only.

Residents with fobs will only be able to open gates during the park hours when a guard is not present. Bring your ID for verification. The exit gate is programmed to open when the ground sensor is activated by a vehicle (golf cart or car/truck) and gate closes automatically after.



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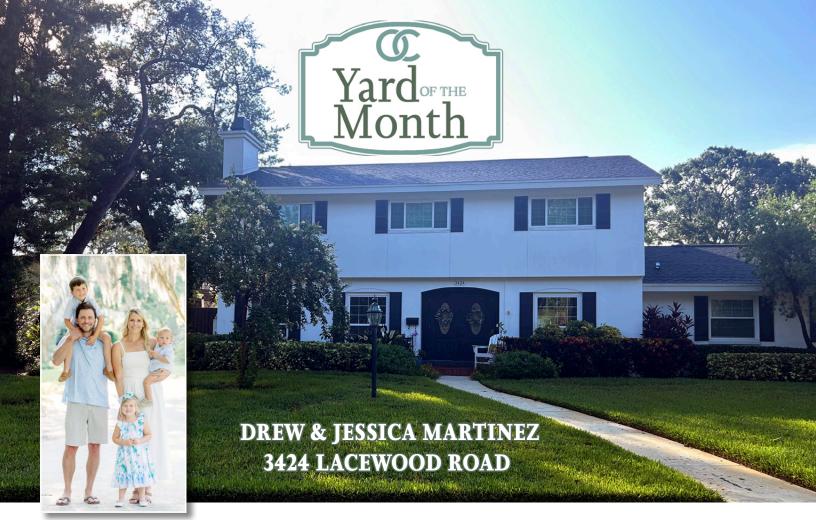
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Q| When did you move to Original Carrollwood and what have you enjoyed most about living here?

A | "We moved into this house in 2020. Drew grew up in the neighborhood and knew he always wanted to settle down here. We have family in Original Carrollwood as well so we love being able to walk to their houses. Having kids in this neighborhood is the best with the parades, the parks, and Halloween!"

\mathbb{Q} | What do you love most about your home and yard? Why?

A | "We were very lucky that the original owners took such great care of the house and yard. We have slowly been making it our own and changing a few things both inside and outside to fit our style and needs. We love the trees in this neighborhood and how unique each house is."

\mathbb{Q} | When thinking of all the time you have spent in your yard, do you have a favorite memory?

A | "Any moment outside playing with our kids. We spend a lot of time in the pool, playing with our dog, Doug, and interacting with other kids in the neighborhood either on a walk or just outside our front door."

\mathbb{Q} | Any fun facts, hobbies or words of wisdom you would like to share with your neighbors?

A | "Original Carrollwood is such a wonderful neighborhood and is full of friendly people as well! We love living here and are honored to be yard of the month."

Email your nomination to: YardoftheMonth@OriginalCarrollwood.com

Include: Address of nominated yard • Reason for nomination • Your name, phone number, & email address • If possible, please include a photo of the yard with your nomination. Thank you! Nominations can also be made at the Community Center, at Board Meetings or by visiting our Community website:

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New residents, please contact Kristin Nail: kristinnail@originalcarrollwood.com or cca@originalcarrollwood.com



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Once your account is added, you can see the upcoming court schedule, see courts that are currently available and book a court/time.

The schedule will be printed and posted on the bulletin board on the side of the Rec Center as well.



Thank you! **Above & Beyond**

Gary S. fished a large log from the lake side, drug it up on concrete and even cut it up and disposed of it.

Dan A. regularly goes around with a baggie and picks up trash.





OC REAL ESTATE

By Clay Brown Managing Broker/Market President Berkshire Hathaway HomeServices Florida Properties Group. 813-786-4982

Five Things Your House is Trying to Tell You This Month

By August, most Tampa homes have settled into summer mode. Fans are humming, blinds are drawn, and everything is covered in a fine layer of heat and humidity. But even if you've already survived one AC scare and relocated the kids' flip-flops for the tenth time, your house may still be whispering a few things. Or shouting them. It depends on the baseboards.

Here are five things your home might be trying to tell you this month:

'I'm tired of wet towels 1 • being left everywhere."

Between pool days, beach trips, and spontaneous hose fights, this is the season of soaked linens.

If your laundry room feels like a damp jungle, it might be time to create a designated drop zone with hooks by the door, a quick-dry rug, or even a bin just for beach towels. Your flooring will thank you.

"My baseboards aren't aging **∠** •gracefully."

Late summer humidity and daily wear can take a toll, especially if you've got pets or kids. Scuffs, chips, and dirt tend to pile up quietly until they suddenly don't look so quiet. A quick refresh with paint, a deep clean, or even a run with a magic eraser can make a surprising difference. Think of it as a haircut for your walls.

