

# CHIPPEWA VALLEY ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

## NEWSLETTER

JUNE 2006

### EXPLORE YOUR LEADERSHIP POTENTIAL!

#### YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONGRESS SET FOR JULY 19 – 21 AT UW-RIVER FALLS

The Youth Leadership Congress, offers to high school students from around the state by Wisconsin's rural electric cooperatives, is scheduled for July 19 – 21, 2006. The program will again be held on the campus of the University of Wisconsin – River Falls. This is the 43rd year that the co-ops and UW-River Falls have co-sponsored this highly popular event. It is an excellent opportunity for students to learn about cooperatives and then apply these time-tested principles in their own lives.

Through a mix of seminar sessions and hands-on activities, participants are exposed to real-life issues and are given the opportunity to identify and explore their leadership potential. Top professional speakers and college professors provide students with information and tools to deal with the weighty issues teenagers face every day.

Above all, the YLC is a fun and unique educational event that is planned by and for teenagers. Just like a real cooperative, six

students are elected by their peers to serve on the Youth Board. This board then plans and conducts the next year's YLC. In addition, it's an opportunity to sample life on a college campus.

There is no charge for delegates attending YLC. To qualify as a delegate, students must be a Sophomore or Junior in high school this year and be a first-time YLC attendee.

If this program sounds interesting, please act quickly! The deadline for application is July 1, 2006.

#### YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONGRESS APPLICATION

Yes, I would like to attend the 2006 Youth Leadership Congress as a delegate for Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative. I understand the YLC will be held on the campus of the University of Wisconsin – River Falls on July 19 – 21, 2006. Tuition and transportation costs will be paid by CVEC.

Student name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

CVEC Account Number: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade this year: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail this YLC application to: Youth Leadership Congress,  
C/O Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative, PO Box 575,  
Cornell, WI 54732



### CELEBRATE JUNE DAIRY MONTH

HAVE AN ICE CREAM  
CONE, TWO SCOOPS!

#### WISCONSIN, AMERICA'S DAIRYLAND

Agriculture is Wisconsin's largest industry at an estimated \$51.5 billion. Within it, dairying is the largest segment. In fact, the dairy industry's impact represents \$20.6 billion in Wisconsin's economy – larger than both manufacturing and tourism. Like any industry, new strategies and innovations are keeping this economic engine growing and progressive in Wisconsin.

# DO YOU DEPEND ON LIFE-SUPPORT EQUIPMENT?



## WE NEED TO KNOW

While Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative strives to maintain the best possible service with a minimum of outage time, occasional outages, either planned or uncontrolled, do occur.

We at Chippewa Valley Electric need to know the names and locations of cooperative members who depend on life-support equipment and it is important that this information be current and accurate. We will make every effort to give priority to members on life-support equipment when restoring service. Please fill out the form here and mail it to us.

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### YES, I DEPEND ON LIFE-SUPPORT EQUIPMENT

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Support Equipment \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have an emergency standby generator to operate this equipment?

Yes \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_



*Don't miss it!*

The 18th Annual Member Appreciation Day Picnic  
Friday, July 7th, 2006 ♦ 10 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.



Chippewa Valley Electric Cooperative  
On Highway 27/64 and South 8th Street, Cornell

Don't miss this opportunity to join your friends  
And neighbors for an old-fashioned cookout!

CVEC office will be closed on Monday, May 29th in honor of Memorial Day.

## SOME PEOPLE ARE SHOCKED BY WHAT THEY FIND IN THEIR YARDS

### BE SAFE

Call Diggers Hotline before you start digging.



Toll-free: 1-800-242-8511

Milwaukee area:  
(414) 259-1181

TDD for Hearing Impaired:  
1-800-542-2289



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