

THANKS FOR PARTICIPATING IN YOUR ANNUAL MEETING!



Members gathered at Ashland High School in May to participate in Bayfield Electric's Annual Meeting. Members shared snacks and refreshments while engaging in presentations from Bayfield Electric representatives. Among the many guests who attended were speakers Brent Ridge, president and CEO of Dairyland Power, and Jim Halvorsen of CliftonLarsonAllen LLP.

Keeping with tradition, each member who attended the meeting received a \$20 credit on their bill and names were drawn for an iPad and cash gift cards. Members were able to participate in an open panel discussion after the presentation. Thank you to everyone who was able to attend. We hope to see you again next year!



Left to right: Director Robert Kretzschmar; CEO Christopher Kopel; Directors Curtis Berweger, Mark Santikko, Barry Radloff, Russell Bailey, Carl Schutte, Michael Nelson, and James Kinzie; Dairyland CEO Brent Ridge; and Director Roy Settgas.





10 TIPS FOR SUMMER ENERGY USE

- 1 Clear the Air:** When temperatures allow, open windows to allow fresh (free!) air to circulate.
- 2 Cook Outside:** Enjoy a few hours of sunshine and keep your kitchen cool by using your grill or smoker to add festive flavors to meals.
- 3 Search and Seal:** Cracks and spaces let conditioned air outside. Caulk and weather strip to seal leaks and keep the cool air inside.
- 4 Natural Light:** Open blinds and curtains, and turn off the lights to save energy.
- 5 Be Fan Friendly:** Use ceiling fans to circulate airflow. Make sure the ceiling fan is in summer mode, with blades turning counter clockwise to push the cool air down.
- 6 Atmospheric Adjustment:** Turn your thermostat up a few degrees at night and when you'll be gone for a while. Use a programmable thermostat if you tend to forget to adjust it yourself.
- 7 Change the Filter:** Change the filter on your HVAC system as the manufacturer recommends. A dirty filter keeps your system from operating efficiently.
- 8 Peak Savings:** Think about supply and demand. Plan household chores that require electricity during off-peak hours (when energy demand is low).
- 9 Take Charge:** Consider disconnecting electrical devices you don't use regularly until you need them. Plugged-in devices use energy even when not in use.
- 10 Move Outdoors:** Time spent outdoors offers opportunities to turn off lights, televisions, computers, and home appliances. You'll be more active, have more fun, and save more money.

FIREWORKS SAFETY

How do not spoil the party

Never allow children to play with fireworks



Do not direct fireworks on people, houses and trees

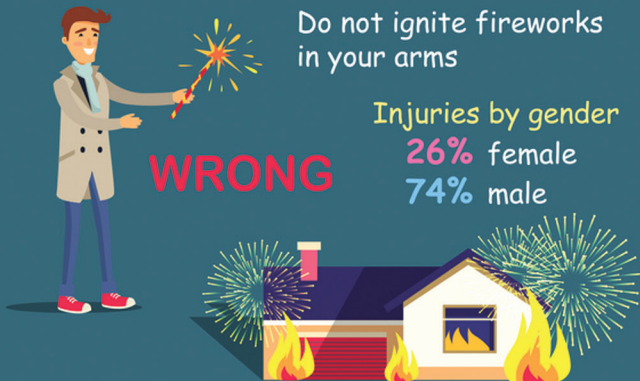


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Display children should never pick up fireworks that may be left over, they may still be active.



Do not ignite fireworks in your arms



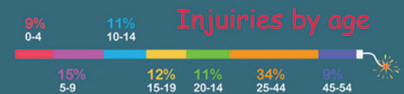
Do not use the fireworks in the house

Injuries by gender
26% female
74% male

Read the instructions carefully and check the certificates



Keep a bucket of water a garden hose handy in a case of fire



Most injured body parts



More than 50% of the injuries were burns

Never try to re-lightor pick up fireworks that have not ignited fully

WRONG

The fireworks can light up in your hands

Light fireworks one a time then move back quickly

Use fireworks outdoors only and flat space, away from buildings and power lines.



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Keep fireworks in a dry and cool place.



IT'S BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL TIME!

Mark your calendars for the annual Iron River Lions Club Blueberry Festival taking place July 20, 22 & 23 at the Iron River Community Center and Moon Lake Park in Iron River. Festivities include:

- Food and craft vendors
- Carnival rides
- Parade
- Kid's tractor pull
- Pie eating contests
- Face painting
- Live entertainment
- Cardboard boat races
- Raffle drawing

Visit www.irlions.com for complete details. The 2023 festival ends at 8 p.m. Sunday evening. Hope to see you there!

EVENTS AT MOON LAKE PARK

The Jack & Irene Nelson

Pedal Tractor PULL

1964  2023 Blueberry Festival

SATURDAY, JULY 22ND

Register at 8:30am • Pull at 9:00am

Separate pulls for Boys and Girls Ages 4-12
1st-4th Trophies Awarded. Qualifies for State Competition.
Trophies designed and made by Tiger Manufacturing Students of Maple Northwestern High School.

PIE EATING CONTEST

JULY 22ND & 23RD

Girls 12 & under register by 1:30pm-Contest at 2:00pm • Boys 12 & under register by 2:30pm-Contest at 3:00pm
All over age 12 register by 3:30-Contest at 4:00 pm

LIFE VEST REQUIRED FOR ALL PARTICIPANTS

ERNE PITTSLEY MEMORIAL Cardboard Boat Races

Register at 4:00pm
Race at 4:30pm
Build your own cardboard boat!
Rules at - 

MOON LAKE BEACH

SUNDAY, JULY 23RD

Energy Efficiency Tip of the Month

Summer is a prime opportunity to enjoy the great outdoors. To reduce home energy use, avoid using your oven and use a grill instead. Not only will cooking outdoors eliminate the electricity used to power the stove, but it will also avoid raising the temperature inside your home, reducing the need for air conditioning or cooling.

You can also avoid using the oven with tasty no-bake recipes. Get creative in the kitchen (or the backyard) and find new ways to save energy!

Source: Dept. of Energy



MONTH OF JULY

Billing date: **July 7, 2023**

June usage

Bills due upon receipt

Gross due after

July 27, 2023

Disconnect: **August 15, 2023**

Christopher Kopel, CEO


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