

# CAREFREE CLUB NEWSLETTER

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*Hello Carefree!*

*As I wrap my term as president and my current time on the Carefree board, I wanted to send a quick note of thanks. Keeping our pool, facilities, and grounds running smoothly is a thankless job. The team we have working hard for the neighborhood are rockstars. They care so much for our community and spend a lot of time behind the scenes. Specific thanks to Kristie Kitchen, who does more than she should (Pool Chair, Corporate Secretary, Clubhouse Chair), Robert Overton, our Treasurer, and Mark Baranko, our Facility Manager. I've really enjoyed my time at the pool this summer - it's such a great facility, and our crew does an amazing job maintaining and operating it!*

*It is election season, and we are in need of board member candidates. While the ballot will go out soon, we will have at least two open board positions. If you are interested in learning more about the board, or serving as a board member, please reach out to myself ([board@carefreeclub.org](mailto:board@carefreeclub.org)) or Matt Randall, our VP ([vp@carefreeclub.org](mailto:vp@carefreeclub.org)).*

*While our busy season with the pool is coming to an end, the board will start to plan for next year - if you have thoughts, ideas, or suggestions, please don't hesitate to share - we are all volunteers, and love to have fresh, new ideas.*

*Thanks for a great season!*

*Mike Martin*

*President, Carefree Club, 2023-2024*





## **2024 Elections - Ballots in the Mail**

**Club members will be receiving ballots soon**, and the Board appreciates your participation and quick return of ballots in this year's election.

Eight positions are open this year, and six members have volunteered their names for the ballot. We'll have at least two open seats after this election, and we invite you to join us on the Board by reaching out to any current board member. *Our bylaws allow for the Board to hold a majority vote to approve any member wishing to serve on the board in between election cycles.*

As a reminder, our pool, clubhouse, and common area are fully managed by our volunteer Board of Directors. We have incredible board members that volunteer their time and energy to keep our neighborhood a peaceful, beautiful place to live. We do most of our business during our monthly board meeting, and you're welcome to join for any meeting.

The election will need a few neighbors willing to help us by counting and tabulating ballots. If you're interested, please reach out to Matt Randall at [vp@carefreeclub.org](mailto:vp@carefreeclub.org).

*Carefree Club Board of Directors*



### **END of SUMMER PITCH IN**

**Sunday, September 1, 11:30-1:30 at the Carefree Pool!**

We'll have hamburgers and hot dogs. Please bring your favorite picnic food to share and your own beverage. *A great time to meet your neighbors.*

### **POOL HOURS**

**Effective August 19**, for the last 2 weeks of the season, the pool will not open until 4pm, M-F. Regular 11 am – 8 pm on the weekend.

### **CAREFREE REUNION for "kids" that grew up in Carefree.**

**WHEN:** Saturday, September 7th  
6:00 pm - ?

**WHAT:** Party for old and new friends

**WHO:** Anyone 21 and older who grew up in  
Carefree North and South or Woodcreek

**WHERE:** Carefree Clubhouse –

BYOB (drink) and your energy

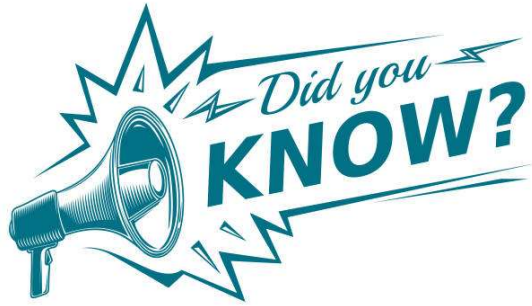
For more information go to:

<https://facebook.com/events/s/carefree-kids-reunion/2546698608835586/>

### **A HUGE THANK YOU -**

*To Kristie and Jerry Kitchen for weeding the 2 Carefree North signs and the triangle at Ramblin and Leisure Lane this past month. They look so much better and we are all grateful!*

**VISIT** <https://www.carefreeclub.org/> and our [Facebook](#) page for up to the minute information.



## **FREE AREA ACTIVITIES**

### **Mallow Run Winery Picnic Concert Series**

**12:00-6:00 pm 6964 West Whiteland Rd, Bargersville, IN**

Enjoy Food trucks, wine, strawberry shortcake, and live music on the lawn!

#### **2024 Free & Family Friendly Dates:**

Aug 31 – Endless Summer Band

Sept. 1 – Indy Annies

Sept. 2 – My Yellow Rickshaw

Sept 21 – Der Polkatz

**\*For a complete schedule including paid concerts visit [mallowrun.com](http://mallowrun.com).**

### **Just PLANE Fun**

**August 24, 10 AM - 3 PM, 897 Airport Parkway, Greenwood, IN**

Indy South Greenwood Airport brings the community together for a fun filled day of activities, exhibits, and food. Free parking and admission. Attendees will see World War II aircraft, vehicles, and live reenactors.

Featuring free aircraft rides for kids, a military simulator and hands-on displays from Greenwood's Police and Fire Departments, Just PLANE Fun is one of the community's most popular annual events.



## CAREFREE CLUB ONLINE CALENDAR

Rental Rates			
Carefree Clubhouse can only be rented to Club members.			
<a href="#">View Carefree Club Calendar for Availability</a>			
Mon – Thur.	Half Day \$60	Morning: 5AM – 4PM	Evening: 5PM – 4AM
Mon – Thur.	All Day \$100	All Day 5AM – 4AM	
Fri, Sat, Sun, & Holidays	Half Day \$90	Morning: 5AM – 4PM	Evening: 5PM – 4AM
Fri, Sat, Sun, & Holidays	All Day \$150	All Day 5AM – 4AM	

The Carefree Club website has a [new calendar](#) allowing members to view available rental dates **and** submit clubhouse rental requests online. The new calendar also shows all the fun events and activities happening in Carefree.

