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We're Celebrating Red, White, and YOU!

West Central Telephone hopes you enjoy a fun and safe July 4 holiday. We join you in celebrating the United States' proud history of independence. Our offices will be closed July 3 in observance of the holiday.

As an active part of this community for 65 years, West Central Telephone has been privileged to provide the communications services you need to stay connected. We also work beside you for a wide variety of community organizations and events, in order to improve the quality of life for area residents.

You are the focus of everything we do at West Central Telephone. Thanks for making us part of your life.



Announcing New TECH HOME Protect

Technology was supposed to be easy. Rocket cars, personal jetpacks and computers that did all the work for you... so what happened?

Well, somehow we got partway there. You have hundreds of products that make your life easier... but making everything work together requires a computer science degree.

But now there is an answer for the rest of us! Tech Home is Technology Made Easy for you and your home. Tech Home is a complete home technology solution that makes it easy to set up, use, protect, and enjoy your networked devices... anytime, anywhere. With Protect and Protect Plus packages, you will be back in charge of your digital life, with the level of support you need at the price you want.

New Protect and Protect Plus packages include SecureIT Plus, Filehopper online backup and a safe, cloud-based password keeper starting at \$6.95.

World-class security: Fully-supported web security and antivirus protects you against the latest online threats with find, locate, lock, and wipe for your phone or tablet.



Personal data backup: Sync and backup all of your files, photos, contacts, and important information against damage or device failure.

Keep personal info private: Cloud-based protection keeps your personal information secure and convenient wherever you are.

For a limited time, when you sign up for Protect or Protect Plus you'll get your first two months free! For more information visit www.wcta.net. Certain restrictions apply. Call 837-5151 today.

NEVER. GIVE. UP. 5K Run/Walk

Did you know that suicide is the second-leading cause of death for youth in Minnesota? One in four public school ninth-graders in Minnesota have admitted to having thoughts about killing themselves. Peggy Havnes of Menahga lost her son Kyle Kenyon to suicide, and has joined with others to form Never.Give.Up. — a non-profit organization dedicated to bringing suicide prevention and awareness education to our youth.

West Central Telephone is sponsoring the second annual Never.Give.Up. 5K Run/Walk. We invite you to join us Saturday, August 29 in Wadena at Sunnybrook Park. Registration begins at 8 am. All proceeds will be donated to the Wadena-Deer Creek and New York Mills Schools for suicide prevention education.

Never.Give.Up. created this annual event with support from the Christopher Benz Foundation — a non-profit organization working for the cause.

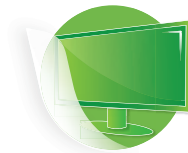
To find out more, visit Never.Give.Up. online at www.facebook.com/NeverGiveUpSuicideSupport. To register for the 5K Run/Walk, go to www.christopherbenzfoundation.org and click on Events.



More Channels. More Value.

There's more to love with every West Central Telephone TV package! We've just added eight new channels to the Networks Plus package:

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| 74 Justice Network | 75 AntennaTV |
| 76 ThisTV | 77 MeTV |
| 78 Heroes & Icons | 79 GetTV |
| 80 GritTV | 81 WeatherNation |



Have you signed up for WatchTVEverywhere? With WatchTVEverywhere, you can watch your favorite channels and programming from your tablet, smartphone or laptop — anywhere you have an Internet connection. Even in your back yard!

This convenient new way to enjoy TV is FREE with your qualifying TV package from West Central Telephone. Depending on your subscription, you'll have access to more than 53 channels. For example, you must be a Starz subscriber at home to watch Starz Play on your mobile devices and smart TVs.

So go ahead — relish the summer weather outside and swap your TV room's carpet for some green grass between your toes. If you're already a West Central TV customer, you can enjoy WatchTVEverywhere by first registering at www.wcta.net. It's quick and easy; just have your West Central TV account number handy.

If you're not yet a West Central TV customer, call us today at 837-5151 to sign up.



Big Hero 6
Premieres July 24

starz

A genius teen inventor loses his invention and brother. Together with his brother's nerd-hero friends and the balloon-like robot Baymax, he's out to solve the mystery! Winner of Best Animated Feature Film Oscar.

