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Website

## Your quarterly news & updates

TCWP cares about the health and safety of everyone who supports our organization. In an effort to limit the spread of the coronavirus (COVID-19), TCWP continues to alter the format of our events.

Want event dates to put on your fridge? [Click here to be added to a physical mailing.](#)

## Fall Events

We were able to have a few events this summer. Many events and information are on social media.

- [Individual Acts of Conservation](#)
- October 10 Drinkers for Tinker's

Thank you to everyone who made our annual fundraiser a success at Hop Tree Brewing! We're grateful for great partners who helped us adapt the event to keep everyone safe.

Visit our full Event Calendar



ABOVE & RIGHT: TCWP Board and Guests Cheers to another year!

BELOW: Thanks again to Hop Tree Brewing our Event Sponsors our a great event!

## Upcoming Events

TCWP continues to adapt to COVID-19 with some socially distant modifications:

- Individual Acts of Conservation continues! Form below
- February: TBA date for our popular virtual hikes
- March: TBA dates for Water Quality



### Individual Acts of Conservation Form



### Help us track Beech Leaf Disease

Beech Leaf Disease has been found in the Tinker's Creek and Brandywine Creek watersheds, and we need your help to track its spread.

The disease is readily apparent looking up into the canopy to see dark bands on the leaves. Leaves will also begin to thicken, curl, and turn black.

More information on this disease and where to report it can be found [here](#).



## Natives for Holiday Decorating

### Bring Native In



If you use native plants in your holiday decorating, you already know the beauty of winterberry (*Ilex verticillata*).

They tolerate wet clay soils, a range of sun/shade, are pest and deer resistant, and are at their most gorgeous when many other plants are dormant for winter. A great addition to your landscaping!

Many natives can be used in holiday decorating from spruce, pine, hemlock, and more.

## Members & Partners are the Key to our Success

### Business Members

Thank you to our business members! If you own a business and would like to become a member or

### Community Members

Thank you to our community members! You can learn more about our services to communities at

learn about our services to members, check out [our website](#).

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**Pond Brook Premier**

ADS Advanced Drainage System

**Beaver Run**

Civil and Environmental Consultants, Inc.  
Davey Resource Group  
GPD Group

**Wood Creek**

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Hull & Associates, Inc  
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**Deer Lick**

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Mannik and Smith Group  
Mark Haynes Construction  
OPN Seed  
Paddle the River LLC  
Partners Environmental Consulting, Inc.

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Environmental Design Group  
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Eurofins TestAmerica Pietras  
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MS Consultants  
Otisco Engineering Ltd.  
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Stone Environmental  
The Shelly Company

Aurora  
Beachwood  
Bedford  
Bedford Heights  
Boston Heights  
Glenwillow  
Hudson  
Macedonia  
Maple Heights  
Northfield  
Northfield Center Township  
North Randall  
Oakwood  
Reminderville  
Streetsboro  
Twinsburg  
Twinsburg Township  
Valley View  
Walton Hills  
Warrensville Heights



**Individual Membership**

Individual Memberships help us provide services to communities in the watershed through:

- Stream restoration projects
- Education and outreach on watershed health and protection
- Building community partnerships to preserve and protect natural resources
- Hosting the Ohio Stormwater Conference and other education workshops

**All Membership Levels include the Quarterly Newsletter, invitations to the Annual Open House and many opportunities to volunteer**

Membership Levels	
Watershed Friend:	\$ 25
Watershed Supporter:	\$ 50
Watershed Advocate:	\$100
Watershed Hero:	\$300

We hope you consider TCWP with your end of year giving! Your support allows us to continue protecting crucial land in the watersheds we serve.

[Become a member](#)

# Restoration Projects

TCWP has been awarded a Section 319 with the Ohio and US EPA to restore >1,800 linear feet of stream

in Hudson! This unnamed tributary is disconnected from its floodplain and overrun with invasive vegetation. Stay tuned for a formal press release about the project. We're excited to get this project on the ground in 2021.



This unnamed tributary could use some help! Keep up to date on its progress through our newsletters and website.

## Get involved! Check out events near you!

Events calendar

## Northern Ohio Watershed (NOW) Corps



**AmeriCorps**  
Ohio



### We are getting a makeover!

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Visit us [online](#), or contact our NOWCorps Program Manager for more information!

<https://tinkerscreek.org/nowcorps-program/>

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