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Mission Statement

The focus of Marlboro Electric Cooperative, Inc. is to make electric energy available to its members at the lowest cost consistent with sound economic principle and management.



Your Touchstone Energy® Cooperative

This holiday season, remember that your co-op cares

THE HOLIDAYS BRING many things to mind—happy memories with family, good food, or maybe the look on

a child's face at the sheer glimpse of Santa. The holidays also bring thoughts of giving back, spreading love and sharing joy.

Perhaps this season prompts you to perform random acts of kindness like sharing a cup of coffee with a

friend in need, or cooking and serving food for the hungry. Maybe you give your time or money to local, national and/or international charities. Or perhaps you simply try to embrace the season by showing gratitude and the joy of the season to those around you.

However you share your own unique holiday spirit, know that at Marlboro Electric, we strive to share our spirit with you and have been throughout the year. Through the 75 Acts of Kindness initiative, community members have received assistance as they experienced real needs through special and difficult circumstances. For more than 75 years, your co-op has been a part of this community, and we continue to care about the people in the area where we live and serve.

During the holiday season, when so many people are lighting their homes with festive decorations, or staying up late entertaining with family and friends, we remain committed to providing you with the most affordable and most reliable electric service.

Member benefits

We help our members stay educated regarding their energy use by providing efficiency tips, and we have dedicated team members to offer audits and resources to support your specific needs. This year, we began offering the Energy Resource Conservation (ERC) Loan; an energyefficiency home-improvement loan that can assist you with the costs required to make your home more efficient through financing right on your bill.

Another great benefit we began offering this year is "Prepay," a pay-as-you-go program for better convenience and the elimination of deposits and monthly bills.

In addition, we also help keep your family safe by providing electrical safety tips—information that is especially important this time of year.

Commitment to community

I hope you see how much we care through the benefits, savings and services that we provide and in the many ways we give back to our community.

This year has been a prosperous year of economic growth with the development of new and expanding industries such as Wyman-Gordon and Arauco's expansion, along with the success of the many existing industries we serve.

We recognize how important our members are and understand that we cannot thrive unless you thrive, so we do all we can to make sure our community is strong.

During this holiday season, remember your co-op cares, and from all of your friends at Marlboro Electric Cooperative, we wish you and your family a Happy Thanksgiving, Merry Christmas and a very prosperous and Happy New Year in 2016!

William L. Fleming, Jr.
President and Chief Executive Officer

Marlboro News

Local coach shines brightly in 2015 All-Star game

MARLBORO COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL'S head coach Dean Boyd has been selected as the head coach for the South Coaching Staff of the 2015 Touchstone Energy Cooperatives Bowl

CHRISTY OVERSTREET

Dean Boyd

All-Star football game. The game will be played on Dec. 12 at Doug Shaw Memorial Stadium in Myrtle Beach.

"It is a significant honor to represent Marlboro County and our community as an All-Star coach," Coach Boyd said. "It's also important to shed a good light on the school and community where I have spent the majority of my career. Out of almost 200 games won in my career, 176 of those games were

at Marlboro, and I appreciate all of the support Marlboro County has shown me all of these years."

The selection process to be an All-Star coach is conducted by the South Carolina Football Coaches

Association and the South Carolina Athletic Coaches Association. All-Star head coaches must have served first as an assistant coach in a previous All-Star game and in most cases have also been assistants in the North Carolina, South Carolina Shrine Bowl game before becoming a head coach of the All-Star game.

The All-Star Game began in the summer of 1947 as part of the state coaches' clinic in Columbia. The South Carolina Athletic Coaches Association, The South Carolina Football Coaches Association and the North-South Game Committee have grown it into one of the premier high school all-star games in the entire country.

The players and coaches have a memorable experience much like college teams enjoy when they participate in bowl games.

The all-star game has been sponsored by the state's electric cooperatives since 2013. Visit northsouthallstarfootball.com for more information.

Students & teachers, apply for D.C. trip



apply for the 2016 Washington Youth Tour (June 11-16) from Dec. 1, 2015, to Feb. 1, 2016. Applications are available at Marlboro Electric or online. On this all-expense paid trip to

our nation's capital, students meet South Carolina's lawmakers, visit historical sites and monuments, and meet other high school juniors from S.C. and around the country. Also, two South Carolina high school teachers will be chosen to serve as chaperones on the 2016 Washington Youth Tour. The deadline for interested teachers to apply is Feb. 1, 2016. For more information, visit MarlboroElectric.coop or YouthTour.coop.

Holiday schedules

South Carolina Living publishes a combined November-December edition this time each year. We will return with our biennial Legislative Guide issue in January.

Marlboro Electric will be closed on Nov. 26 and Nov. 27 for Thanksgiving. We will also close on Dec. 24–Dec. 25, for Christmas, and Jan. 1 for New Year's Day. Emergency crews will be on standby.

'Check-list' for your name



AS A NON-PROFIT, consumer-owned business, Marlboro Electric Cooperative returns margins in the form of Capital Credits to their members each year.

The names listed are Capital

Credit checks returned by the Post Office as undeliverable as addressed, or the check was delivered but never cashed.

If your name is on the list, please contact our customer service by Dec. 31, 2015. Questions, please contact our office at (843) 479-3855.

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