

Turtle Creek Community Newsletter

October 2013

E-Mail Addresses

We are continuing to collect homeowner's email addresses. A Subdivision Homeowners email distribution list allows us to quickly share Subdivision and City of Novi breaking news. Eventually we will be sending Newsletters via email only, allowing us to save time and money.

If you have not provided yours, email it to Bill Bartley at bbdesigner3800@gmail.com. Please include your name and address (house number and street name), and "Turtle Creek" in the Subject Line.

Email addresses will not be included in the Homeowners Directory, and they will not be shared with any other party.

New for 2014!

Mark your calendars!

Subdivision Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 19

Subdivision Block Party Saturday, September 6

The Turtle Creek Board of Directors decided on these activities in an effort to establish some connections with neighbors. The Board hopes everyone will attend and make it a priority to meet some neighbors, whether or not you have children participating!

Please contact Brian Sharrow at bsharrow22098@hotmail.com if you are able to help with either of these events.

New Board Members

The annual Turtle Creek Subdivision meeting was held on October 10. New Board Members were elected as follows:

Bill Bartley – Directory and Newsletter Nick Kronsbein – Treasurer Paula Maczka – Webmaster

Bob Glubzinski will continue to serve as President, Brian Sharrow as Social Chair, Jim Rzepka as Trash Coordinator and Brian Smith as Entrance Sign Coordinator.

Thank you to the following volunteers for a great job done during the past two years:

Marge Jonesku, Treasurer Sherrie Konkus, Webmaster Paula Maczka, Newsletter Editor

Bridge Replacement at Entrances

The entrance bridges have been replaced! Many thanks to Loren and Sherrie Konkus and their sons, Kevin and David for the many volunteer hours they spent to improve our subdivision entrances! We appreciate you! And thank you to their friends who helped with demolition!

TurtleCreekNovi.com

Visit our subdivision web site! You will find photos of the old and new entrance bridges, subdivision information (essentials), handy links, emergency information and previous Turtle Creek Newsletters!

Dates to Keep in Mind

- City-recommended hours for Halloween trick or treating are from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm on Thursday, October 31st
- Daylight Saving Time ends on November 3rd. Set your clocks BACK one hour. This is a great time to change the batteries in your smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors!
- ✓ Vote on Tuesday, November 5th

For more information, visit cityofnovi.org. In the "Quick Access" box, click on "Quick Links" and select "Election Information."

Voters in the Novi Community School District will be asked to **renew** two millages. For more information, visit www.novi.k12.mi.us/district/millage/.

✓ Last day for yard waste pickup is Saturday, November 30th (delayed one day due to Thanksgiving holiday). Remember to cut long items into 4-foot bundles and tie them up.

Be considerate of your neighbors and do not put trash out for pick-up until the night before. City ordinances allow trash to be set at the curb no more than 24 hours prior to pick-up.

2nd Annual Trick or Trucks event

Thursday, October 24 5:30 – 7:00 pm at the Novi High School

for children 3 years and older

Trick or Trucks provides the opportunity of kids to discover some big and exciting vehicles while showcasing their costumes. Touring station to station, attendees will not only enjoy a fire truck, police vehicles, and large construction equipment, they will fill their goody bags with festive treats. The night will also feature a craft from Novi Co-Op Preschool and refreshments will be served.

Price: \$8 per person (\$10 for non-residents). The deadline to register is Tuesday, October 22. In the case of inclement weather, the event will be moved to October 25.

You can register online (cityofnovi.org) or at Novi Parks Department.

Light up the Night in Novi

Friday, December 6 from 6:00 – 9:00 pm Civic Center Campus Free Community Event

Tree Lighting at 6:15pm, Santa Visits, Train Rides, Magic Shows at Novi Public Library, Marshmallow Roasting, Live Reindeer, Ice Sculptures, Free Refreshments.