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Notice of Board Meetings Monday, October 12, 2020 CRD Meeting: 6:30 p.m. • CCA: 7 p.m. Carrollwood Rec Center - 3515 McFarland Road Residents welcome to attend.



ANNUAL PARADE AND COSTUME CONTEST - SEE PAGE 8

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by Jim Powell, CCA President

We had a great meeting via phone in September. We are tentatively planning on holding the Halloween parade, please see the article on Page 8 for more info from Jerrod Mills. Thanks Jerrod, Josh and John for your work on this. Josh reported that low levels of crime in the neighborhood continue, good news there. Also, Jim Blanco has requested your nominations for yard of the month so please reach out to him on those (Page 4). We will be starting soon on the new Original Carrollwood Directory and have again asked Kimberly Santamaria to put that together. Please see Page 6 for more info on that. We know she'll do another amazing job for us!

> I would just like to take a moment here to say a hearty thank you to our volunteer Board members for all the great work they do. When you see them in our Community, please let them know your appreciation for the job they're doing. I know they love Original Carrollwood and are thankful to live here. Have a great Fall season!

Staying Connected!

by: CCA Board cca@originalcarrollwood.com

We have been working to provide timely information to our residents. As always, we will continue to use *The Caroler* as our monthly newsletter for all the neighborhood news delivered to your home each month.

We have recently made some improvements to deliver news to our residents:

- We updated our Crime Watch email using Constant Contact. If you have been receiving the Crime Watch and Neighborhood emails this year, then you do not need to do anything further. If you are a new resident or have not been receiving the emails, please contact: crimewatch@originalcarrollwood. com to get signed up. The emails will contain Crime Watch notifications, social event information, and other neighborhood news.
- We started a Facebook group for the CCA as an additional way to share neighborhood information. If you use Facebook, please join our page for updates on neighborhood news and social events. This page is going to be the same as the emails, so you will not miss anything if you are not on Facebook. https:// www.facebook.com/groups/CarrollwoodCivic

Original Carrollwood Civic Association



by Mark Snellgrove, CRD President

If you have been down to White Sands Beach recently, you might have noticed the new sand and new flag. In addition, we have hired someone to rake the seaweed three times per week, so hopefully you will agree WSB is looking good. The CRD Board has for years used ABC Flag & Pennant Co. to maintain both our flag poles at the Recreation Center & White Sands Beach. But it was not until recently that I met the owner, George Hill. George and wife Pat have been in business since 1962; but more importantly, George is a World War II veteran. On this day, both



Kevin and I stopped by to say thank you when he made some repairs to the WSB flag pole. George is not only pictured sitting next to the lift bucket, but he was in the lift bucket doing the actual work, providing flags made in the U.S.

To recap the September meeting, we discussed some estimates to sealcoat the parking lots at the Recreation Center and White Sands Beach. This would also include asphalt repair and restriping the parking spaces. No decision was made, but we expect to discuss it again at the October meeting. We are also gearing up for the annual audit to begin soon. Lastly, if you are interested in what we discuss at the CRD Board meetings, you can



visit the website (www.originalcarrollwoodcrd.com) and download the meeting agenda.

A Reminder To Pet Owners

Pets are not allowed at White Sands Beach. There have been recent complaints of dog waste on the beach.

Do your Doooo-ty

Please pick up after your pet in the neighborhood. Do not leave pet waste on other people's property or throw down storm drain/sewers— it collects elsewhere

in the neighborhood.

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Leashes are required by Hillsborough County Ordinance.

Please be a good neighbor and responsible pet owner.



10504 Sago Road Jon, Julie, Collins (10 month old daughter), and Zoey (Westie) Tinnemeyer

by The Tinnemeyer Family

We moved to Original Carrollwood in June of this year from Gainesville. We are both originally from the Jupiter area and are looking forward to experiencing everything this area of Florida has to offer. We were fortunate to inherit a beautifully kept yard and have enjoyed maintaining and making slight changes ourselves.



NOMINATE A YARD!

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 www.OriginalCarrollwood.com

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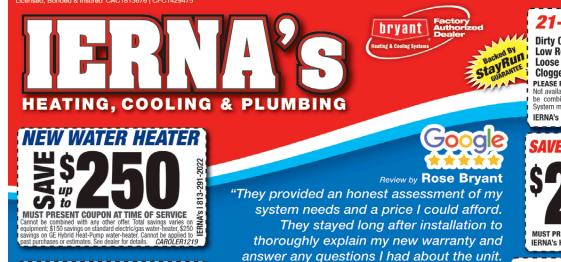
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Email your information to: jimblanco@originalcarrollwood.com Thanks for your help.