### Carefree Club Events Calendar

Reserve Clubhouse

AM

5AM – 4PM

PM

5PM – 4AM

All Day

5AM – 4AM

Activities

Click activity for more information

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today

November 2022

day

week

month

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2 Activities Cardio Class in th	3 All Day Clubhouse Clubhouse Door I	4 PM Clubhouse	5 All Day Clubhouse Closed for Private
6 AM Clubhouse Self Defense Clas AM Activities Self Defense Clas	7	8	9 Activities Cardio Class in th	10	11	12 AM Clubhouse Closed for Private
13 All Day Clubhouse Pending Rental Av	14 PM Clubhouse Board Meeting	15	16 Activities Cardio Class in th	17 PM Activities BUNCO Night! 6:00	18	19 AM Clubhouse Reserved
20	21	22	23 Activities Cardio Class in th	24 All Day Clubhouse Reserved	25	26
27 AM Clubhouse Pending Rental Av	28	29	30 Activities Cardio Class in th	1	2	3 AM Clubhouse Reserved PM Clubhouse Reserved



The clubhouse now has **free** Wi-Fi for rentals and activities! Members will be able to connect when inside the facility.

## CAREFREE CLUB ACTIVITIES

### WATER AEROBICS

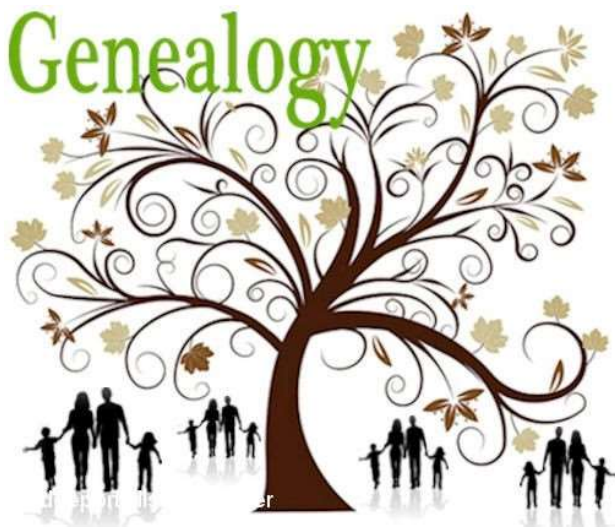


**Starts June 3 runs through end of summer**

**Monday - Friday, 6 - 7 p.m.**

**Guests are welcome, no charge, and no reservations needed.**

**Lots of fun, go at your own speed, no judgment class!**



**3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month at 6:30 p.m.**

**Genealogy Discussion Group**

**Carefree Clubhouse**

Need help finding your ancestors? Need help with research? Come play with us!

Join the lively discussion, listen to success stories or break down the walls we've encountered looking for our ancestors.

**For more information contact Cheryl Wisdom** [cherylewisdom@gmsil.com](mailto:cherylewisdom@gmsil.com)

*Have an activity you want to share? Contact* [newsletter@carefreeclub.org](mailto:newsletter@carefreeclub.org)

## Carefree Club Board Members

Please feel free to reach out to any [board member](#) with questions you may have about Carefree Club.

Name	Position	Email	Term
Mike Martin	President	<a href="mailto:board@carefreeclub.org">board@carefreeclub.org</a>	2023-2024
Matt Randall	Vice President	<a href="mailto:vp@carefreeclub.org">vp@carefreeclub.org</a>	2022-2024
Kristie Kitchen	Corporate Secretary Clubhouse Chair	<a href="mailto:secretary@carefreeclub.org">secretary@carefreeclub.org</a>	2023-2025
Robert Overton	Treasurer	<a href="mailto:treasurer@carefreeclub.org">treasurer@carefreeclub.org</a>	2022-2024
Kristie Kitchen	Pool Chairperson	<a href="mailto:pool@carefreeclub.org">pool@carefreeclub.org</a>	2023-2025
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Mandi Foxworthy	Board Member		2022-2024
Jackie Lee	Board Member		2022-2024
Nathan Lewis	Board Member		2023-2025
Terry Steckman	Board Member		2023-2024
Joseph Strauch	Board Member		2024-2025
Angela Tucher	Board Member		2023-2025
Jeff Williams	Board Member		2022-2024
Catie Zenor	Activities Co-Chair	<a href="mailto:activities@carefreeclub.org">activities@carefreeclub.org</a>	2023-2025

**Carefree Club** oversees the pool, clubhouse, tennis and basketball courts and playground area. **The Club is NOT a HOA and has no jurisdiction over property related issues other than Club dues.** The dues are associated with the facilities mentioned. All property related questions or concerns should be directed to the county or Sheriff's department.

The contact information is: **Sheriff non-emergency - (317) 346-6336**  
County information (317) 346-4700



***I'm your neighbor and your real estate expert.***  
*If you are thinking of buying or selling, need access to contractors or vendors through Tucker Home Services or just want to learn the current equity of your home, please reach out for a no-commitment consultation.*



*I'm happy to help!*

*Jan Witkowski*  
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