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Unclaimed Checks

Each year many capital credit checks are returned because of incomplete or non-current addresses. Some checks that have been received by customers are never cashed. If your name or someone you know appears on the list below, we may be holding a capital credit check from 2008. If you know any of the following people, please contact the office at 218-837-5151 or 800-945-2163.

Addey, Ray & Susan	Dumpprope,	Jackson, Candy	Mensen, Betty	Schilling, Nathan
AJ Nashville Ltd	Darrin & Vanessa	Jacobson, Dan	Mettler, Janice	Schumacher, Bonnie
All American Towing	Edelman, Russell & Kathy	Janeksela, Helen	Miller, Charles	Seales, Josh
Als Glass	Elgin, Erin & Leland	Jensen, Marlys	Miller, Dawn	Seedorf, Will
Alwin, Shane	Ellis, Matthew	Johnson, Deb	Miller, Ernest R	Sero, Elizabeth
Anderson, Debbie	Erckenbrack, Nat	Johnson, Steven	Miller, Jason	Shade, Homer L
Anderson, Scott	Erickson, Harvey V	Jones, Dave & Debbie	Modern Banking Systems	Sharp, Danny
Arndt, Joyce	Erickson, James	Kalba, Linda	Moen, Travis	Sheridan, Holly
Arnold, Louisa	Fairchild, Kathryn	Karvonen, Jennie	Moren, Richard	Shultz, Keith
Ascherman, James	Felstet, Deborah	Keller, Gero	Moulzolf, Doug & Leann	Skoog, Earl R & Beulah E
Automated	Fern, Daniel	Kelly, Heidi	Musgrove, Carol	South, Diane
Wagering Inter. Inc.	Foley, Tom	Kent, Angel	Myers, Scott	Spirit Lake Café
Bair, Ted	France, William	Kinnunen, Donna	Neisen, Daniel	Stanfield, Roxanne
Baker, Jeff & Kathy	Frisch, Dan	Kinnunen, Rick	Nelson, Karen	Stanhope, Frank
Baker, Kimberly	Fulco Construction	Kliever, Constance	Nelson, Lacey	Star Auto Glass
Banken, Jerome	Fuller, Jeffery	Klimek, Jesse	Nevala, Harry	Stinar, Amanda
Barnes, Tina	Gambino, Joe & Nancy	Knapp, Wally	Newberry, Cathy	Stockwell, Allan & Lori
Beavers, Gena	Garner, Mark	Knowles, Kim	Niska, Edwin	Stockwell, Harlan
Beck, Marlene	Geis, Les & Elaine	Koeneman, Dale	Nord, David & Nancy	Strohschein, Todd
Becker, Carol	George, Kyle	Kofstad, John & Pat	Nordling, Pete	Stromberg, Heidi
Beltran, Rosario	Gereszek, Lisa	Krusemark, Robert	Norris, Mary	Swank, David Jr & Monica
Bergeson, April	Godlevske, Kevin	Kumpula, Swante & Olga	Norris, Sharon	Swanson, Carl
Berthiaume, William A	Grangroth, Blaine & Patricia	Kuschel, Kelly	Northern Pcs Services	Swenson, Willis
Bettin, Daniel	Grangroth, Erma	Lakanen, Chad & Jessica	Ollila, Viola	Terry Phelps Chevrolet Inc