OC DIRECTORY UPDATE UNDERWAY!

We are in full swing compiling data for our 2021-22 Original Carrollwood Directory. If you aren't in the 2019-20 book, please send us your information; if you are in the 2019-20 book but have changes, send those over.

We have re-activated "Directory@ OriginalCarrollwood.com" for this project. It was inactive for a while, so if you submitted an update there but didn't receive a confirmation, it may not have reached us. If in doubt, please send your info again. (We don't mind redundancies and strive to offer the most accurate neighborhood data possible!)

Also, if you are interested in advertising in the directory, let us know.

Thank you! Kimberly Santamaria Original Carrollwood Directory Coordinator Directory@OriginalCarrollwood.com

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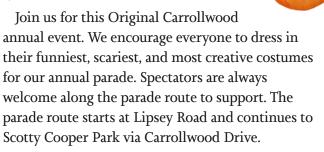
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Annual Halloween Parade & Costume Contest

by Jerrod Mills



The walking parade will start SW end of Lipsey Rd. at Carrollwood Dr. at 5 p.m. Once at Scotty Cooper Park, families are free to continue on to trick-or-treat.

Can't wait to see how spooky and creative all of our Carrollwood families can be! And always remember – watch out for our trick-or-treaters later that evening!

Please note that we will do our best to communicate if the parade has been cancelled or modified for any reason. We will send out additional information via our Crime Watch email (email crimewatch@originalcarrollwood.com to sign up) and our Facebook group: https://www.facebook. com/groups/CarrollwoodCivic

Due to covid restrictions we recommend the following:

- Follow current social distancing and mask guidelines
- Anyone that is sick, fever or any symptom listed on the CDC guidelines should not attend the walking parade

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- Visit the CDC website for Halloween recommendations!



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REAL ESTATE 101: KITCHENS

By M. Wayne Wilson, Realtor and Original Carrollwood Resident 43 years



When you have guests come to your home for a party, where do they congregate? The kitchen! When the family talks to each other, where is that done the most? Probably the kitchen! Guess what? When I bring people into homes, what is generally the area most scrutinized? The kitchen!

Recently, during this pandemic, I decided it was time for me to upgrade my home a little. Nothing had been done since 2002 when it was built. So, I contracted a painter and had them paint walls, ceilings, closets, the whole works.

OC Listings

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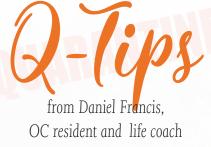
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S	11617 Carrollwood Dr	2,197	\$385,000
S	3306 Latania Dr	2,800	\$412,900
S	3004 Sabal Rd	2,525	\$425,000

During that process, the kitchen kept looking worse and worse.

In previous years, I had called in kitchen contractors and they would all start at \$20,000 and go up. They all insisted that I replace the cabinets. My cabinets were high quality solid wood as are the cabinets in most Original Carrollwood homes and I was not willing to give that up. I've seen homes with pressboard, etc., and after a few years, they show their true quality. So I asked my painter if she could stain them. A positive answer was given so the work continued on.

Also, I've never liked the Corian countertops that I've had, so it was off to the granite guys. I used these people 20 years earlier when I redid my OC home and I loved it. So I went back to them again. And then I replaced the sink and fixtures to get that fancy push button garbage disposal, soap dispenser and hands free faucet. Gadgets! I added a new refrigerator so I could put my old one in the laundry room as a spare.

But the key to all of this was the cost. I spent under \$9,000 and now have this fabulous, new, welcoming kitchen with an overhang countertop and bar height chairs to make it the inviting kitchen we all want. My point is, you don't have to wait forever to get that bright new kitchen. Be your own contractor. If those cabinets are solid wood think before you let someone trash them. Call me if you want to see for yourself. Keep upgrading one room each year and you'll never regret it and it shouldn't cost you a fortune. •



Some have called it the "invisible enemy."

It may be microscopic, but it's no more an enemy than a hurricane or sinkhole.

While no one wants to get struck by lightning, you don't march an army against it, just don't continue to putt on the green or wait under a tree.

No one argues that this novel virus has killed, sickened, shut down, changed our bank accounts.

My hope is that this pandemic will reveal our strength in cooperation even as it makes us look hard at the divisions that still need to be healed. NOT ONLY AM I A REALTOR[®], BUT I'M ALSO YOUR NEIGHBOR!

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Solution to Last Month's Puzzle

Thank you for submitting answers to last month's puzzle!

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