



News for 'Our' Community

The Woodcreek Wind

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It's time to Join or Renew Your Membership



Dear Woodcreek Neighbors, **Happy New Year!**
 It is time to join or renew your membership in the Woodcreek Neighborhood Association (WNA) for 2016.

The WNA represents YOUR VOICE in the neighborhood and the city. Your \$25.00 membership provides improvements and programs to enhance the economic and social value of Woodcreek. Our goal this year is to have over 80% of the 342 homes in Woodcreek join or renew their membership for 2016. So get the most out of your membership by joining or renewing TODAY.



Go to our website "Woodcreekneighbors.org" for additional information and your 2016 calendar of events

Thank you and we look forward to a seeing you!

*Sincerely,
 Russell Tether
 President*



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for 2016 events
 coming to
Woodcreek!



WOODCREEK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION 2016 CALENDAR

Mark your calendar and plan to join your Woodcreek neighbors for all our upcoming events! New events to be added so check the website regularly.

JANUARY - Winter Newsletter

JULY- Summer Newsletter

FEBRUARY- New Resident Mixer

AUGUST- Events to be announced

MARCH- Directory

SEPTEMBER- Board Nominations- Fall Newsletter

APRIL- Spring Newsletter

OCTOBER- National Night Out/Annual Meeting
- Set Budget - Membership Drive

MAY- Spring Fling

NOVEMBER- Events to be announced

JUNE- New Resident Mixer

DECEMBER- Santa Parade / Food Drive
- Judge Holiday Lighting - Parade of Lights



Thank you so much for creating such a beautiful display of lights. Your efforts and those of your neighbors transformed our community into a "Woodcreek Wonderland"!



Contest Results:

1st Place: 2210 Southern Court * 2nd Place: 2264 Valley Mill * 3rd Place: 2206 Southern Court

See slide show of decorated homes on website- Woodcreekneighbors.org



Again, thank you for a great job in making the season brighter! It's neighbors like you that make Woodcreek such an enjoyable place to live.





19th Annual Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Parade

Saturday, January 16 • 10am in Carrollton

Come celebrate Martin Luther King, Jr. Day by watching a memorial parade through the streets of Carrollton. The parade will begin on Rainwater Lane (behind Carrollton City Hall) and proceed west to Josey Lane; south on Josey Lane to Keller Springs Road; east on Keller Springs Road to Kelly Boulevard; south on Kelly Boulevard to end at Ted Polk Middle School at 2001 Kelly Boulevard. The parade is sponsored by Christ Community Connection, Inc. in partnership with the City of Carrollton. Call 972-242-0933 for more information.

10th Annual CPOA Daddy Daughter Dance

Saturday, February 27 • 6-9pm

Bent Tree Bible Fellowship Church 4141 International Parkway Carrollton

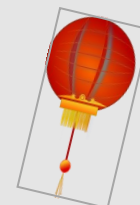
The Carrollton Police Officers Association presents the 10th Annual Daddy Daughter Dance. Fathers, come dance the night away with your little angel! Join us for a lively dance party with cookies, punch, crafts, games, prizes, and photo opportunities. Pre-registration cost will be \$25 total for daddy and daughter (plus \$10 for each additional daughter). Registration at the event will cost \$30 for daddy and daughter (plus \$15 for each additional daughter). Proceeds benefit the Carrollton Police Officers Association. For more information and to register, call 972-466-3031. Sorry, no moms or sons allowed and dinner will not be served.



Chinese New Year Celebration

Sunday, February 14 • 3-5pm Hebron & Josey Library 4220 N. Josey Lane in Carrollton

Sun Ray Chinese School Youth organization and the Newman Smith High School Chinese class will be leading us in a variety of activities celebrating the Chinese culture.



Movie Monday

“A Walk in the Woods”

Date: 1/18/2016 1:00 PM

Cost: Free

Location: Senior Center
1720 Keller Springs Road
Carrollton, Texas 75006

For ages 50+

After spending two decades in England, Bill Bryson returns to the United States and decides the best way to reconnect with his homeland is to hike the Appalachian Trail with one of his oldest friends. This movie stars Robert Redford and Nick Nolte as the two adventuresome hikers and is based on the biography of Bill Bryson.



