Otsego Electric Cooperative, Inc.

June 2024

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SAVE THE DATE 80TH ANNUAL MEETING

Join us on August 21, 2024 Laurens Central School

5:00 PM REGISTRATION 7:00 PM BUSINESS MEETING



Otsego Electric Cooperative, Inc.

607-293-6622





ANNUAL MEETING IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER:

Wednesday, August 21st at Laurens Central School!

Registration & Member Mingle begin at 5:00 P.M. Enjoy live music and local vendors! The Annual Meeting begins promptly at 7:00 PM. Brooks BBQ Chicken Dinners will be served with ADVANCED PURCHASE ONLY! Complete coupon stub below and return WITH payment to our office today! Each household is limited to 4 dinners at a discounted rate of \$10 per dinner. Additional dinners may be purchased for \$25 each.

Each household membership attending the meeting will be entered for the amazing raffle drawings. We will draw 10 lucky winners from Early Registrations for a \$100.00 bill credit! Must be present to win!

WE HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

If you would like to order chicken or to pre-register, please call us and/or return the coupon located below along with the \$10.00 per dinner payment. Please make your check payable to Otsego Electric Cooperative. Please do not include this in your electric bill payment. No chicken tickets will be sold at the meeting.

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80th Annual Meeting — Brooks' Chicken Bar-B-Q

\$10.00 Per Dinner

Enclosed Please Find \$ ____ Please Reserve _____Tickets at \$10.00 Each

Name(s)

(Otsego Electric Cooperative Members and Family Only Please—limit 4 dinners at \$10 rate—all additional can be purchased for \$25)

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Advocating for our Members

Your CEO and Directors spend time every year reaching out to our legislators and regulatory agencies to present our issues and to discuss how legislation or new regulations will impact our Cooperative. We went to Washington, DC during the week of April 22nd to work with our National Rural Electric Cooperative Association (NRECA) and to meet with our Members of Congress to explain our needs and to clarify our concerns with recent regulatory actions such as the pace of the transition away from fossil fuels. Reliability is an overriding concern that affects all of us and could threaten human health and safety in the event of an extended freeze in the winter or heat wave in the summer. We are all part of an interconnected interstate electric grid so delivery disruptions at distance, even several states away, can affect our reliability and pricing as well. We will continue to advocate for your best interests in every way that we can.

2024 Youth Legislative Tour

The Legislative Youth Tour, sponsored by Otsego Electric Cooperative, is an enriching annual excursion aimed at empowering the next generation of leaders. Each year, a deserving student, residing in a member's household, is selected to accompany representatives from the Cooperative to Washington D.C. During this immersive experience, the chosen student, alongside other electric coop leaders from New York State, participates in pivotal meetings concerning Rural Electric Legislation and Regulation.

This year, were thrilled to take Pauline Kennedy along as our esteemed Student Representative. A student of Cooperstown High School, Pauline exemplifies exceptional dedication and a thirst for knowledge, as noted by her Social Studies teacher. While in Washington D.C., Pauline had the invaluable opportunity to explore the hallowed halls of the Capitol Building, experience the excitement of a Washington National's Baseball game, and partake in a captivating night tour of the city, along with fellow students. Such experiences not only broaden horizons but also foster lifelong memories and a deeper understanding of civic engagement.





2014 RAYCO C100 Brush Mower For Sale

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- 3719 hours on Machine

We will be accepting sealed bids subject to a reserve for the mower up until 3pm Friday, June 28th. Bid forms are available at the office or on our website.

