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The BUZZ

FRS 2023 YOUTH TOUR

The Foundation for Rural Services and NEMR will send two students on an all-expense paid trip to our nation's capital, May 31-June 4, 2023. If you are a student between the ages of 15 and 17 during the tour, apply online at www.nemr.net. Click on the FRS dropdown button and select "DC Youth Tour." Applicant's parents or guardians must have active service with NEMR. For more information, call 660-874-4111 and ask for Justin Simmons. Deadline to apply is January 18, 2023.

FIND A FIBER HOME

Moving? Helping someone find a place to live? Are you a realtor or broker? Visit www.fiberhomes.com. Did you know 47% of rural moves are to areas with fiber? Fiber Homes identifies addresses with the fastest and most reliable internet technology available in the world. Make sure your new home is fiber certified at fiberhomes.com.

Find Great Internet Before You Move!



CHECK BY PHONE

NEMR is now accepting electronic check payments over the phone. If you need to pay your bill using an e-Check, simply call a customer service representative during office hours and provide your routing and checking account numbers. Your check won't be lost in the mail, nor will you need a stamp.



UNLEASH THE JOY OF THE CHRISTMAS SEASON

Merry Christmas from Santa Paws and NEMR! May this season be filled with the kind of joyful moments that make smiles form and tails wag — like neighborhood walks to see holiday lights, cookie baking for furry and non-furry family, and delighting loved ones with the gifts they've gotten for.

THANKS FOR BEING ONE OF OUR LOYAL CUSTOMERS

It would be "ruff, ruff" without you.

Please note: Our office will be closed Friday, Dec. 23-Monday, Dec. 26, 2022.

Congratulations to the winners from our random member drawing during National Cooperative Month in October. They win a \$20 bill credit on their December NEMR bill!

Ryan Robbins-Unionville, Midway Baptist Church-Unionville, Janine Whitt-Novinger, Josh or Susan Applegate-Queen City, Daisy Murphy-Memphis (Tobin Creek)

NEW DIRECTORY LISTINGS

Putnam County
Juvenile Office 660-947-2259
Dollins, Mark A 660-947-3060
Square View Diner 660-947-3501



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Holiday giveaway

HOW TO ENTER OUR HOLIDAY GIVEAWAY:

Send an email to contest@nemr.net between November 1st and December 15th, 2022.

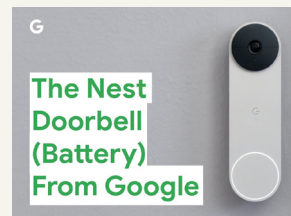
1. Include your **name, address, and phone number in the email.**
2. Only one entry per membership/account please. Three names will be drawn on Facebook around noon on Friday, December 16th!



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



Watch out for charity scams! This time of the year, scammers pull at your heart-strings, robbing you of the joy of giving during the holidays. If you experience any of the following, it may be a scam:

Pressure to give immediately-Any real charity will welcome your donation whenever you choose.

A request for certain payment methods-Scammers often ask for donations via cash, gift cards, money transfer tools like CashApp, or wire transfer.

A request for personal and financial information-Legitimate charities won't ask for your Social Security number, date of birth, or banking information.

The following websites can help you determine if a charity is real:

<https://www.charitynavigator.org>

SHOWTIME

FREE PREVIEW
12/9 - 12/12/22

Select Vu & Variety Tier
nemrTV

HBO CINEMAX

FREE PREVIEW WEEK
12/22-12/30/2022

Select Vu & Variety Tier
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NEMR TV CUSTOMER NOTICE

NEMR must raise TV rates beginning January 1, 2023 to offset the never-ending programming increases. Listed are the new monthly rates, Local Vu \$52, Select Vu \$128, Variety Tier \$132, Choice Vu \$177, Ultimate Vu \$178, Cinemax \$11, and Starz \$15.25. HBO pricing did not change. Tavern Sports new price will be \$238. Business Select Vu and Tavern Select Vu will be \$128. NEMR prices the TV service to cover our costs.

H.S. SENIORS APPLY

www.frs.org/programs/youth-programs/scholarships

Scholarships **\$2500 AVAILABLE**

From our Board of Directors
and employees of NEMR

*Merry Christmas
and Happy New Year!*



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