Movie Monday

“The Martian”

Date: 2/15/2016 1:00 PM

Cost: Free

Location: Senior Center
1720 Keller Springs Road
Carrollton, Texas 75006

For ages 50+

Showing in the Lonestar Room at the Senior Center
During a manned mission to Mars, Astronaut Mark Watney is presumed dead after a fierce storm and left behind by his crew. But Watney has survived and finds himself stranded and alone on the hostile planet. With only meager supplies, he must draw upon his ingenuity, wit and spirit to subsist and find a way to signal to Earth that he is alive. This adventure Sci-fi movie stars Matt Damon, Jessica Chastain, and Kristen Wiig.

The Woodcreek Neighborhood Association would like to extend a warm welcome to you and your family. We hope you will find Woodcreek, with its enthusiastic and committed residents, to be a place you will enjoy calling 'home'.



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The Woodcreek Neighborhood Association was started in 1979. Its objective has been to foster a spirit of cooperation among residents while working to make our neighborhood one in which we can proudly live and raise our families. We seek to accomplish that goal through the following programs:

- Continually assessing and responding to the needs of our neighborhood
- Providing our residents with timely information on matters that affect our quality of life
- Beautifying the entrances to our neighborhood with landscaping and signage
- Organizing social events to promote community spirit
- Encouraging adherence to the deed restrictions established for the neighborhood
- Representing the interests of Woodcreek residents before the City of Carrollton
- Coordinating neighborhood 'Crime Watch' activities

We hope you will choose to join the Woodcreek Neighborhood Association as the success we enjoy ultimately depends upon the commitment of all Woodcreek residents. Just complete the membership form found on the membership page and return it to us with your annual dues of \$25 (\$15 for tenant's associate membership). Members will receive the annual neighborhood directory. The directory information will NOT be given (or sold) to anyone other than our association members. You may also elect to be omitted from the directory.

The Woodcreek Neighborhood Association would like to include all residents in the new Woodcreek Neighborhood E-mail Alert distribution. All e-mail addresses are kept confidential and you do not need to be a member to receive alerts. Association members are automatically enrolled in the service. Non-members please e-mail your name, address and desired contact e-mail address(s) to the Woodcreek Association at: info@woodcreekneighbors.org to receive neighborhood alerts.

We look forward to meeting you and your family in the near future. In the meantime, if there is anything we can do to assist you as you settle into the neighborhood, please feel free to contact any of the association officers or trustees.

Woodcreek Neighborhood Association P.O. Box 110776 Carrollton, TX 75011-0776

Do you have an ad, neighborhood information, or your good news for the next newsletter?

Send to info@woodcreekneighbors.org

National Night Out was a success

The Woodcreek National Night Out block party was held on Tuesday, October 6, 2015. Many families attended the event, enjoying the food while making new acquaintances. The group especially appreciated the visit by the Carrollton Police Department and Fire and Rescue representatives.

The board wishes to thank all of the volunteers who work to improve our neighborhood and help to ensure it is a safe place to live.



WELCOME OXFORD GLEN TO CARROLLTON

The first priority of Oxford Glen is the human element of caring. We believe that understanding who someone was before their diagnosis is the path to understanding how to genuinely care for them now. Our innovative technology allows us to connect their past. We have nurses at our community 24/7, with clinical skills, because we recognize that our residents cannot often tell us what is hurting or wrong. We don't "manage" behaviors, we explore the reason. Our direct care staff-to-resident ratio is the highest in the industry. Our 7 day per week, multiple life engagement coordinators work hand in hand, with all employee partners, providing a wealth of programming. From our beautiful courtyards to our presence of home, we are a family welcoming the past, the loved ones and the community into the day to day, moment to moment life at Oxford Glen. Please take a moment to explore our website, or stop by our Carrollton residence anytime.

Please plan to stop by for a tour.

Call 972-820-5975

Sarah Lowe
Community Sales Director



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2016

**Time to join your
Woodcreek
Neighborhood
Association!**

Woodcreek Shares

Woodcreek Neighborhood Association Board of Trustees for 2015-2016

Each year at the annual meeting an election is held to determine board members for the coming year. Board members prepare the annual budget, authorize expenditures, and present neighborhood issues for resolution. They work to promote a sense of community by working together for neighborhood improvements, maintenance, and beautification projects.

