



Wabash Telephone Coop, Inc.



Wabash Line Newsletter March 2011

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Annual Meeting is April 21st at the Louisville High School



- The 59th Annual Meeting will be held at the Louisville High School.
- Registration and entertainment will be at 6 p.m. and the business meeting will start at 7 p.m.
- There will be a free gift at the door for all members attending.

Please join us for the evening.

Directory Additions

Richard A & Amanda F Owen Jr	446-3188
Howard Ritchie	446-5260
Linda S Snidle	446-5221
Stephen & Ruthie J Welty	665-3644
Van T Spicer	665-4935
Winterrowd Excavating & Construction	665-3008
Winterrow Tree Service & Lawn Care	665-3008
Andrew Pennington	673-2408
Ericka Hale	673-3086
Frank Cunningham	673-2252
Toby D & Edna Mae Schock	673-2884
Katrina Robertson	673-3663
Lowell & Brenda K Showalters	678-2745
Bill Bradley/Melissa Kelm	678-2728
Lazy S Shooting Supply	678-2745
Jed & Chris Williams	678-2321
Donna G Schoonover	678-2683
Thomas H & Lina Griffy	686-2332
Michael Jeffrey Brooks	686-4112
Lonnie McKitrick	835-2633
B McDowell	835-2299
Josh Atwood	854-2893
B Boatner	854-2670
Brenda Bates	897-2016
Shaun T Sharp	446-3240



- **Get starz 1/2 price for the first 3 months.**
- **Dial-up internet customers UP-GRADING to high speed internet: FREE installation and the 1st two months are free.**

Service Anniversaries

Rick Allen, WIN	10 years
Janice Brooks, WTCI	7 years
Toni Griffith, ITA	6 years
Scott Hubble, WTCI	16 years
Chris McCrory, WTCI	10 years
Tanya Wells, WTCI	19 years



Focus on the Community Photo Contest

Do you have a unique photograph that represents the true spirit and character of this area? A *snapshot that symbolizes why our community is a special place*. If so, you should enter the Wabash Telephone Cooperative's telephone directory photo contest for a chance to win money and bragging rights.

The Cooperative is conducting a photo contest for the upcoming 2011/2012 Wabash Regional Telephone Directory. The chosen photo(s) will appear on the cover. There will be more than 29,000 phone books distributed to all Wabash Telephone customers as well as many other residents and businesses in the surrounding area. The photos that are chosen to be featured on the directory cover will win \$50.

Photos should be taken at a high resolution in order to be reproduced in print. They should be no smaller than 4 x 6 and no larger than 8 x 10. The photos should be taken in one of the nine exchanges that Wabash Telephone Cooperative serves and not show any identifiable people. Participants must be a member of Wabash Telephone Coop or the child of a member living in the same household. Each participant may submit up to three photos. Include your name, phone number, and background information relating to the photo on the back of each photo entered.

The contest deadline is April 29, 2011. *Good luck and have fun! We look forward to seeing why you think this area is a great place to live, work and to call home!* You may submit your photo by email to wabashtel@wabash.net or mail both to:
Wabash Telephone Cooperative
Attn: Photo Contest
P.O. Box 299
Louisville IL 62858



WIN DONATES COMPUTERS TO AREA SCHOOLS



Pictured above is Noah Atwood: a first grade at Mt Erie Grade school



Pictured above Pictured is "Computer Guy" Ron Stanford and Donna Williams Mt Erie Principal

WIN and Wabash Telephone Coop are a proud supporter of our local community. WIN recently donated five computers to local area schools. The donations were made to the Xenia, Geff, Johnsonville, Louisville and Mt Erie Grade schools. The schools are using the computers for the first and second grade classes to help the students learn their spelling, construct sentences and they take accelerated reading tests on them. The students can also earn time on them to play fun math and phonic games.

It is part of our pledge to build strength and vitality in our community and to build good relationships with our customers. WIN & WTCI provided \$13,000 in scholarships to local high school students in 2010. We donate free Internet and 3 TV channel to local area schools for their use. Not only do we donate to the schools we contribute through monetary donations to a wide variety of local charitable organizations & community events including all the summer recreational programs, county fairs, boy scouts, veteran program, cripple children, cancer support, library and benefits.

Thank you for your business! It helps us to help them. You can feel good knowing when you do business with us your helping to build a strong community. Everyone WIN\$ when we work together!