



Light Notes

APRIL 2023

Scenic Rivers Energy Cooperative

Lancaster, Darlington and Gays Mills, Wisconsin

Ivy Feeds the Chickens in the Rain courtesy of Bobbi Gofus, Bagley

LAST CALL FOR ANNUAL MEETING

Visit www.sre.coop/annualmeeting2023 for all the meeting details; find information on registering for the virtual meeting; and more.

Visit www.sre.coop/2023-scholarship-information if you haven't applied for the 52-\$1,000 scholarships that will be awarded on April 15.

Applications are due on April 10th.

Questions about the Annual Meeting?
Call Judy at 800-236-2141 extension 554.

Questions about scholarships?
Call Carrie at extension 556.



EARTH DAY IS APRIL 22

Five Easy Ways to
CELEBRATE EARTH DAY
Every Day

1. Conserve water by taking showers instead of baths.
2. Turn off all lights when you leave a room.
3. Bring your reusable bags to the market and other stores when shopping.
4. Go paperless. Pay as many bills as possible online.
5. Ditch the car and walk when possible.

YOUTH LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

July 11-13, 2023 at UW-Stout
apply at sre.coop/youth-leadership-conference



FREE

Learn About Cooperatives
Experience Campus Life
Team Building
Entertainment
Motivational Speakers



DON'T FORGET:

Scenic Rivers Annual Meeting
Saturday, April 15

Grant County Youth & Ag Building, Lancaster

Registration begins at 9 a.m.
Business meeting begins at 9:30 a.m.

2023 April						
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WHY

WE TRIM TREES

The majority of power outages are caused by tree-related issues.

It is our job to ensure trees, branches and limbs are a safe distance from power lines to avoid fire hazards and power interruptions.



THE PEOPLE BEHIND YOUR POWER



Leann Handel
Operations Assistant

Years of Service - 24 years

Family - Archie; children – Kennedy, Dustin, Tyler, Austin and Ally; Grandson’s – Logan and Eldon

Hobbies - Traveling, gambling, watching movies, shopping, and hanging out with friends and family.

RIGHT-OF-WAY MAINTENANCE NOTES



Zielie’s Tree Service will finish the Kaiser Substation, west circuit in Grant County. The crews will start trimming on the Belmont Substation in Lafayette County. By the end of April, crews should be trimming on the Mt Hope Substation, east circuit in Grant County.

Badgerland Utility Solutions will be testing poles in Wingville, Fennimore, Marion, and Mt Ida Townships in Grant County.

It is important for SREC to maintain its rights-of-way for the following reasons:

- Accessibility for field crews, vehicles and equipment
- Fire prevention
- Reliable electric service
- Quality service with the reduction of outages and blinks
- Safety for workers and the public
- Meeting state and federal code requirements

On a daily basis, SREC employees and contractors may be working throughout the area, and at times on your property, to operate and maintain the electric system and our rights-of-ways. If you have questions, please contact us at 800-236-2141.



New Member Photo Contest “The Power in our Cooperative”

We’re changing things up and kicking off our annual photo contest. We are searching for photos that feature power in our cooperative. This could be electrical power, human power or natural power. The winning members’ photos will be featured each month in this very newsletter in 2024 and may also be used on our social media pages or in other cooperative publications. Members of all ages and abilities are able to participate at no cost. Please visit us at www.sre.coop/photo-contest to get all the details and to enter. Entries are due August 25, 2023.



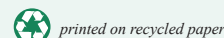
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Light Notes is a monthly newsletter for members of SREC. Please contact us with questions or comments at 206 County Road K, Lancaster, WI 53813, via email at srec@srec.net, via phone at (608) 723-2121 or (800) 236-2141.

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Steve Lucas CEO

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