

# SPOTLIGHT

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## LOCAL PARK HOT SPOTS

ETC is proud to once again be partnering with local parks to provide free, wireless, high-speed Internet access to the public. Sunman Community Park, Greensburg City Park and Liberty Park in Batesville are now offering free Internet connectivity, and will continue to serve as local 'hot spots' through Labor Day. Service is available seven days a week, from 8:00 a.m. through 8:00 p.m. to anyone with a wireless-equipped laptop or PDA.

"ETC has been collaborating with the local park departments for several years now in bringing this public service to our area parks," stated Anita Fledderman, ETC Marketing Manager. "Our local parks provide the perfect venue for us to bring innovative technologies to our communities."

**Thank you to the local parks for partnering with us to provide this free, community service!**

## SUMMER sensations

**EXCITING, *New*, ENHANCED BUNDLE PACKAGES!**



## SUMMER SENSATIONS

ETC is pleased to introduce new packages and offerings to Southeastern Indiana. We are kicking off summer with new packages that include more of the standard features you've been asking for: increased Internet speeds, high definition television, and combined local and long distance calling with standard calling features. Please visit us at our website, [www.etczone.com](http://www.etczone.com) to view our new offerings. From Preferred packages designed for the standard user to the Ultimate packages ideal for the premier experience, we hope you'll experience the connection with ETC.

## KNOW WHAT'S BELOW

**Don't forget to dial 8-1-1 before you start digging in your yard this summer!**

Make sure all underground utility lines are properly flagged by calling 8-1-1. Utility locators will be dispatched to mark the appropriate area of hidden lines, pipes, and cables. Avoid injury, expense, and potential service outages with one simple call.

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## ETC SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Enhanced Telecommunications Corporation (ETC) is proud to announce the 2015-2016 scholarship recipients.

This year ETC's local scholarships featured a few notable changes. All students were given equal opportunity to apply, with no guarantees for a winner from any given school.

ETC awarded a total of six scholarships: One for \$5,000; two for \$2,500; and three for \$1,000. Graduating seniors from each of the following counties in ETC's fiber and/or wireless Internet markets were eligible to apply: Dearborn, Decatur, Franklin, Jefferson, Jennings, Ohio, Ripley, Scott, Switzerland and Union. Home-schooled seniors within these designated counties were also eligible.

*The following students were selected among 226 applicants:*

- **\$5,000 winner:** Maria Moore of Franklin County High School
- **\$2,500 winners:** Adriana Youngman from Jac-Cen-Del High School and Casey Jo Pierce of Union County
- **\$1,000 winners:** Courtney Jo Gullion of Switzerland County; Shelby Drew and Elizabeth Weiler, both from Batesville High School.

Additional recognition goes out to three local recipients of a national scholarship sponsored by an association of rural telecommunications companies.

The Foundation for Rural Service, in cooperation with the NTCA-Rural Broadband Association, awards approximately 60 scholarships to rural students across America who have a desire to return to a rural community following college graduation.

Cameron Nichols of Batesville beat out more than 1,300 applicants from across the country to receive one of four \$5,000 awards. Cameron plans to attend Belmont University to study biochemistry and molecular biology. He is the son of Michael and Linda Nichols.

Brady Covert and Rowan Turcott each received \$2,500 in awards through the nationwide competition (\$500 of which was funded by ETC for each student). Brady is the son of Tracy Covert of Sunman. He plans to attend Ball State University to study pre-physical therapy with a concentration in exercise science. Rowan's parents are Deborah and Chris Turcott of Sunman. Rowan intends to earn an Associate of Science in Nursing from Ivy Tech.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS AND 2016 GRADUATES!**

## CURIOSITY CORNER

*Please write your answers on a small piece of paper. Incomplete entries will not be counted, so be sure to include your name, address and phone number. Mail your entry with your remittance statement (bill) to ETC, Attention: Brandy Wessel at P.O. Box 145, Sunman, IN 47041. You can also log onto [etczone.com](http://etczone.com) and click on the Spotlight Newsletter link at the bottom of any page to answer online.*

**Q1 True or False:**  
Call 611 before digging in your yard this summer!  
A. True   B. False

**Q2** How many scholarship applicants were there this year?  
A. 305   B. 226   C. 225

*Entries must be received by July 31, 2016. Limit one entry per household.*

## Last Issue's Answers:

**Q1 True or False:**  
Mike Fledderman was stranded for 16 hours on the Pennsylvania Turnpike.  
B. False

**Q2** How long must you be away from home to qualify for our Vacation Rates?  
B. 1 month

*There were 103 combined entries from our Sunman, Greensburg, Batesville, Brookville and Liberty offices. Due to the company's growth, two winners from all entries will be awarded a \$20 bill credit. This issue's winners are **Maryann Deffner** and **Rudolph Gesell**.*

## CONGRATULATIONS!

## HOLIDAYS & HAPPENINGS

**Monday, July 4th - 4th of July Holiday - CLOSED**

**Monday, September 5th - Labor Day -- CLOSED**

*Regular business hours will resume the following business day.*