Bonkoski, Nathan	Grasshoff, Eleanor	Lake Brothers Dairy	Olmstead, Christopher	Thompson, Doris
Brander, Richard	Greenstein, Connie	Laposky, Russell	Olson, Nancy E	Thompson, Rick
Bremer, Steve	Greenwaldt, John & Renay	Larson, Cathy	Olson, Renae	Thompson, Scott
Bridger, Jim	Grinnen, Walter	Larson, Eric	Olsson, Stanley	Tinsley, Sherry
Brown, Dave	Haataja, Linne	Larson, William	Osborn, Sandy	Tourdot, Kurt
Brown, David	Haffner, Laura	Lechner, Norman	Osterman, Sidney & Twyla	Twidwell, Darlene
Buckley, Eric & Gwendolyn	Haggart, Stan	Lemir, Tom	Palloch, David	Urevig, Mrs Isabelle
Butler, Jesse	Hammerbacker, Lawrence	Lenke, Beulah S	Paulson, Delores	Vacek, Chris
Carpick, Michael A	Hanebuth, Steve R	Lenoir, Jessica	Paulson, William & Patricia	Vagle, John
Carstens, Jim & Deana	Hanson, Allan	Lenzen, Neil	Petersen, Cheri	Vanheel, Duane
Castren, Chun Whan	Hanson, Clifford G	Leritz, Janice	Peterson, Brent	Vigness, Orion
Daniel Chevalier	Haraldson, Martin & Ardith	Lewis, Paul	Peterson, Fred	Waghorne,
Christensen, Tina	Haro, Sandra	Lopez, Kevin	Peterson, Marie R	Mark & Christine
Cloud, Gabe	Harper, Richard Sr & Muriel	Lottman, Pennie	Pietila, Emil	Wanderi, Brent
Comeau, Richard	Hart, Erick	Lown, Neil	Pinston, Charles	Wegner, Daniel
Conrad, Stephanie	Hauck, Roxy	Malone, Josephine	Polum, Desiree	Wehmas, Heather
Cook, Michelle	Heikkila, Alice	Marlen, Nicole	R&J Horse Sales Inc	Westad, Michelle
Cooper, Bruce & Carla	Hendricks, Lizabeth	Marrs, Clayton	Ranua, Todd	Weston, Terry
Crawford, Tom	Hendrickson, Jennifer	Marshall, Garrett	Rasmussen, Dick	Whitaker, David
Curry, Pam	Henken,	Martin Instrument Co	Recomm	Whitaker, Jeff
Dahl, Angie	Raymond & Darcie	Martinez, John	Renvall, Elmer E	Whitaker, Lanay
Daugherty, Ronda & Bill	Hepokoski, Lisa	Mason, Jim	Riley, Shaun	Whitaker, Velma
Dave's Verdale Grocery	Hobson, Carole	Matheny, Kent	Riski, Twyla	White, Steven & Shawn
Davis, Anna	Hodgden, Kenneth	Maunu, Norman	Robberstad,	Wicklund, David
Devereaux, Ann	Holland, Angie	Mayo, Stanley	William & Rhonda	Wilson, Clyde
Devine, Mary	Horton, Ed	Mcallister, Peggy	Rollins, Tani	Wilson, June M
Dodd, Henry & Gloria	Hotakainen, Arvi	Mcgrath, Karen	Rutkowski, John	Zanutto, Gabriele
Driza, Charles	Hotakainen, Brian	Mclouden, Helen	S&M Auto	Zick, Stacy
Dudley, Duane	Housman, Melissa	Meidinger, Eric	Salzwedel, Christina	
Duffney, Levi	Hunter, Steve	Meier, George	Samuelson, Kevin & Diana	
	Ihme, Donald	Menahga Auto Sales	Schafer, Melvin	

