Chris Hines

Born and Raised in Wildwood Nj Grew Up on West Roberts Ave

Wildwood Graduate Class Of '99 started Coaching Little Warriors Football '99 Dad was a Coach and helped start the Wildwood Islanders for over 25yrs I've always been around the Football program

Joined US Army 2000

Joined Army National Guard 2004

Served in Operation Enduring Freedom '04-'06

Served in Operation Iraqi Freedom '08-'09 Received Honorable Discharge and was injured during Iraqi Freedom which caused me to retire at 80% Disability.

Started my own Entertainment Company Top Floor Ent Nj LLC '10-present:

DjCree

I have Djayed countless charity events such as:

Wildwood Back to School BBQ

Special Olympics Banquet

Cape May County Block Party Reunion

Jus Nice Sneaker Conventions

Wildwood High School Homecoming/Proms/Afterprom etc....

And so much more.

Worked at Woodbine Developmental Center '08-'14

Went to Full Sail University for Bachelor in Science for Music Productions '13

2019 Started Working at the Afterschool program entitled Wave 21 Teaching students Music Productions/How to Dj.

(Hired at Glenwood 2021) Currently work at Glenwood Ave Elementary school as a Paraprofessional working with the Special Education Class Mrs. Santiago 3rd-5th Grades.

Started Non Profit in 2018 entitled Top Kids Athletics in which we created Jersey Rockets AAU Basketball Team. We currently train over 100 Kids from Grades 3rd and up Strength and Conditioning for all sports.

I am a Certified NJSIAA OFFICIAL for High School Football and Basketball.

I was the 2nd Vice President of the Cape May County NAACP

When I returned from Iraq I decided to dedicate the rest of my life to making my community a better place. This has nothing to do with me, but everything to do with the next generation and the future generations to come. This has been the hardest task for me so far, sitting back trying to recount the endless things I do. Only because I try to do what's morally right and most of the time it comes with no recognition, awards or praise. I genuinely don't expect anything In return. When I see a younger person's life transform or them achieving what they set out to

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be, that's all that matters to me. We tend to grow into adults and to no fault of our own, let time consume most of our days. We tend to forget about the children. As the next Commissioner of Wildwood Nj I want to remember the children, give them a voice. I want to assist with creating more programs for them at our Byrne Community Center. Not all sports related but programs such as Jr. Culinary Arts, ESports, Financial Education, and more. I would like to elect a Junior Mayor and Deputy Mayor that can come to our meetings and give us their perspective of things, activities they have going on in the community. Wildwood used to be full of local families that knew each other so well. Nowadays so many of these families had to move offshore due to our high cost of housing and rental properties. I want to create more affordable housing for our families. If we can create affordable housing then more of our youth can afford to come back to Wildwood after they graduate to start families, join police and fire departments, become teachers or start businesses. We are a diverse community in Wildwood but our last few Commissioners have not represented the diversity we have living in Wildwood. It's time for that to change. I want to break the bearer and negative stigma a lot of our community members have on politicians. As commissioner I will have an open door policy and you will see me actively engaged within the community. Whether it's a sporting event, community event, or private engagement, I am approachable. If I don't have an answer on the spot, I will be sure to respond with a solution as quickly as possible.

I have sat on the TDC Board for the past 4years we approved and helped fund the Hispanic Festival the past two years, the Planning and Zoning Committee and Recreational Advisory Board.

I also assisted with getting the Maxwell Field Beautification project started. I showed up to the Freeholder meeting to discuss concerns about Maxwell field prior to the project.

My Job is Not Done Yet, we have many more ideas and goals to achieve to help wildwood stay on the right path. The path of Unity, Togetherness, and Inclusiveness.