



Turtle Creek Community Newsletter

Fall 2018

Annual Fall Association Meeting

Wednesday, October 10 at 7 p.m.

At the Library Pub

42705 Grand River Avenue

Come and meet your neighbors!

All residents in attendance will receive their first beverage free of charge, courtesy of the Turtle Creek Homeowners Association (TCHA).

Turtle Creek Needs Volunteers!

In order to provide activities for our residents, and to keep our neighborhood looking good, the TCHA is seeking volunteers for the following positions:

Social Director: Coordinate social events for families. Past activities include a summer neighborhood picnic and fall family fun day. New ideas are always welcome!

Maintenance Coordinator: Manage contracts for subdivision services like mowing and landscape maintenance.

If you can help, please contact TCHA President Brian Sharrow at bsharrow79@icloud.com.

Keep Our Residents Safe!

Please observe speed limits and traffic signs when driving in the subdivision to keep neighbors safe!

Autumn brings shorter days and older children waiting at neighborhood bus stops before daylight. Families are out walking pets, riding bikes, and enjoying the fall weather. Please drive carefully to keep our residents safe, and remind family members and friends to do so, too!

Welcome to Turtle Creek

Kate Caulfield and Jeremy Moy

22217 Meridian Lane

Chennaraya and Roopashree Kodagi

22032 Meridian Lane

New! 'Like' Us on Facebook!

www.facebook.com/TurtleCreekNovi

Dates to Remember

- ✓ **Household Hazardous Waste drop-off** will take place at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Rd., on Saturday, October 6 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Electronic waste recycling and paper shredding are available at this event. See www.RRRASOC.org for details.
- ✓ **Halloween** is Wednesday, October 31. City-recommended hours for **trick or treating** are 6-8 p.m. For Halloween safety tips, visit www.cityofnovi.org, click on the *Public Safety* link and follow *Police>Administration>A Message from the Chief*.
- ✓ **Daylight Saving Time ends** on Sunday, November 4. Set your clocks **BACK** one hour. Remember to change the batteries in your smoke alarms and carbon monoxide detectors too!
- ✓ **Last yard waste pickup is Friday, November 30.** Contact Waste Management (866.797.9018) for questions regarding trash pickup service, or visit www.cityofnovi.org and click on the *Quick Link for Trash Collection*. Please be considerate of your neighbors and do not put trash out for pick-up until the night before.

E-Mail Addresses

Receive newsletters and other essential information electronically by providing an email address. Currently, 60% of Turtle Creek households receive electronic communications. This saves the association mailing costs, and gives residents timely information. Email addresses are NOT included in the Homeowners Directory; they are used only for newsletters and other messages from the Turtle Creek board. Printed newsletters are mailed to residents who don't provide an email address. To sign up for electronic communications, send your name, home address and up to two email addresses to Anita Saurer at csaurer@earthlink.net.

From: Turtle Creek Newsletter Editor
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To:

Links to Online City Resources

City of Novi Website www.cityofnovi.org

Drive, Ride, Walk E-Newsletter

Sign up at www.cityofnovi.org/BetterRoadsAhead

“Do Not Knock” Registry

www.cityofnovi.org/City-Services/City-Clerk/Do-Not-Knock-Registry.aspx

Novi Public Library eNewsletter

Visit the Library’s website (www.novilibrary.org) and click on the logo for E-Newsletters, or click [here](#).

Engage! Recreation Guide

This is a great resource to learn about city services and recreational offerings. There is always something to see and do in Novi – check it out!

www.cityofnovi.org/City-Services/Parks,-Recreation-and-Cultural-Services/Engage!-Recreation-Guide.aspx

Nextdoor.com

Turtle Creek is on Nextdoor.com. Visit www.turtlecreeknovi.nextdoor.com and see what’s new with your neighbors!

Neighborhood Reminders

- Leave your porch lights on at night for safety.
- Please keep pets on a leash while walking through the subdivision and clean up after them when needed.
- Subdivision by-laws are available at www.turtlecreeknovi.com.

Homeowners Directory

If you are new to Turtle Creek and didn’t receive the *2018 Turtle Creek Homeowners Directory*, contact Anita Saurer at csaurer@earthlink.net to obtain a copy. Contact Anita in order to update information published in the directory, too.

Important Information from the Novi Police Department

There is no crime without opportunity! Please keep doors and windows to homes and vehicles locked and secure. Do not leave valuables such as cell phones, GPS units, cash or garage door openers in vehicles when not attended. Do not leave cars on the street overnight to avoid potential theft or damage. Call the Novi PD if you see suspicious activity in the neighborhood.

Visit the Novi PD homepage at www.cityofnovi.org/City-Services/Public-Safety/Police.aspx to learn more about:

- ~Home Watch Program
- ~Crime Mapping Program
- ~Register Your Alarm
- ~**Popular Pages** such as **Nixle Public Safety Alerts** and **Crime Stoppers (1-800-SPEAK-UP)**
- ~**Community Programs** including **Craigslist Transaction Meeting Place** and **Drug Take Back Program**