

# McDonough Telephone Cooperative BUSY LINE



Colchester, IL

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## 2025 Nominating Committee Selected

Members have been appointed by the board of directors to serve as the Nominating Committee for the 2025 Annual Membership Meeting in accordance with cooperative bylaws, Article IV, Section 5, Nominations.

**District 3, Littleton/Industry:** Jackie Goddard and George Runkle

**District 4, Good Hope:** Michael Harper and Susan Dunseth

**District 5, Colchester:** Wes Rhoads and Garrett Sears

Directors whose terms expire in 2025:

**District 3, Littleton/Industry:** Jason Chancy

**District 4, Good Hope:** Randy Grove

**District 5, Colchester:** Paul Butterfield

The Nominating Committee will meet at 6PM at Park Place on June 12th, 2025, to nominate candidates for election to the board of directors. The election will be held at the Annual meeting on Wednesday, August 27. The committee's selection of candidates will be published in the August newsletter.

## McDonough Telephone Uncashed Capital Credit Check Refunds

We are currently trying to locate former members (or their heirs) who received McDonough Telephone service prior to 1998 who have **uncashed** capital credit checks. In May, we mailed out a list of people who have received capital credit checks from **prior** disbursements, but they have not cashed them.

If you are on the list, a family member (heir) of someone on the list, or are their executor of their estate, please complete the form below and mail it to MTC at P.O. Box 359, Colchester, IL 62326. Alternatively, you can also email any information to [capitalcredits@mdtc.net](mailto:capitalcredits@mdtc.net) or call 309-776-3211. When contacting us, we will need to verify the SSN of the member before re-issuing the uncashed checks.

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**I have information about the following:**

Name from the list: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Executor's name and address if person is deceased: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number of executor: \_\_\_\_\_

Information provided by: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this form to:  
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## What's HAPPENING



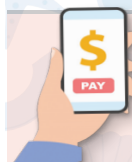
Call your Dad!  
**Father's Day is  
June 15th, 2025.**



**Happy First Day of  
Summer! Friday, June  
20th, 2025**



Mark your Calendars!  
MTC's 74th Annual  
Meeting is **Wednesday,  
August 27th, 2025!**



**NEW NUMBER!!**  
**24/7 Pay by phone!**  
**1-855-940-3852**

## Our Board of DIRECTORS



Leroy  
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Jay  
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**6/1: Alpaca Beach Party, 1-5pm,**  
Little Creek Alpacas

**6/4: Wine Run/Walk (Every  
Wednesday), 6pm, The Wine  
Sellers**

**6/6: First Friday, 9am-2pm,**  
Lakeview Nature Center

**6/6: Park N' Cruise, 5-8pm,**  
Downtown Macomb

**6/6: Movies in the Park: Parent  
Trap, 8:30pm, Veteran's Park**

**6/7: #NationalTrailsDay, 10am-  
5pm, Lakeview Nature Area**

**6/7: Stitchin' Time, 10:30am-  
12pm, Macomb Public Library**

**6/7: Day in Clay: Garden Poppy  
Bowl, 12-2:30pm, Macomb Park  
District Ceramic Studio**

**6/8: Legends & Lattes Book Club,  
2-3pm, Sullivan Taylor Coffee  
House**

**6/12: Little Lunchers, 12-1pm,**  
Chandler Park

**6/18: Clay Lab for Sprouts,  
1:30-3pm, Macomb Park District  
Ceramic Studio**

**6/18: Teen Wheel Throwing,  
3-4:30pm, Macomb Park District  
Ceramic Studio**

**6/21: Macomb Pride Picnic, 12-  
2:30pm, Glenwood Stone Shelter**

**6/21: Nature Makers: Beaded  
Sun Catcher, Noon-1pm,**  
Lakeview Nature Center

**6/21 & 22: An Evening with  
Kelsey Grammar: Remembering  
John Mahoney, Sat: 6-8pm; Sun:  
2-4pm, The Legacy Theater,  
Carthage**

**6/26-30: Macomb Heritage Days,  
Chandler Park**

**6/27: Noticing Nature: A Curious  
Guide for Sprouts, 10-11am,**  
Lakeview Nature Center

**6/28: John Bliven Memorial  
Walk/Run, 7:30am-9:30am, The  
Old Dairy**

For more events or details,  
visit [macomb.com/events/](https://macomb.com/events/)

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## ANNUAL MEETING

### AUGUST 27TH, 2025

**AT THE CROSSING, MACOMB, IL**

**REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 5PM**

**GIG-CAPABLE PROVIDER**



### *Welcome Sean McIntyre!*

McDonough Telephone would like to welcome our new employee Sean McIntyre to the office! Sean joined our IT team as an IT Specialist in February of 2025 and brings with him a passion for technology and creativity.

Sean is a proud husband and father of two amazing kids. In his free time, he enjoys 3D printing, playing video games, and is a huge NASCAR fan. He's already been to races in eight different states and has plans to visit even more!

We are happy to welcome Sean to the McDonough Team!



## Recipe Of The Month

Recipe: Magic Lemon Cobbler Delight

### Ingredients:

½ cup unsalted butter  
1 cup all-purpose flour  
1½ cups granulated sugar,  
divided  
1 tbsp baking powder  
¼ tsp salt  
1 cup milk  
¼ cup lemon juice  
Zest of 1 lemon  
2 cups hot water

### Directions:

Preheat your oven to 350°F. In a 9×9-inch baking dish, melt butter by placing it in the oven while it preheats. Once melted, remove it from the oven and set aside. In a mixing bowl, combine flour, 1 cup of granulated sugar, baking powder, and salt. Stir well. Add milk, lemon juice and zest to the dry ingredients. Mix until smooth. Pour the batter over the melted butter in the baking dish, but do not stir. Sprinkle the remaining ½ cup of granulated sugar evenly over the top of the batter. Carefully pour the hot water over the batter (again, do not stir). Bake for 40-45 min. or until the top is golden brown and the cobbler has set. The "magic" happens as it bakes, forming a gooey lemony layer at the bottom. Allow the cobbler to cool slightly before serving. Serve warm with whipped cream or vanilla ice cream for an extra indulgence.

