

# COMMUNITY DIRECTOR UPDATE

**JULY 1, 2025**

## COMMUNITY NEWS

**Holiday Office Hours**—The community Offices will be closed on Friday, July 4<sup>th</sup>, in observance of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July holiday. We will reopen at 8AM on Monday, July 7<sup>th</sup>. If you have an urgent or emergency maintenance-related issue, please call (910) 756-3511.

**Community Pool Reminders** - Pools close hourly for 15 minutes to allow lifeguards to check chemicals, take a short break to cool off, and stay hydrated. If any foreign substances enter the pool, it must close for a minimum of 90 minutes to ensure all safety protocols are followed and proper cleaning has been completed. Pools will close for 30 minutes in the event of inclement weather when thunder and/or lightning is seen or heard. Should thunder or lightning occur within 30 minutes, for the safety of our families and team members, the pool will remain closed for an additional 30 minutes after hearing or seeing.

## POOL OPERATING HOURS

### BICENTENNIAL & KNOX COMMUNITY CENTER POOLS

**July 1<sup>st</sup> – August 17<sup>th</sup>** Regular Summer Schedule

Monday: Closed

Tuesday – Saturday: Open 10AM – 7PM

Sunday: Open 11AM – 7PM

### MIDWAY PARK COMMUNITY CENTER SPLASH PAD

**July 1<sup>st</sup> – August 17<sup>th</sup>** Regular Summer Schedule

Monday – Sunday: Open 8:30AM – 7PM

**Monday September 1<sup>st</sup>** – Last Day of the Season: Labor Day Open 10AM – 7PM

*\*Pool passes are available for pick up at any Community Center, and as a reminder, each family will need one to access and use the pool.*

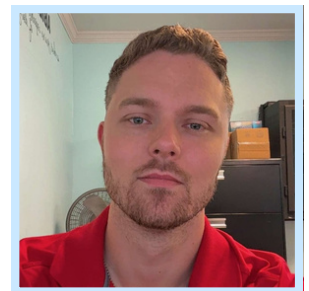
Summer Toys bring joy to kids with kiddie pools and slip 'n slides. To maintain lawns, remember to empty and remove water toys after use for the safety of pets and small children.

## TEAM MEMBER SPOTLIGHT


### Warehouse Manager, Dirk Danielson

Dirk enjoys learning new things every day and working with his team to ensure processes efficiently and effectively support our maintenance teams. Dirk is an avid player of Call of Duty to relax and loves to go camping.

We are pleased and proud to have Dirk on our team!



### Leasing Office Contact Information

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### COMMUNITY TRASH:

Schedule Located on Last page of CD Update  
Please note, week of July 4<sup>th</sup>, normally scheduled  
Friday pick-up will be on Thursday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>.

## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

### RED, WHITE, & BLUE CELEBRATION

**Date:** July 3<sup>rd</sup>

**Time:** 1:00PM – 2:30PM

**Location:** Midway Park Splash Pad

Red, White and Blue Celebration. Wear your best 4th-of-July attire and celebrate the upcoming holiday with red, white and blue popsicles in the park.



### POPSICLES IN THE PARK

**Date:** Throughout July

**Time:** Varies by Neighborhood

**Location:** Parks throughout the community

Join us for “Popsicles in the Park” in July, with events in various neighborhoods. Check your local community center for specific dates and times. Enjoy summer weather, meet neighbors, and have fun with friends while indulging in refreshing treats!



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#### NEW RIVER COMMUNITY CENTER PARK

**Date:** July 9<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 2:30PM – 3:30PM

Residents of New River Community

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#### BICENTENNIAL COMMUNITY CENTER

**Date:** July 9<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 2:30PM – 3:30PM

Residents of Paradise Point, CHB, and Hospital Point.

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#### KNOX COMMUNITY CENTER PLAYGROUND

**Date:** July 11<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 1:00PM – 2:30PM

For Tarawa Terrace II, Knox Landing and Knox Cove residents.

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#### TARAWA TERRACE COMMUNITY CENTER

**Date:** July 18<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 2:30PM – 4:00PM

For Tarawa Terrace I residents.

### BOOK SWAP/DIY BOOK MARKER CRAFT EVENT

**Date:** July 23<sup>rd</sup>

**Time:** 3:00PM – 4:30PM

**Location:** Bicentennial Community Center for Berkeley Manor, Watkins Village and Watkins Grove residents.

Join us for some reading fun and crafts! Bring a book to swap with your neighbor or donate and create your personalized book marker. Donations are accepted in advance.



