



# Turtle Creek Community Newsletter

Spring 2023



## GET READY FOR SUMMER!

Watch Facebook, the Turtle Creek website and the subdivision signboards for an upcoming summer event. We hope everyone can come out!

## Annual Homeowner Dues

Annual dues of \$155.00 is due June 30, 2023.

If we sent you an email invoice last year, we will send one again this year, using the email address on record. People can still request an electronic invoice by sending a message to [turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com](mailto:turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com).

Please contact Joe Pickering at [turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com](mailto:turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com) with questions. All payments and correspondence should be mailed to:

**Turtle Creek Homeowners Association**  
143 Cadycentre, #198, Northville, MI 48167

## Message from the President

Experience the Rewards of Volunteering!  
Open positions on the TCHA Board of Directors:

- 1) Maintenance Coordinator
- 2) Directory Coordinator
- 3) Newsletter Editor

Contact me to volunteer or to learn more about these opportunities.

All correspondence regarding TCHA business and Annual TCHA dues should be mailed to:

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Brian Sharrow ([bsharrow79@icloud.com](mailto:bsharrow79@icloud.com))  
TCHA President

## Checkout our Website!

Visit our website and see the new look designed by our Webmaster, Jess Bujau. Jess would love to hear your ideas and suggestions:

[jessbujau@gmail.com](mailto:jessbujau@gmail.com)

<http://www.turtlecreeknovi.com/site/>

## Find Turtle Creek on Facebook and Nextdoor!

[www.facebook.com/TurtleCreekNovi](https://www.facebook.com/TurtleCreekNovi)

[www.nextdoor.com](https://www.nextdoor.com)

To join **Nextdoor** as a member of the Turtle Creek community, follow these steps online:

1. Go to **Nextdoor.com**, and at the bottom of the sign-in box click on "Sign up"
2. Enter your Turtle Creek street address and your preferred email address
3. Select "Find your neighborhood" and enter Turtle Creek
4. Complete all required fields
5. Click "Sign up"
6. Follow the instructions to verify your address. Most people can verify address using a mobile number, if address on file with your service provider matches your address on Nextdoor.

**2023 DIRECTORIES WILL BE MAILED SEPARATELY IN JUNE**

## Links to Online City Resources

**City of Novi Website** [www.cityofnovi.org](http://www.cityofnovi.org)

Click on *Quick Links* to find information about:

- Trash Collection, including Recycling and Yard Waste
- Novi Public Library & Library eNewsletter
- Engage Recreation Guide

### **“Do Not Knock” Registry**

<https://www.cityofnovi.org/Government/City-Services/City-Clerk/Do-Not-Knock-Registry.aspx>

## **In Case of Emergency...**

**City of Novi Emergency Hotline**

**248-735-5680**

The phone line will be used only during an emergency and will keep residents apprised of pertinent information.

Visit <https://www.cityofnovi.org/Government/City-Services/Public-Safety/Police/Emergency-Preparedness.aspx> to sign up for emergency alerts on your cell phone.

## Homeowner Directory

Upon receipt of the 2023 Turtle Creek Homeowner Directory, please review your entry to ensure it is correct. Email updates to [turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com](mailto:turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com).

### **TCHA By-Laws**

Have a question about the subdivision by-laws? Visit the [Turtle Creek Website](#) and click on the *Essentials* tab.

### **Get Turtle Creek Information via Email**

To receive electronic communications, send your name, home address, and up to two email addresses to [turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com](mailto:turtlecreeknovi@gmail.com).

Email addresses are not printed in the annual directory, nor shared or published in any way. You won't receive ads or solicitations.

If you change your email address, be sure to let us know!

### **Neighborhood Reminders**

- This spring more families are enjoying time outdoors. **Please observe speed limits in the subdivision to keep our neighbors safe!**
- Leave your porch lights on at night for safety.
- Recreational vehicles or trailers can't be stored in your driveway unless you're packing/unpacking for a trip.
- Please keep pets leashed while walking through the subdivision and clean up after them when needed.

### **Household Hazardous Waste Collection in Novi**

**Saturday, October 7, 2023**

**9 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

Novi DPW Garage  
26300 Lee BeGole Drive

Other dates are scheduled for surrounding communities – visit <http://rrrasoc.org> and click on the *Household Hazardous*

## **Oakland County Health Division Resources**

The Oakland County Health Division focuses on preventing the spread of disease; ensuring a safe and clean environment; promoting and encouraging healthy behaviors; preparing for emergencies; surveillance of disease threats; and ensuring accessibility of health services.

The page also features a link for information regarding **COVID-19**, including data about the spread of the disease in Oakland County, the county's response and numerous resources offering help and guidance.

Other information is available on topics such as protecting against mosquito bites and mosquito-borne diseases, clinics and services, and immunizations.

Visit [www.oakgov.com/health](http://www.oakgov.com/health) and click on the COVID-19 link or click on the Health Department link for other valuable resources.

## **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 unattended. **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](http://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