

CHIPPEWA VALLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

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ANNUAL REPORT OF 2008

E.J. Mittermeyer Auditorium,
Cornell High School

Located at the corner of
South 8th St. and Hwy. 27/64
Meeting called to order at 10:30 a.m.

- Drawing for children under 12; must be present to win
- Free noon lunch
- Coffee and donuts served at 9:30 a.m.
- Child care available
- Reports of officers and managers
- Cast your vote in director elections
- Enjoy quality entertainment
- Chance to win prizes in drawings all day

See more details
on other side!

TWO DIRECTORS TO BE ELECTED

72ND ANNUAL MEETING OF MEMBERS SET FOR FEBRUARY 21, 2009

The 72nd Annual Meeting of Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative will be held at the Cornell High School on Saturday, February 21, 2009.

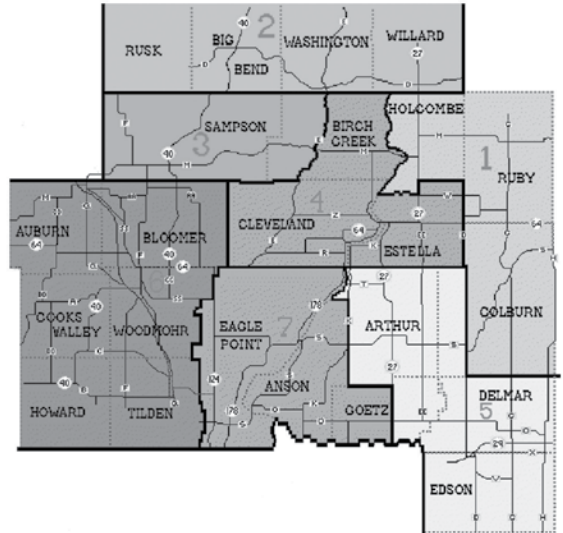
This year, Districts 1 and 6 are up for election. District 1 is currently held by Arthur Sime of Cornell and District 6 is currently held by George Webb of Bloomer. At the time this article went to press, George Webb was running unopposed for the District 6 seat. Two candidates will seek the District 1 position. The incumbent, Arthur Sime, will seek re-election to his position while Donald E. Frei will also run for the same seat. The deadline for declaring candidacy for either director position is 45 days prior to the annual meeting.

A map showing the district boundaries is shown at right. If

you are unsure which district you are in, please feel free to contact the cooperative at 239-6800 or toll free at 1-800-300-6800.

Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative's board is comprised of seven directors representing seven geographic districts. Each director serves a three-year term of office. Each member in Districts 1 and 6 will receive a ballot in the mail along with a notice announcing the annual meeting. Please do not lose your ballot – you will only receive one. The ballot can be brought to the meeting or mailed so that it is received at the cooperative prior

to the 21st of February in order to be counted at the meeting. The annual meeting material and ballot were mailed at the end of January.



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SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE TO HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

This spring, Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative will once again be awarding several \$500 scholarships to students of member families through our Federated Youth Foundation Scholarship Program.

Each scholarship is worth \$500 and applications can be obtained from your high school guidance counselor or Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative.

STUDENTS WILL BE ELIGIBLE:

- ▶ Provided they will graduate during the 2008-2009 year from their local high school and be enrolled in

a post-secondary program at a college/university or vocational school.

- ▶ Parents (or legal guardians) are members of Chippewa Valley Electric and are currently receiving service.
- ▶ The family income will NOT be a deciding factor.

The applicant must complete a questionnaire on school activities, leadership positions, community involvement, awards and recognitions and write a two-hundred word essay on future goals, objectives and the student's values and attitude on life.

The applications will be reviewed by a special Scholarship Committee and the scholarships will be awarded to the students at their honors ceremony or at graduation.

If you have any questions, please call Cathy at Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative at 715-239-6800 or 800-300-6800.

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