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# The BUZZ

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## LONGEST LIVING CO-OP MEMBER

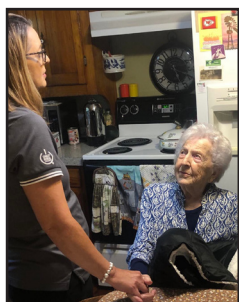
My visit with the longest living member of our cooperative was wonderful. **Mabel Hill**, 102 years and 9 months old, has had service with NEMR since 1953.

I stopped by Mabel's home in rural Novinger where her daughter, Patricia Bellington, graciously met me at the door. Mabel followed us into the kitchen where I gave her a NEMR blanket and our 70th Anniversary cup. She was very pleased and surprised to receive gifts. Mabel

told me about the first telephone she had, the exchange it came out of, her phone number, and about the party lines which brought a few chuckles. She shared memories of her years on the farm as a wife, mother, and grandmother.

I think she blessed me more than I could have ever blessed her. It is wonderful working for a cooperative, that after 70 years, still exists because of members like Mabel. Thank you to all who called in with names of long-time NEMR members. Happy 70th Anniversary to your cooperative!

-Michele Gillespie, CEO



## NEW DIRECTORY LISTINGS

Memphis Mercantile	660-465-2102
RPM Signs & Shirts	660-465-7203
Blake's CowGrill Calf-A	660-874-4210
Green, Zanthanese	660-945-3074
Larson, Christina & Johnny	660-947-2197

## CAPITAL CREDITS

Your cooperative, NEMR, will be distributing capital credits to each of our members on the basis of how much business they have done with the cooperative in the past. The board voted to distribute 20% of 2021 and 40% of 1995 credits for a total of \$884,000. For your convenience, this year's credit will automatically be applied to your November bill!

## TIME FOR TURKEY, TOUCHDOWNS, AND TECH

### FEAST ON THE FUN OF THANKSGIVING

What's not to love about this holiday? Thanksgiving brings together treasured family and friends. Plus, it combines some of our favorite things—enjoying a turkey dinner with side dishes galore, streaming football games for hours, and sharing memorable moments via video calls and social media.

If your bandwidth is being gobbled up by the growing number of devices in your home, it's time for an internet upgrade.

**CALL 660-874-4111 NOW FOR FASTER INTERNET**

**Happy Thanksgiving to you and yours!**

Our office will be closed November 24th.



Free Preview Week  
Nov. 22-30, 2022  
Select Vu & Variety Tier



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# Holiday giveaway

## HOW TO ENTER OUR HOLIDAY GIVEAWAY:

Send an email to [contest@nemr.net](mailto:contest@nemr.net) between November 1st and December 15th, 2022.

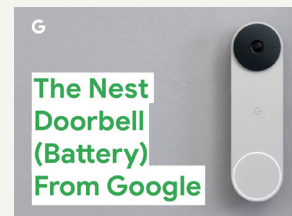
1. Include your **name, address, and phone number in the email.**
2. Only one entry per membership/account please. Three names will be drawn on Facebook around noon on Friday, December 16th!



Fire TV Stick  
4K Max, Wi-Fi 6,  
Alexa Voice Remote



iRobot Roomba 694  
Robot Vacuum-Wi-Fi  
Self-Charging



Google Nest  
Doorbell (Battery)  
Wireless Camera-Video

## BUZZ TIP



Paying bills online is an easy way to save time and money. NEMR, like many companies, offers an app to manage customer accounts from a smartphone. This app is called eBill Mobile. It is free and available to download from your phone's app store. The app offers other tools such as viewing invoices, reporting problems with one of your services, enrolling in autopay, selecting how you would like to receive your monthly statements, and more. For more information, give NEMR a call during business hours, 660-874-4111.



### eBill Mobile App

Available to download free  
from smartphones' app store

## TURKEY JOKES



- What kind of cup does a turkey drink from? *A goblet!*
- What instrument can a turkey play? *The drums!*
- What kind of key can't open a door? *A turKEY!*
- What did the turkey say before dinner? *I'm stuffed!*
- Why was the turkey excited for Thanksgiving? *The farmer invited it to dinner!*
- What kind of train does a turkey ride on? *A gravy train!*
- How did the scarecrow mess up Thanksgiving? *He put the wrong stuffing in the turkey!*

**Happy Thanksgiving From The NEMR Team!**

Sign-up for

**Autopay &  
Paperless  
Billing**



to receive a 1x**\$20** bill credit  
& **\$1**/mo. savings

## nemrTV Line-up Changes

The Olympic Channel is no longer available as of October 1, 2022. Effective January 1, 2023, Flix E and Flix W will move from Variety Tier to Showtime.



Call NEMR two weeks before the big move so you don't miss a day of service!

**Michele Gillespie, CEO**

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