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## *A note from the Board...*

Summer is finally here and the Board is already looking forward to a few community gatherings at our newly improved common area.

The concrete pad and picnic tables are finally completed at the Cantwell Court common area. Also added were two charcoal grills and a trash receptacle. This area is designed for the enjoyment of the homeowners.

In addition, we are already working on designs and costs for a shelter to be erected over the new concrete pad next year.

Please keep in mind when using the grills to completely extinguish all flames and keep water and/or a fire extinguisher on hand. All trash is to be placed

in the trash bin.

On Sunday, June 14, we will be hosting a softball game in the common area. All ages are welcome to come join in the fun.

In October, the board will host a fall barbeque with games and activities.

A reminder that the community Web site, [www.meadowcreekhoa.com](http://www.meadowcreekhoa.com), is a great way to stay up to date on what is going on in the community. Also, the board has started an email list to keep members current on activities and volunteer opportunities. Contact Dan Finger to add your email to the list.

Sincerely,

*Meadow Creek Board of Directors*

## Upcoming Events

- **Softball Game:** Sunday, June 14, at 4 p.m. at the Cantwell Court common area. All ages welcome!
- **Meadowcreek HOA General Meeting:** Thursday, Aug. 6, at 6:30 p.m. at Covenant Church on Skeet Club Road.
- **Fall Barbeque:** Saturday, Oct. 3. Volunteers are still needed for this event. Contact Mary Houck at [mahouck@aol.com](mailto:mahouck@aol.com).



\* Unfortunately, due to the timing of the North Carolina marathon, we were not able to hold our neighborhood yard sale this spring. Stay tuned for a date for the fall yard sale.

## Summer yard maintenance

AS THE HEAT OF SUMMER SETS IN, THERE ARE A few things you can do around your yard to keep it and your grass looking their best until cooler temperatures return.

- Do not over water lawns. Grass does not need more than one inch of water per week.
- Keep lawns mowed at your highest mower setting. Taller grass stimulates root growth underground and helps establish a healthier, more drought-tolerant lawn.
- Watch for plant diseases.

**Did you know?** Research conducted at the University of Kentucky showed that Japanese beetle traps attract many more beetles than are actually caught. Consequently, susceptible plants along the flight path of the beetles and in the vicinity of traps are likely to suffer much more damage than if no traps are used at all. A better alternative is treating the yard before the beetles even emerge from the ground through the use of grub control such as milky spore.



## Calling all volunteers

DO YOU HAVE A GREAT IDEA for the community? Meadow Creek HOA can use your ideas and talents without using up all your valuable time. Volunteers are always needed, and you can commit as much or as little time as you desire.

Committees needing volunteers include:

- architectural
- social
- beautification
- strategic planning

Contact anyone on Meadow Creek's board to find out how to help out in your community.

## Teamwork keeps street trash-free

STAY TUNED TO THE community Web site for the next street cleanup. The more volunteers available means less work for all and a cleaner street to enjoy.

Thank you to those who helped clean up our adopted mile in March: Frank Tyler, William Council, Tony Russell, Corey Wellborn and Doug Houck.



## A special thank you

THE BOARD WOULD LIKE TO thank Mary Houck for her time and involvement in the community.

Mary is currently head of the community's social committee. She has also served on the board and has been active in the community for more than five years. Thank you, Mary!

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