All checks that are not claimed will be turned into the State of Minnesota as unclaimed property by October 9, 2015. If the property remains unclaimed, after a reasonable time the state returns the money to the WCTA Scholarship Program. Typically, this money would be lost to us, but because of our cooperative status, we are able to use the funds to benefit the scholarship program.

Welcome, New Members

Anstine, Rhonda.....	564-3696
Bergantzel, Gary.....	564-8517
Blackburn, Bailey.....	472-4197
Blackmon, Jashiah.....	837-4768
Brown, Amy.....	837-2638
Chapman, Michael.....	538-1365
Chase, Robin.....	472-4895
Citrowske, Kelly.....	564-0864
Comeau, Raelin.....	837-2509
Delaney, Kenneth.....	564-6812
Desjardins, Hal.....	564-6086
Erickson, Martys.....	564-9133
Erving, Willie.....	445-5982
Foutz, Bobby.....	564-7071
Frenette, David.....	564-2574
Fultz, Pearl.....	837-6318
Garland, Ryan.....	472-3192
Gibbons, Tyler.....	837-8367
Gilbertson, Robert.....	837-0156
Gorentz, Carol.....	564-3513
Gregerson, Erik.....	445-7143
Hallikainen, Marlene.....	538-1907
Hart, Emily.....	564-7562
Hass Geosystems Inc.....	538-6698
Helminen, Brianne.....	564-5519
Hendrickson, Luke.....	564-6082
Hodgden, Tyler.....	564-6084
Huntington, Dakota.....	837-6511
Hutzendler, Joseph.....	564-6087
Iowa Pump Works.....	564-6088
Jacob, Troy.....	564-3023
Johnson, Bruce.....	538-6081
Johnson, Meryn.....	445-5981
Jones, Ashley.....	837-0172
Kern, Kara.....	445-3251
Kok, Richard.....	564-7374
Lake, Brad.....	538-6090
Larson, Jayme.....	564-2900
May, Karl.....	564-1966
Martin, Melinda.....	837-6327
Mayer, Troy.....	564-5040
Monson, Trent.....	564-3310
Muhonen, Braden.....	564-8138
Myers, Carol.....	564-6188
Nelson, Lois.....	564-3241
Nelson, Mysti.....	837-3277
Olson, Mackenzie.....	837-5302
Pickar, Kathy.....	837-2400
Parkos, Andrew.....	445-7445
Perron, Bruce.....	564-0350
Peterson, Tyler.....	472-9177
Puttonen, Kyle.....	472-5512
Quale, Hazel.....	837-1919
Sanderson, Patrick.....	564-0105
Savela, Paul.....	564-0090
Schmidt, Tyler.....	445-6257
Schmitz, Travis.....	837-0731
Schroeder, David.....	564-7633
Schultz, Justin.....	564-4274
Simon, Denise.....	538-2364
Skoog, Brandon.....	538-2711
Skoog, Nick.....	564-6257
Smagacz, Joe.....	837-4825
Stine, Michael.....	564-8096
Swank, Taylor.....	445-8216
Taylor, Scott.....	564-7747
Thompson, Leah.....	445-1989
Tiller, Teiarra.....	564-3866
Tri-County Health Care.....	445-5989
Triepke, Jeremy.....	445-0208
Verndale, City.....	445-4042
Verndale Custom Builders.....	445-6006
Vonada, Jennifer.....	564-1461
Warrington, Wayne.....	564-8899
White, Michael.....	564-6091
Wicht, Ronald.....	445-5695
Wilker, Suzanne.....	564-2348
Williams, Ken.....	564-4746
Winslow, Mark.....	564-4704
Ziegmeier, Ross.....	837-1283



Julie Cochran and Jessica Ehrenberg

BUSINESS SPOTLIGHT: The Hair Company

The Hair Company, located in downtown Sebeka, has been in business since 1997. The Hair Company is a full service salon that specializes in hair shaping, color trends and the latest texturing techniques. They also offer manicures, pedicures, spray tanning and sugaring services.

Salon manager Jessica Ehrenberg said, “We love making people feel better, whether it’s fixing their hair or just chatting with them.” It’s a sentiment that stylists Whitney Nelson and Julie Cochran agrees with. Julie added, “Our clients are the best, and the reason for the success of the salon.”

Their dedication to their clients shows, especially considering the lengths they go to stay on trend with the industry. Jessica has Advanced Color and Hair Shaping under her belt. She is also skilled in Sugaring — a chemical-free alternative to waxing. Julie is skilled in Advanced Color techniques.

The Hair Company offers the latest trends in beauty, and they can claim to have the latest technology — fiber optics. As a result, they have super-fast Internet. Since they schedule everything through their online web-based software, this is a must. They also offer Wi-Fi access to their clients during their visit. A security system from West Central ensures the safety of staff and clients. Plus, they can check on their business from a smartphone or online when no one is there.

For the latest trends in beauty, contact The Hair Company at 837-5227. You can also schedule an appointment with them online at www.thehaircompanymn.com. For the latest trends in technology, give West Central Telephone a call at 837-5151.