**Looking for More Events?** Multiple Family Events available through Marine Corps Community Services. Please [CLICK HERE](#) to find out more

## LOCAL EVENTS

### **CAMP LEJEUNE MARINE RAIDERS 4TH OF JULY CELEBRATION**

**Date:** July 4<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 3:00PM, 4:00PM stage entertainment begins, 8:45PM fireworks

**Location:** W.P.T. Hill Field Camp Lejeune

Food and beverage vendors, live entertainment and fireworks.  
This event is free and open to DoD Cardholders and their guests.



### **MCCS FUN RUN- LEGACY DASH**

**Date:** July 12<sup>th</sup>

**Time:** 8:30AM

**Location:** MCCS Marine Corps Exchange

Participants can walk, jog, or run on our 1-mile or 3-mile course. The MCCS Fun Runs are great for runners of all levels, families, children, pets, and are stroller friendly. Each participant will receive a medal. Participate in four of the MCCS Community Center Fun Runs in 2025 and receive a free T-shirt.



## MAINTENANCE TIPS

**Excessive Heat and Your Air Conditioning Unit** – Excessive Summer heat can cause major challenges for air conditioning (AC) units to keep up with cooling demands. When this occurs, units can freeze over and stop working, which is a common reason AC units fail when temperatures soar.

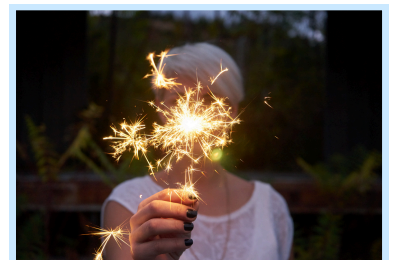
Air conditioners are designed to lower the temperature of your home's air by about 20 degrees. On extremely hot and humid days, the air in your home might be warmer than usual. Let's imagine the outside temperature is 95 degrees and your thermostat is set at 72 degrees. The air inside your home might never be able to reach 72, even with your air conditioner running continuously.

If your air conditioner has dirty cooling coils, frozen cooling coils, low refrigerant levels, or poor airflow, the capacity to cool air will be much smaller. To avoid problems like these, be sure to change your air filter every month. Contact your community office about where to pick up an air filter for your home.

## SAFETY TIPS

**Fireworks Safety:** Know your local fireworks laws ([Camp Lejeune Fireworks Safety Laws](#)). Each state has its own laws regarding the type of fireworks you can set, the dates and times they can be used, who can purchase them, and whether you need a permit. Some states don't allow consumers to use them at all, so make sure you know and follow local guidelines. Here are some additional items to remember.

- Young children should not handle fireworks; supervise them closely with sparklers and ensure they wear fitted clothing.
- Never hold a lit firework or attempt to relight a malfunctioning one.
- Maintain a safe distance: 35 feet from fountains/ground-based fireworks and 150 feet from aerial fireworks.
- Do not allow individuals under the influence of alcohol or impairments to handle or light fireworks.



## TRASH SCHEDULE

**Due to the Independence Day holiday, Friday trash/recycling collection schedule for July 4<sup>th</sup> will occur on Thursday, July 3<sup>rd</sup>**

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
<b>Berkeley Manor</b>				Trash/Recycling	
<b>Courthouse Bay</b>					Trash/Recycling *July 3 <sup>rd</sup> Collection
<b>Hospital Point</b>		Trash/Recycling			
<b>Knox Cove</b>	Trash/Recycling				
<b>Knox Landing</b>	Trash/Recycling				
<b>Midway Park</b>					Trash/Recycling *July 3 <sup>rd</sup> Collection
<b>Paradise Point</b>				Trash/Recycling	
<b>Tarawa Terrace 1</b>	Trash/Recycling				
<b>Tarawa Terrace 2</b>		Trash/Recycling			
<b>Watkins Grove</b>		Trash/Recycling			
<b>Watkins Village</b>		Trash/Recycling			
<b>McCutcheon Manor</b>					Trash/Recycling *July 3 <sup>rd</sup> Collection
<b>Peterfield Landing</b>					Trash/Recycling *July 3 <sup>rd</sup> Collection

**RECYCLING SCHEDULE: Weeks of July 7<sup>th</sup> and July 21<sup>st</sup>**

**Residents moving in or preparing to PCS should be informed about bulk trash disposal:**

- Bulk items can be placed next to the waste receptacle on scheduled trash days.
- Items must be under 6 feet and weigh less than 250 lbs; no appliances or mattresses.
- Empty moving boxes must be broken down and placed in the recycling receptacle or neatly stacked beside it.
- Trash receptacles should be at the curb the evening before pickup and returned the same day.

**Avoid placing trash around installation dumpers; consider donating gently used items to local thrift stores.**

*If you have already contacted our local Management and Housing office team and are not satisfied with the outcome, or if you have words of praise to share, we encourage you to reach out to our senior management.*

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**Laura White**

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		01	02	03 Red, White & Blue Celebration	04 4th of July Celebration Independence Day OFFICE CLOSED	05
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