

## Member Appreciation Day

### PANCAKE BREAKFAST

- SATURDAY, OCT. 19
- 8:30 to 10:30 AM
- **Rock County Fairgrounds**  
(1301 Craig Ave. / Janesville, WI)

### ACTIVITIES & TREATS

- Pancake Breakfast
- Bucket Truck Rides
  - Prize Wheel
  - Bounce House
  - Face Painting
  - Balloon Figures
- Ice Cream & MORE!

*(This event is for Rock Energy members Only)*

### Rock Energy Cooperative

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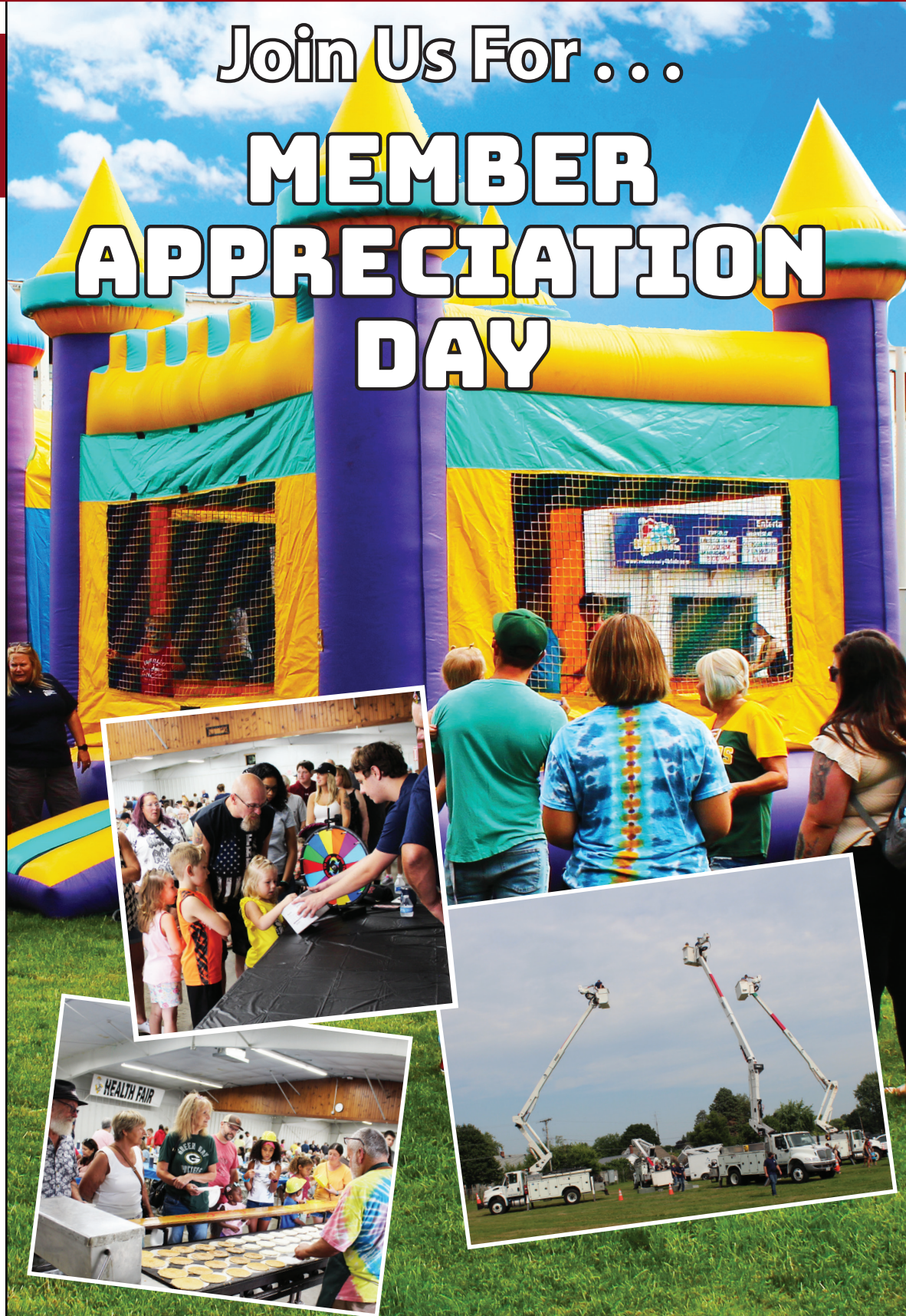
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## Join Us For . . .

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## BUDGET PAYMENTS RECALCULATED IN OCTOBER

Members on Rock Energy's Budget Billing plan will see their monthly payment amounts change with the statement they receive in November.

Budget payments are recalculated twice a year—in October and April—to help ensure that the amount you pay is similar to your true usage. We'll average the amount of energy you used in the previous 12 months to determine your new budget payment. (NOTE: To be eligible for Budget Billing you will have had to receive service from the co-op for at least 12 months and have a good credit history.)

Also taken into consideration is whether you had a credit or if your budget payment didn't quite cover the amount of energy used in the previous six months. Depending on your actual usage, your future budget amount could increase or decrease. You'll pay the same amount each month, avoiding higher than anticipated bills if the weather is exceptionally cold.

You can pay your monthly bill however you choose—cash, check, credit card, mail, in person, drop box, or kiosk. Or better yet, sign up for Auto Pay to fully automate your energy payments, assuring that your payment will be on time.

If you would like more information on these programs or want to sign up, please call Member Services at 866-752-4550 between 7:30 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, or email [questions@rock.coop](mailto:questions@rock.coop).

## DIRECTOR NOMINATIONS OPEN

The Rock Energy Cooperative Nominating Committee will be selecting candidates to run for board of director positions in Districts 2, 4 and 9 townships, which will be on the ballot at the **April 7, 2025** annual meeting.

Active members who are interested in running for a position on the REC Board of Directors must permanently reside in one of the areas up for election and meet all other qualifications. For more information about being nominated, please contact the co-op at 866-752-4550 or send an e-mail to [questions@rock.coop](mailto:questions@rock.coop) by **November 30, 2024**.

### Districts Up For Election Are:

- **DISTRICT 2:** Milton and Lima Townships in Wisconsin
- **DISTRICT 4:** Harmony and LaPrairie Townships in Wisconsin
- **DISTRICT 9:** Magnolia, Janesville and Center Townships in Wisconsin

# WINTER IS ON THE WAY

## START GETTING READY NOW, AND SAVE!

Some small weatherproofing jobs require little to no skill, but can make a real difference when cold weather comes around. By doing these eight winterizing tasks before the snow flies, you'll be saving yourself some hassle, along with some money off of your utility bill.

**1** REPLACE THE FILTER IN YOUR FURNACE.

**2** CLOSE ANY VENTS IN YOUR HOME THAT MAY HAVE BEEN OPENED FOR THE WARM WEATHER.

**3** BUY A SNOW SHOVEL AND OTHER WINTER SUPPLIES BEFORE THE MESSY WEATHER HITS.

**4** KEEP EXTRA WATER AND CANNED FOOD IN STORAGE JUST IN CASE.

**5** TEST YOUR HEATING SYSTEM, SO THAT YOU KNOW IT WILL WORK PROPERLY WHEN YOU NEED IT.

**6** GIVE YOUR DECK A FRESH COAT OF SEALER TO PROTECT IT FROM THE WINTER ELEMENTS.

**7** CLEAN GUTTERS AND DOWNSPOUTS IN MID-FALL AND DOUBLE-CHECK THEM BEFORE WINTER.

**8** DISCONNECT HOSES FROM OUTSIDE FAUCETS AND TURN OFF THE WATER.