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August

POOL

BACK-TO-SCHOOL POOL PARTY

Splishing and Splashing in the Summer Sun!

Come & Join us for Some Swimming Fun!

The 2019 school year is fast approaching, as the first day of student attendance for the **WEST CARROLL SCHOOL DISTRICT** is Monday, August 19, 2019. To help the children kick off another fantastic school year, the Carroll County Housing Authority is sponsoring a **BACK-TO-SCHOOL POOL PARTY**. All Carroll County Housing Authority tenants are invited. We hope to see you there!

DATE: Thursday, August 1, 2019 **TIME:** 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Savanna Swimming Pool (West Carroll High School, 500 Cragmoor)

MENU: Sub Sandwiches, Chips, Cookies, Beverage & Popsicles

NOTE: CCHA will be distributing **SCHOOL SUPPLIES** (and some goodies) to all of our Carroll Apartments <u>school-aged children</u> that are <u>signed up</u>, and in <u>attendance</u> at the Pool Party.

R.S.V.P. to the CCHA office at (815) 273-7081 by MONDAY, JULY 29TH.



PEANUT BUTTER CHOCOLATE DESSERT

A dessert of dreams...and it is a cinch to whip together because it doesn't require any baking.

INGREDIENTS

- * 20 chocolate cream-filled chocolate sandwich cookies divided
- * 2 tablespoons butter, softened
- * I package (8 oz.) cream cheese, softened
- * I/2 cup peanut butter
- * I-I/2 cups confectioners' sugar, divided
- * I carton (16 oz.) frozen whipped topping, thawed, divided
- * 15 miniature peanut butter cups, chopped * I cup cold whole milk
- * I package (3.9 oz.) instant chocolate fudge pudding mix

DIRECTIONS

- * Crush 16 cookies; toss with the butter. Press into an ungreased 9-in. square dish; set aside.
- * In a large bowl, beat the cream cheese, peanut butter and I cup confectioners' sugar until smooth. Fold in half of the whipped topping. Spread over crust. Sprinkle with peanut butter cups.

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PEANUT BUTTER CHOCOLATE DESSERT CONT'D

- * In another large bowl, beat the milk, pudding mix and remaining confectioners' sugar on low speed for 2 minutes. Let stand for 2 minutes or until soft-set. Fold in remaining whipped topping.
- * Spread over peanut butter cups. Crush
 remaining cookies; sprinkle over the top.
 Cover and chill for at least 3 hours.

YIELD: 16 servings.

SCHOOL HUMOR

- Q: Why did the teacher wear sunglasses?
- A: Because her class was so bright.
- Q: Why were the teacher's eyes crossed?
- A: She couldn't control her pupils.
- Q: How is an English teacher like a judge?
- A: They both give out sentences.
- Q: Teacher: You missed school yesterday, didn't you?
- A: Student: Not really.
- Q: Teacher: I hope I didn't see you looking at John's exam?
- A: Student: I hope you didn't either.
- Q: Teacher: If you got \$20.00 from five people, what do you get?
- A: Student: A new bike.

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SHADFLY FEST 2019

CCHA MONTHLY HAPPENINGS:

- BINGO (Mest Manor)
 <u>Tuesday</u>, August 6th &
 Monday, August 19th
 I:00p.m. (All Tenants Welcome)
- Board Game/Card Club Saturday, August 10th 6:30 p.m. (Mest Manor)
- Policy Committee Meeting & Regular Board Meeting Wednesday, August 21st 1:30 pm & 2:00 p.m. (Mest Manor)
- Mest Manor Unit Inspections Monday, August 26th (3rd and 4th Floors) Tuesday, August 27th (1st and 2nd Floors)
 * Beginning at 1:00 p.m.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS:

CARROLL COUNTY FAIR

August 6th - August 10th (Schell Park in Milledgeville, IL)

* Features fun for the entire family including children's activities (new carnival rides, children's farm, power big wheel and bicycle races, Lil' Ag Olympics), agricultural exhibits, animals, demolition derby, bags tournament, chainsaw carving demonstration, clothing/style show, ZOWA wrestling, music, entertainment, and wide variety of food & attractions.



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Mission Statement

The Housing Authority of the County of Carroll is committed to providing quality, affordable housing that is decent and safe, to eligible families in this community. We endeavor to instill pride and desire for an enhanced quality of life for our residents and their families.

We are committed to serving our residents and this entire community in a manner that demonstrates professional courtesy, respect, and caring.



CONNECTING THE COMMUNITY.....

ANNUAL CARROLL COUNTY COMMUNITY SUMMIT

The Great River Outreach will once again be hosting the Annual Carroll County Community Summit for our local area residents. This is a great opportunity for you to learn about our community service providers, volunteer opportunities available, as well as, enjoy fellowship with activities and treats. Please join us, as Carroll County Housing Authority will be a vendor at this event.

DATE: THURSDAY, AUGUST 8TH

TIME: 3:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.

LOCATION: THE TABLE (926 VIADUCT ROAD, SAVANNA, IL)

Collaborate - You have the chance to collaborate with other organizations in Carroll County.

Network - This event will help you network with the public and other agencies in Carroll County.

Empower - Our services in Carroll County empower others, but it is important we know our resources.

For additional information about this event e-mail Sarah Leif at SarahL@riverviewcenter.org, or call 815-244-7772.



NATIONAL FARMERS MARKET WEEK

Let's celebrate Farmers Markets! National Farmers Market Week is August 4 - 10, 2019, and it is a great opportunity for farmers markets across the country to host special events, and to showcase all of the tremendous services they provide. Farmers markets play a key role in

developing local and regional food systems that support family farms, and help grow rural economies. They bring communities together, connecting cities with the farms that support them and provide Americans across the country with fresh, healthy food.



SHADFLY FEST 2019 AUGUST 9TH & AUGUST 10TH | SAVANNA, IL

The Shadfly Fest will be taking over the Savanna Riverfront at Marquette Park for a two day celebration! This year's event will be held on Friday, August 9th, and Saturday, August 10th.

Following is a preliminary schedule:

Friday, August 9th:

- Gates will open to the public at 5:00 p.m.
- Food from Sullivan's Foods, Cajun Jack's Bar & Grill, and more!
- Savanna Rotary Club will be hosting a Beer and Liquor Garden all night!
- Consolidated Grain & Barge Main Stage: Down 24 at 6:30 p.m. & BAD HAIR at 9:00 p.m.

Saturday, August 10th:

- Gates will open to the public at 11:00 a.m.
- Tons of food, vendors, and more will be available.
- TBK Bank will be hosting a kid's fun zone with games, face painting and bounce houses!
- Pink Heals Sauk Valley, IL Chapter will be visiting!
- Savanna Fire Department will be hosting a dunk tank.
- The Savanna Rotary Club will be hosting the Beer and Liquor Garden.
- Lil Miss and Mr. Shadfly Pageant will start at 2:00 p.m.
- West Carroll's Storm will take the Main Stage at 4:00 p.m.
- Evan Atherton at 4:45 p.m., Swany Connection at 6:00 p.m., and Sam Shupak at 8:00 p.m.
- The Lighted Board Parade will be held at dusk!
- Eric Burgett will wrap up Shadfly Fest at 10:00 p.m.

The cost is only \$5.00 for the entire weekend. See you at Shadfly Fest!!