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GRAND GIVEAWAY

Congratulations to Lisa Wobst who won a Streaming Package (\$60 Netflix, \$50 Hulu, \$25 Domino's Gift cards and 3 months of free Internet) in our Grand Giveaway!

Wondering how to register? No problem, because there's no purchase or registration, just winners! Each month we will randomly select one of our "grand" residential customers to win. Maybe our next winner will be you!



SAMSUNG GALAXY S9 NOTE

Upgrade to the Samsung Galaxy S9 Note and experience a bigger display of 6.4 inches, longer battery life, more storage, and the S Pen. The S Pen is waterresistant, can draw on top of videos and photos, and can be used as a remote to take pictures.

Stop by our office today to give it a test drive!



PARADE MARSHALS

JVT employee Rosalie Gerdes and her husband Jim were chosen to be Parade Marshals for Groton Area High School's Homecoming Parade in September.

Rosalie has worked at JVT for nearly 35 years and Jim has served a number of different roles in the Groton community, including formerly working as a full-time bus driver for the Groton Area School District

They are pictured with Mike Weber.



SCHOLARSHIP AVAILABLE TO JVT MEMBERS

The South Dakota
Telecommunications Association
(SDTA) is now accepting applications
for the Brian Meyer Memorial
Scholarship. Two scholarships in
the amounts of \$1,250 and \$500
will be awarded for the 2019 spring
semester.

The scholarship is available to applicants who have completed at least two semesters of course work at an accredited post-secondary school in South Dakota. The applicant or applicant's family must be a subscriber of an SDTA member company.

Applicants must complete an application, write a short outline of their career plans following completion of their post-secondary

education, and submit a brief essay on the future of small town South Dakota and what can be done to enhance the quality of life in rural areas through the use of technology. Also needed are a copy of the applicant's most recent transcript and at least two letters of recommendation. The deadline to submit an application for the Brian Meyer Memorial Scholarship is October 30.

For more information on the Brian Meyer Memorial Scholarship, contact any post-secondary institution financial aid office, the South Dakota Telecommunications Association at 605-224-7629 or admin@sdtaonline.com. The application is also available online at www.sdtaonline.com/resources/scholarships.

NEW MEMBERS

Farmers Union Insurance Johnson Agency Groton

397-8155





OCTOBER IS COOPERATIVE MONTH

Would you trust a business more if you owned it? Cooperative businesses like James Valley Telecommunications are owned by more than 120 million Americans.

Member owned cooperative businesses touch the lives of virtually all Americans every day and provide almost every product and service imaginable. And since cooperatives are owned by their members, you know you are getting a good deal and that more of the money you spend stays in your community.

JVT is proud to be a part of the communities it serves and demonstrates its commitment through donations, sponsorships, scholarships, gross receipts taxes, and the involvement of our employees in community service organizations, youth sports, volunteer groups, and more.

One of the best benefits of being a member of a cooperative is the payment of capital credits. For every dollar you spend with JVT, a percentage will be returned back to you! How it works is any income over JVT's expenses results in margins, which are returned over time to the members in the form of capital credits. Over the past 15 years, over 30% of member patronage was allocated back to members. Thank you for your partnership!



State Soccer Championships Saturday, October 13

- Special Events ch 63 & SDPB ch 66

State Cheer & Dance Championships Friday - Saturday, October 19-20

- Special Events ch 63 & SDPB ch 66

All State Chorus & Orchestra Saturday, October 27

- Special Events ch 63 & SDPB ch 3/601HD

Check our Facebook page for more information as the dates get closer.

LIFELINE PROGRAM

The Lifeline Program is a federal program that provides a monthly discount on landline, cell, or broadband service to eligible low income households. If your

household income is at or below 135% of the federal poverty guidelines OR you participate in federal/state assistance programs (Medicaid/SSI, etc.) you may qualify for the Lifeline Program. Call 397-2323 for more information.





T-SHIRTS FOR A CAUSE

As part of our T-Shirts for a Cause initiative, we recently collected school supplies from our members and employees to distribute to our local schools. Pictured are JVT employees delivering supplies to Northwestern, Frederick, Groton, and Doland Area schools.



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