



HOW TECHNOLOGY HAS CHANGED HALLOWEEN

Remember the days when dressing up for Halloween meant raiding your grandparents' closet? Those days have changed due to the massive pool of ideas easily found all over the internet. Parents use technology like smartphones to browse social media sites and shop online to find the latest and greatest Halloween costumes. Some parents still go to the store but before they go, they check the stores website to see what costumes are available. It is a different world!

If using technology to find the perfect costume was not enough, parents take numerous photos of their children using a smartphone to post on social media sites like Snapchat, Instagram and Facebook. The pressure to dress your child to catch a social media buzz is increasing.

On the flipside, that massive pool of ideas all over the internet can be extremely helpful too. Busy parents can search the web for throw-together costumes using things they already have in their home. Parents who have time to plan ahead may search the web and order exactly what their child wants to wear for Halloween. Type "Halloween Costumes" into Google or another search engine and you will get more than 6 million hits!

What hasn't changed? Children of all ages love dressing up for Halloween! Happy Halloween from the NEMR Team, Saturday, October 31st, 2020!

OCTOBER IS NATIONAL CO-OP MONTH



Our CO-OP Builds COMMUNITIES

October is Co-op Month and a time to recognize the accomplishments and contributions of member-owned companies across America. As a co-op, NEMR Telecom doesn't have to answer to faraway shareholders. Instead, we focus on meeting the needs of our local members and building connections within our communities.

Thanks for choosing NEMR Telecom for your internet and related services. You're part of our co-op's success story.



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Celebrated by cooperatives nationwide during the month of October, National Co-op Month is an annual opportunity to raise awareness of a trusted, proven way to do business and build communities. Locally owned co-ops are everywhere. As a member of a co-op, you are an owner. Cooperatives start with people who join together to meet a need. People who use or deliver co-op services are its members. Since members own and democratically control the co-op, their knowledge and participation are key to their success. Co-ops exist to serve the community first so they focus on bringing quality goods and services to their members. Co-ops are a great choice for buying local and keeping jobs in the community. Some co-ops pay their members when business is good. Co-ops provide almost every good and service imaginable. NEMR Telecom is a co-op.

\$20 Giveaway

Hi everyone! NEMR Telecom is celebrating Co-op Month with giveaways! Join us every Friday in October around 11 a.m. on Facebook. We will be drawing a member's name and giving away a **\$20 bill credit** for a total of **\$100** in October! You don't have to watch to win but it is more fun!



- Follow our Facebook page and join us each Friday in October!
- One member's name will be drawn to win a **\$20 bill credit**!



The BUZZZZZZ

PUTNAM COUNTY FAIR BOOTH WINNERS

ADULT WINNERS

NEMR AUTO KIT

Kathy Griffen
Donna Wessley
Lacie Jones
Jill Blanchard
Pat Brundage

NEMR BLANKET

Linda Clark
Patty Robinson
Nick Cullum
Wanda Spence
Linda Carter

YOUTH WINNERS

NEMR LUNCH BOX

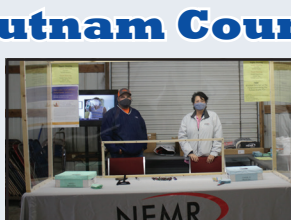
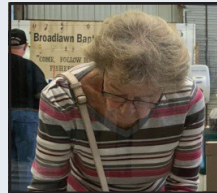
Oliver Caley
Nolan McCree
Kylea Webb
Dante Parras
Lea Simmons

NEMR BAG

Austin Hendee
Bryleigh Weaver
Eli Mendenhall
Oden Weston
Allison Phillips

NEMR WATER BOTTLE

Karson Cullum
Harper Fitz
Myles Lutz
Tynley Overton
Kenzie Campbell



2020 Putnam County Fair

FALL SUN OUTAGES

What is a sun outage?

A sun outage is an interruption in satellite signals caused by interference from solar radiation. The interference is caused when the sun is in direct line with a communication satellite and the sun's radiation overwhelms the satellite signal.

How long do they last?

Interruption in TV service due to sun outages can last up to several minutes a day.

How do they affect watching TV?

During this time, you may experience interference with picture quality and sound when watching television. Sun outages do not affect internet or phone service.



Tips to Avoid Hackers

1. Look at the header. Does it look fake?
2. Scan the body of the email. Does it look normal? Is anything misspelled or written in an unusual way?
3. Ask yourself why you received the email? Why should you open it? Don't open due to curiosity!
4. If still unsure, call your internet service provider, NEMR Telecom.

Back to School Giveaway Winners

HP Laptop-Chris Elsea of Novinger
iPad mini-Dennis Carte of Green City

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