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## MDTC Sending Five Students to Washington, D.C.

Rep. Norine Hammond and Sen. John Sullivan met with 15 students representing McDonough Telephone Cooperative during the Illinois Electric and Telephone Cooperatives Youth Day on Wednesday, April 6, in Springfield. The students had an opportunity to view state government in action, talk with their elected representatives, and hear from both Lt. Governor Sheila Simon and Secretary of State Jesse White. The students also toured the Illinois Supreme Court, the Old State Capitol and the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum.

The students representing MDTC were: Russell Frakes and Colleen Judge, Monmouth/Roseville; Brandi Stewart and Mariah Wallace, West Central; Miranda Gorsuch and Deborah Lefler, Rushville/Industry; Meghan Hoyle and Morgan Ray, Bushnell/Prairie City; Emily Riggins and Stephen Lane, Macomb; Maverick McCarty and Thomas Hamilton, Warsaw; Harley Spangler, West Prairie; Samuel Newberry and Kirby Fecht, Illini West. MDTC Legislative and Government Affairs Manager Les Fowler served as chaperone.

The day was sponsored by the Association of Illinois Electric Cooperatives and is designed to introduce young rural leaders to state government. There were more than 300 students representing 26 co-ops from across the state.

Following the trip to Springfield, the winners of the June 10-17 Youth Tour to Washington, D.C. were chosen. A panel of judges interviewed the finalists and selected Emily Riggins, Maverick McCarty, Miranda Gorsuch, Kirby Fecht and Megan Hoyle to represent MDTC on the 2011 Youth Tour. Morgan Ray was designated as the alternate.

Riggins was the recipient of the first Rich Myers Memorial Youth Tour Scholarship which was created by the MDTC Board of Directors to commemorate Rep. Myers' strong support of rural



*Pictured in the first row from the left are: Russell Frakes, Colleen Judge, Brandi Stewart, Mariah Wallace, Miranda Gorsuch, Rep. Hammond, Deborah Lefler, Meghan Hoyle, Morgan Ray and Emily Riggins. In the second row from the left are: MDTC Legislative and Government Affairs Manager Les Fowler, Maverick McCarty, Thomas Hamilton, Harley Spangler, Samuel Newberry, Stephen Lane, Kirby Fecht and Sen. Sullivan.*

cooperatives. Myers passed away on December 1, 2010.

Emily is the daughter of Jerry and Lynne Riggins of Macomb. She is active in 4H and in her church. At school she participates in both band and choir, is in the National Honor Society and has been on the honor roll for five semesters. She plans to be a physical therapist.

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Maverick McCarty, the son of Amanda Krum and David Krum, participates in football, wrestling, and track and field at school as well as serving on the student council. He hopes to follow a career in the medical field.

Miranda Gorsuch is the daughter of Keith and Jennifer Gorsuch. School activities include marching band, yearbook, and Team Quest. She volunteers with the humane society and Big Brothers Big Sisters. Her future plans include a degree in biology.

Kirby Fecht, the son of Dean and Angie Fecht, serves on his church council and was instrumental in starting Feeding the Faith FULL. He is an active member of his FFA chapter and plays football. He wants to pursue a degree in Agricultural Business.

Meghan Hoyle is the daughter of Heather Hoyle. Her activities include Teen Court, band, basketball, volleyball, softball and assisting at community fundraisers. Meghan's college goal is to obtain a law degree.



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## Date, Location Set for 2011 Annual Meeting

The McDonough Telephone Cooperative 2011 annual meeting of the membership will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 1, 2011, at The Crossing, 1600 West Jackson Street, Macomb. MDTC will be celebrating 60 years of service this year.



If you have a concern or a special need, we ask that you contact our office prior to the meeting so accommodations can be made.

In addition to the business portion of the meeting, there will be prize drawings, entertainment, and refreshments. Mark your calendars, and we'll see you there.

## Nominating Committee Chosen

Members have been appointed by the board of directors to serve as the Nominating Committee for the 2011 Annual Membership Meeting. The members have been named in accordance with the cooperative bylaws, Article III, Section 5, Nominations.

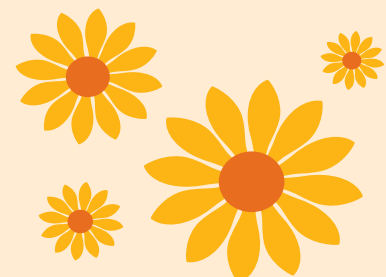
Appointed to the 2011 Nominating Committee are the following members: District 6, Colusa – Diana Bollin and Bill Hull; District 8, Swan Creek – Bryan Arnold and Brian Monroe; District 9, Blandinsville – Tyler Carson and Fred Kitch; and District 10, Colchester – Mike Hoyt and Mike Biswell.

The Nominating Committee will meet at 6:30 p.m., June 29, 2011, to nominate candidates for election to the board of directors. The election will be held at the Annual Meeting on September 1, 2011. The committee's selection of candidates will be published in the August newsletter.

Directors whose terms expire in 2011 are: District 6, Colusa – Jay Morrison; District 8, Swan Creek – Gerald R. Payne; District 9, Blandinsville – Mitchell S. Welsh; and District 10, Colchester – R. Stephen Hunt.

## Directory Additions

Fenner, Dixie	776-3806
Hood, Marje	456-3428
Huss, Carol	449-3705
Kepler, Rodney	776-4317
Lonkar, Kevin	776-3419
Magafas, A.H.	776-3280
Moore, Briana	776-4335
Phelps, Lori	776-4699
Whitaker, Bryant	652-3479
Wisslead, Clint & Kristy	776-3585
Woodson, Tammy	652-3455





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## Coming to VOD for June

Title	Genre	Rating	Start Date
Just Go With It <span style="color: red;">B4</span>	Comedy	PG-13	6/7/11
True Grit	Drama	PG-13	6/7/11
Sanctum <span style="color: red;">B4</span>	Thriller	R	6/7/11
Big Mommas: Like Father, Like Son <span style="color: red;">B4</span>	Comedy	PG-13	6/14/11
The Adjustment Bureau <span style="color: red;">B4</span>	Thriller	PG-13	6/21/11
The Eagle <span style="color: red;">B4</span>	Action	PG-13	6/21/11
Season of the Witch	Action	PG-13	6/24/11
Battle: Los Angeles <span style="color: red;">B4</span>	Action	PG-13	6/28/11
Beastly	Fantasy	PG-13	6/28/11

B4 = Title is available prior to Netflix and/or Redbox