



# WARRIOR WORLD

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## **Whitlock Warriors Neighbors Helping Neighbors A voluntary neighborhood association**

Whitlock Warriors is a not-for-profit association whose members are the residents of the neighborhood bound by Denton Drive, Broadway Street/ Old Denton Road, Northside Drive and Whitlock Lane.

The Association is organized for the purposes of building community, improving the quality of life, eliminating neighborhood crime, and beautifying the neighborhood for all of its residents.



Been to our website lately?  
Check out our NEW Events Calendar  
and Neighborhood Chat Room!

## ***Block Party!!!***

Whitlock Warriors 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Block  
Party and Watermelon Social

Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup>

7:30- 9pm

South end of Keneipp Rd.

**Featuring Neighborhood Band  
At Whit's End**



*Noticed our new  
CRIME ALERT signs?*

We place the signs out any time we hear of a crime in our neighborhood. They're left up for 3 days to help inform all of our residents. Please visit our website if you see the signs posted.

## **KIDS CORNER**

By Dakota Scott

Hello my name is Dakota Scott and I'm 9 years old. I am proud to call myself a Whitlock Warrior because I can help stop crime. At the Whitlock Warrior meetings we get to meet Carrollton Police Officers and listen to them tell you about crime prevention. When you go to meetings you get to meet your neighbors. By getting to know my neighbors I can help watch out for their house and they can help watch mine.

I also like being part of the Whitlock Environmental Team (W.E.T.) because they help pick up trash around our neighborhood. It not only makes our neighborhood look great, but it helps the ecosystem too. It really makes you feel good when you have gotten out and helped the environment.

I loved the fall craft sale. It was fun to see all the cool things our neighbors could make. Mom and I made some brownies for the sale. I was surprised that we had so many talented neighbors.

You should never miss a meeting. At the last meeting I bought some raffle tickets and won a really cool bicycle!!

Don't forget if you get involved you can get an awesome T-Shirt or a Hat! So I hope to see you at the next Whitlock Warrior event. Remember our motto, "Neighbors Helping Neighbors".

Visit Our Website: [www.whitlockwarriors.org](http://www.whitlockwarriors.org)

# *Notes from the President*

The Whitlock Warriors are celebrating our first anniversary! I am proud of our accomplishments during our first year, and am looking forward to continuing our goal of improving our neighborhood.

Here is a brief review of our projects and accomplishments:

- We have our own Web site which includes a message center and “Warrior Chat” feature, important links to the City of Carrollton and other sites as well as an Event Calendar so you can plan ahead for volunteer opportunities.
- Published the Warrior World Newsletter
- Commissioned Whitlock Warrior T-shirts and ball caps
- Held four neighborhood cleanups with many volunteers picking up over 500 lbs of litter
- Presented two Neighborhood Crime Watch meetings where over 130 Whitlock Warriors learned valuable information from Carrollton Police Officer Jeff Moore about how to keep our homes and neighborhood a safer place.
- Implemented the new CRIME ALERT program to place signs in strategic locations to alert residents about a recent crime.
- Hosted two Garage Sales, a Holiday Crafts and Bake Sale and bike raffle ticket sales all of which raised approximately \$2,668.
- Collected Crime Watch Sign donations of \$275 which are now located at all our neighborhood street intersections.
- Our *National Night Out* Bike Parade heralded 40 participants celebrating crime watch and neighborhood safety.
- The Whitlock Warriors held elections for Board of Directors
- Created our neighborhood association By Laws
- Registered as an officially recognized neighborhood with the City of Carrollton’s Neighborhood Advisory Board and are now eligible for community improvement grants matched by the City up to \$5,000.
- Our Crime Watch efforts have led to the arrest of individuals involved in a suspected “drug house”, arrests related to a home break in and assault as well as arrests in suspected thieves trying to flee Police and captured in our neighborhood.

Our success is due to many volunteers including Crime Watch Block Captains, Crime Watch Rovers, volunteers for neighborhood cleanups and fundraisers, and our Board of Directors. However, we still need more volunteers in all of these events and that means we need **YOU** and some of your valuable time. This is an investment in your property, safety and overall well being of our neighborhood. We welcome any contributions, suggestions and feedback you and your family can give.

Thanks to all the Whitlock Warriors who have made our neighborhood organization a success and who continue to press for further improvements. We hope to see you and your family at the upcoming neighborhood Watermelon Social.

*Cindy Baxley*  
*President, Whitlock Warriors*