Voting results for the Oct. 2015-Sep. 2016 Board are as follows:

President:	Russell Tether
Vice-President	Carey Crawford
Secretary	Ted Bellah
Trustee	Claudette Wolfe
Trustee	Matthew Messner
Trustee	Jon Ortega

Feel free to contact any of the association officers or trustees.



Thanks to everyone for making the Santa Parade and Food Drive one of the most successful ever!

We almost doubled our donation goal! Thanks also to Jon and Terri Ortega for managing both events.

Our 2016 membership drive started in January. It's going to be an even better year with new activities and neighborhood improvements. At only \$25.00 it's one of the best investments you can make.

We hope you will join us!

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WOODCREEK NEIGHBORHOOD ASSOCIATION

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

RETURN FORM & CHECK TO:

Woodcreek Neighborhood Association, P.O. Box 110776, Carrollton, Texas 75011-0776

Name include partner/ spouse:

Email:

Will not be shared. For member communication only

Do not Publish Name in Directory

Do not Publish Phone Number

Address:

Carrollton, TX 75006

Own Rent

Mailing address (if different):

State: Zip Code:

Phone:

Will not be shared w/o permission above.
For member communication only.

Contact me about Volunteer Opportunities? Yes No

Membership

Voluntary with Annual Donation

Unable to Join at this Time

1-YEAR Member Dues

- \$25 Owner
- \$15 Renter
- \$50 Sustaining Member

Sustaining members show a deeper commitment to our community through a more generous donation. It is an opportunity to invest in our neighborhood's success. Sustaining members are recognized in the Member Directory, website, newsletter and at social events.

ABOUT US

Our Association exists to serve the needs of our community, share information among members, advocate for our community with the city and to enhance the value of the neighborhood.

Our neighborhood, with more than 300 homes, consists of two parts divided by a lovely creek with a walking bridge joining us together. The Woodcreek Neighborhood Association is coordinated by volunteer officers who serve a one-year term. The annual meeting is held in September where we gather as a community, discuss topics of interest and hold elections. Guest speakers are featured on topics of concern as needed.

Your membership is VERY important to our ongoing efforts on behalf of our neighborhood. A strong, vibrant, safe and beautiful community benefits each owner by supporting the value of our homes.

Eligibility Anyone who is a homeowner or a resident of the Woodcreek community.

Member Benefits

1. Member Directory and Resource Guide
Yearly printed directory of members organized by name and by street. It also includes copies of the bylaws, neighborhood deed restrictions, and City of Carrollton contact information.
2. Beautiful entries into the neighborhood-maintenance of landscaping of the entry areas to the neighborhood.
3. Social events including Annual Meeting, National Night Out, Holiday events, and other social activities.
4. Volunteer Board members who work effectively with the City of Carrollton to facilitate neighborhood improvements and advocate for you and our community with the City.
5. Matching City funding for neighborhood improvements.
6. Online community, website, newsletter and flyers to share information.

STAY CONNECTED WWW.WOODCREEKNEIGHBORS.ORG AND WWW.NEXTDOOR.COM

Woodcreek Neighborhood

We're on the web!

www.woodcreekneighbors.org/

BE SURE TO SAY "THANKS" TO OUR Newsletter Sponsors

Julie Stauss, Realtor-Ebby Halliday (see on page 5)

Oxford Glen Memory Care (see on page 6)

The Woodcreek Wind is a publication for residents of Woodcreek and is published quarterly. The newsletter is distributed to 342 Woodcreek households.

The newsletter is produced by a volunteer team of neighborhood residents.

A limited number of advertisements are accepted. A standard business-card sized ad is \$15. Ads for adult-oriented establishments are not permitted, and all advertisements are subject to review by the newsletter editor.

Advertising Rates

\$15 for 1/8th page (business card size)

\$30 for 1/4 page

\$50 for 1/2 page

\$95 for Full page

For more advertising information,
email Lora at clor28@ymail.com

Helpful Contacts

Woodcreek Website

<http://woodcreekneighbors.org/>

City of Carrollton Interactive City Map

<http://www.cityofcarrollton.com/maps/>

Police Emergency 911

Woodcreek Board 2015-2016

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