

# Darke Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc.

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Your Touchstone Energy® Partner 

## Health Fair Registration

If you wish to participate in the Health Fair scheduled during the Annual Meeting of Members on March 18 please pre-register on the next page. By pre-registering you should reduce your waiting time during the health fair.

**Details and cost explained on next page.**

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**Monday through Friday  
7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
Closed Saturdays**

Failure to receive your electric bill in no way relieves you, the member, from paying it. If you do not receive your bill, contact us before the due date.

## Darke Rural Electric Cooperative *Presents*

# One More Time (Swing Band)

at the 2010 Annual Meeting of Members

**Date:** Thursday, March 18  
**Time:** Lunch — 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.  
**Meeting:** Promptly following Lunch  
**Location:** Lighthouse Christian Center  
Greenville, Ohio

- \* Election of trustees in districts 1, 3 & 5
- \* Business meeting
- \* Entertainment
- \* Attendance and door prize
- \* **Wellness Health Fair (details on next page)**

**Don't miss this opportunity to see  
The "One More Time" Swing Band**



# 2010 Annual Meeting Health Fair for Members

Wayne Hospital will conduct a health fair at the March 18 Annual Meeting of Members. They will offer a wellness blood panel (that the member must pay for) as well as several other tests. The body mass index, heel bone density test, pulmonary function test and blood pressure/pulse are free to members if you register and pay for the health awareness blood panel.

## Cost to members:

Health Awareness Blood Panel (test for Total Cholesterol, Direct HDL, Direct LDL, Calcium, BUN, and Creatinine) — **\$18**

PSA (screening for men) — **\$30**

Hemoglobin and Hematocrit (test for Anemia) — **\$6**

Body Mass Index — **free** with one of the above blood panels

Heel Bone Density — **free** with one of the above blood panels

Pulmonary Function — **free** with one of the above blood panels

Blood Pressure/Pulse Ox — **free** with one of the above blood panels

If you are interested in participating in the 2010 Health Fair at the Darke REC Annual Meeting of Members please fill out the form below and send it to:

**Darke REC**  
**Attn.: Beth Davenport**  
**P.O. Box 278**  
**Greenville, OH 45331**

**(To Pre-register please send completed form by March 8)**

2010 Annual Meeting Health Fair  
Darke Rural Electric Cooperative  
**Wayne Hospital Sign-up Sheet**  
**Thursday, March 18**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

# High School Seniors

## Are your parents members of Darke Rural Electric Cooperative?

If yes, you qualify to participate in the **Darke Rural Electric Scholarship Program**. Darke REC gives three scholarships (\$1,000, \$700 and \$500) in each the girl's and boy's division. The first place winner in each division qualifies to participate in the **Ohio Rural Electric Cooperatives, Inc., Scholarship Contest where you could win up to \$2,755.**

If you are interested in a scholarship application call the cooperative office to request an application at 800-776-5612 or 937-548-4114. Also, there are applications available at your high school guidance office. **All applications are due in our office by March 15**

## Touchstone Energy® Achievement Scholarship

*Did you overcome adversity, obstacles or personal challenges on your way to excellence?*

**Tell us about it, you may win a scholarship!**

Darke Rural Electric will award one \$500 scholarship and that student will qualify to win one of four \$1,630 scholarships from Ohio Rural Electric Cooperative.

You must be a graduating high school senior whose parents are members of Darke Rural Electric Cooperative.

Call the cooperative office for an application!

*Applications are due in our office by March 15.*

## ATTENTION:

### High school sophomores and juniors:

Enter to win and be part of the

### 2010 Washington, D.C., Youth Tour

**June 11-17**

The cooperative will sponsor two students on this trip. To be eligible to compete, you must be a high school sophomore or junior and your parents must be a member of Darke REC.

For information on how you can be part of this trip, call the cooperative office at 937-548-4114 or 800-776-5612. Applications due March 15.

# Darke members give \$12,900 to area causes through Operation Roundup

Members of Darke Rural Electric Cooperative recently donated \$12,900 to local charities and community projects, and individuals through the **Operation Roundup** program. **Total contributions exceed \$158,594.**

*Recipients of funds are as follows:*

**Hope in Recovery — \$1,400**  
**Greenville Union Cemetery — \$1,000**  
**Osgood Little League — \$1,100**  
**Boy Scouts w/disabilities #237 — \$1,600**  
**Ansonia Local Schools — \$1,100**  
**Union City Fire and Rescue — \$2,500**  
**Brown Memorial Library — \$950**  
**St. Mary's School — \$950**  
**Ansonia Fire Department — \$1,300**  
**Boy Scout Troop #280 — \$1,000**

The Operation Roundup is a voluntary charitable program. Participating members' monthly electric bills are rounded up to the next dollar, with the additional pennies put into the "Trust" fund.

A board of trustees, made up of Darke Rural Electric Cooperative members, oversees the Operation Roundup process. Those serving as trustees are: Susan Schepis, chairman; Joan Buschur, vice chairman; Jim Faller, treasurer; Susan Smearsoll, secretary; Jane Braund, Charles Hoover and Ronnie Neanen. They volunteer their time and meet twice a year to review applications and decide if an application should be funded. The decision can be very difficult when the request exceeds the available monies. The goal is to disperse funds to best serve the communities of the cooperative members.

Organizations or individuals can contact Beth Davenport at Darke REC (937-548-4114 or 1-800-776-5612) to receive an application.



Members of the Darke Rural Electric Trust Board of Trustees are (front row, from left) Jane Braund, Susan Smearsoll, Susan Schepis, (back row) Joan Buschur, Jim Faller, Charles Hoover and Ronnie Neanen.