"I have no idea what's growing **J** •in that corner of the garage."

Tampa's heat and rain create the perfect environment for things to multiply. Spiders, mold, mystery boxes from spring. August is a great time to do a mini sweep of the garage. Keep it organized and dry before hurricane season has a chance to test your storage skills.

"Some parts of me are $oldsymbol{\Gamma}_ullet$ holding it together with one loose screw."

Whether it's the drawer that only opens with a precise jiggle or the cabinet hinge that feels like it's lost all faith in the mission, these

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S	3306 Lacewood Rd	1,595	\$495,000
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S	10609 Orange Grove Dr	r 1,927	\$620,000
S	3603 Schefflera Road	2,341	\$825,000

minor issues quietly wear on you over time. You don't need a full remodel. Just a few repairs can restore peace and order to the galaxy of your kitchen.

"If you give me a little •attention now, I'll behave better later."

August is the perfect time to knock out the small stuff before fall routines take over. Tighten what's loose. Clean what's dusty. Declutter what's driving you a little nuts. Your future self will be grateful.

Your house doesn't need to be flawless. But if it no longer fits the season you're in, I can help you find one that does.







JULY IN OC

Hope everyone had a great 4th of July weekend in Original Carrollwood! We were fortunate the weather held off long enough for us to hold our annual parade and BBQ event.

We are honored to have the best departments looking over our Neighborhood. Special thanks to Sheriff Chad Chronister and the Hillsborough County Sheriff's Department for the Star Spangle fly over! And the Hillsborough County Fire Department for leading our parade.

TAMPA BAY WATER SKI SHOW TEAM – The water ski team put on one of their best shows! They also offer learnto-ski lessons/clinics. Website: tampawaterski. com

Whaley's Blazing BBQ – Thanks Todd…the ribs and pork were out of this world! Todd offers catering services for anyone looking for great BBQ at their next event.

This event doesn't happen without support from our volunteers. A special thanks to the Hooper family who provided a foam machine and snowcones for the kids at the lake.

See you at the next event! Your CCA Social Committee





(to be updated with additional information/events)

OCTOBER 31

Halloween Parade

DECEMBER TBA

Holiday Lights Boat Parade Lake Carroll/White Sands Beach

DECEMBER 24

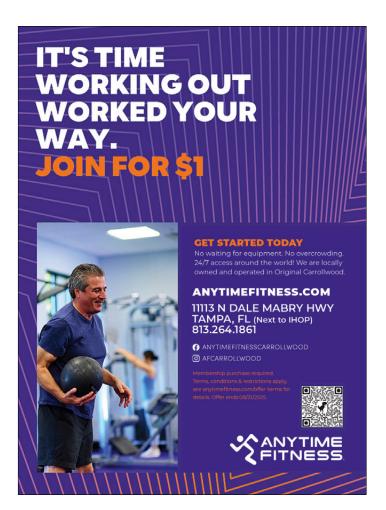
Holiday Luminaria

DECEMBER 31

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directory@originalcarrollwood.com





Please contact

Kristin Nail, Newcomer Chairman to receive a welcome packet.

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Patriotism in OC

Photo by Lawrence Davis, OC Resident









Foam party, July 4 2025. Photo by Frank Deak, OC Resident

Tampa Bay Water Ski Show, July 4, 2025. Photo by Lawrence Davis, OC Resident





Patriotic display seen in the neighborhood. Photo by Lawrence Davis, OC Resident



Summer on the Lake

HELP KEEP LAKE CARROLL BEAUTIFUL

Collectively, our community can make a positive impact on our water quality. Almost all properties in our Community drain to the lakes, so whether you live on the lake or not, everything that happens in your yard can become part of Lake Lipsey or Lake Carroll.

A few simple habits can help keep harmful substances out of our lakes:

- Keep leaves, grass clippings and other yard materials out of the street/drains. Pickup after your pets before it washes to the lake.
- Fertilize responsibly and look to use native plants.
- Do not litter while on the lake and clean up fishing lines.
- Pickup any trash items that may have fallen into the lake.





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The peacocks are everywhere! Have you seen them out and about?

There are several peacocks in the illustration above. How many can you find?

Find the hidden peacock in this issue! (That is not on this page.)
Email the page number where you find it.

SUBMIT YOUR ANSWERS
BEFORE AUGUST 10
Email Caroler@roxc.graphics
All who reply will have their name posted in the next issue of *The Caroler!*

Congratulations to last month's players!

Desiree Chillura Terry Kors Angie Ducker

Location of the hidden peacock in the previous issue: Page 2.

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